IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS’ UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Calhoun County - 234 Species

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Observers_______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Total Species_____________ Total Individuals______________

Ducks, Geese, Swans
- Snow Goose
- Ross’s Goose
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Trumpeter Swan
- Wood Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Gadwall
- Eurasian Wigeon
- American Wigeon
- American Black Duck
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Gadwall
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser
- Red-breasted Merganser
- Ruddy Duck

New World Quail
- Northern Bobwhite
- Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys, and Old World Quail
- Wild Turkey
- Gray Partridge
- Ring-necked Pheasant

Grebes
- Red-billed Grebe
- Horned Grebe
- Red-necked Grebe
- Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe
- Clark’s Grebe
- Pigeons, Doves
- Rock Pigeon
- Eurasian Collared Dove
- Mourning Dove

Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- Black-billed Cuckoo

Goatsuckers
- Common Nighthawk

Swallows
- Chimney Swift
- Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- Virginia Rail
- Sora
- Common Gallinule
- American Coot

Flamingos
- American Avocet

Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and Allies
- Upland Sandpiper
- Hudsonian Godwit
- Marbled Godwit
- Stilt Sandpiper
- Sanderling
- Least Sandpiper
- White-rumped Sandpiper
- Pectoral Sandpiper
- Sempipalmed Sandpiper
- Short-billed Dowitcher
- Long-billed Dowitcher
- American Woodcock
- Wilson’s Snipe
- Spotted Sandpiper
- Solitary Sandpiper
- Lesser Yellowlegs
- Willet
- Greater Yellowlegs
- Wilson’s Phalarope

Gulls, Terns, Skimmers
- Bonaparte’s Gull
- Franklin’s Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- Herring Gull
- Caspian Tern
- Black Tern
- Forster’s Tern

Loons
- Common Loon

Cormorants
- Double-crested Cormorant

Pelecan

American White Pelican

Bitterns, Herons, and Allies
- American Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-Heron

New World Vultures
- Turkey Vulture

Ospreys
- Osprey

Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies
- Cooper’s Hawk
- Bald Eagle
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Swainson’s Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk
- Barn Owls
- Barn Owl

Typical Owls
- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Great Horned Owl
- Barred Owl
- Long-eared Owl
- Short-eared Owl

Kingfishers
- Belted Kingfisher

Woodpeckers
- Red-headed Woodpecker
- Red-bellied Woodpecker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Hairy Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker

Caracaras and Falcons
- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Peregrine Falcon
- Prairie Falcon

Flycatchers
- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Western Kingbird
- Eastern Kingbird
- Olive-sided Flycatcher
- Eastern Wood-Pewee
- Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- Acadian Flycatcher
- Willow Flycatcher

Least Flycatcher
- Eastern Phoebe

Shrikes
- Loggerhead Shrike
- Northern Shrike

Vireos
- White-eyed Vireo
- Bell’s Vireo
- Yellow-throated Vireo
- Blue-headed Vireo
- Philadelphia Vireo
- Warbling Vireo
- Red-eyed Vireo

Jays, Magpies, Crows
- Blue Jay
- American Crow

Vireos
- Black-throated Green
- Black-throated Gray
- Black-throated Blue

Nuthatches
- Red-breasted Nuthatch
- White-breasted Nuthatch

Creeper
- Brown Creeper

Wrens
- House Wren
- Winter Wren
- Sedge Wren
- Marsh Wren

Gnatcatchers
- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

Kinglets
- Golden-crowned Kinglet
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Thrushes
- American Robin

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