

Reviewer Report

Title: "Genome sequencing of the winged midge, *Parochlus steinenii*, from the Antarctic Peninsula"

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Reviewer Comments to Author:

Almost all of the text that has been added to the manuscript needs to be edited. There are grammatical and clarity issues that need to be resolved in the new text.

"Gender" should be changed to "sex"

Considering that 20 individuals were included in the genome assembly, the heterozygosity estimates are not as informative as if heterozygosity were estimated from a single individual.

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