Reviewer's report

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General
The authors answered to all the points. After calculation of the r^2, I am a bit reluctant to consider the LD between loci as "strong". Thus, I would recommend to change the sentences like "strong linkage disequilibrium" with "good level of LD" or something similar. However, since the three loci have a certain level of redundancy, the statement about the Bonferroni's correction still holds and the general conclusion can stay as is.

Major Compulsory Revisions (that the author must respond to before a decision on publication can be reached) none

Minor Essential Revisions (such as missing labels on figures, or the wrong use of a term, which the author can be trusted to correct) none

Discretionary Revisions (which the author can choose to ignore) none

What next?: Accept without revision

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:
I declare that I have no competing interests