



## IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Clayton County - 261 Species

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ Locality \_\_\_\_\_ Sky \_\_\_\_\_ Wind \_\_\_\_\_ Temp \_\_\_\_\_

Observers \_\_\_\_\_ Total Species \_\_\_\_\_ Total Individuals \_\_\_\_\_

Ducks, Geese, Swans	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Whip-poor-will	<input type="checkbox"/> Least Bittern	<input type="checkbox"/> Alder Flycatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown Thrasher	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackbirds, Orioles
<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Goose	<input type="checkbox"/> Swifts	<input type="checkbox"/> American Bittern	<input type="checkbox"/> Willow Flycatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Mockingbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-headed Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Ross's Goose	<input type="checkbox"/> Chimney Swift	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-crowned Night Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Least Flycatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Starlings	<input type="checkbox"/> Bobolink
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater White-fronted Goose	<input type="checkbox"/> Hummingbirds	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-crowned Night Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Phoebe	<input type="checkbox"/> European Starling	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Meadowlark
<input type="checkbox"/> Cackling Goose	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-throated Hummingbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Green Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Vireos	<input type="checkbox"/> Thrushes	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Meadowlark
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Goose	<input type="checkbox"/> Rufous Hummingbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Egret	<input type="checkbox"/> White-eyed Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Bluebird	<input type="checkbox"/> Orchard Oriole
<input type="checkbox"/> Mute Swan	<input type="checkbox"/> King Rail	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Cattle Egret	<input type="checkbox"/> Bell's Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Townsend's Solitaire	<input type="checkbox"/> Baltimore Oriole
<input type="checkbox"/> Trumpeter Swan	<input type="checkbox"/> Virginia Rail	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Blue Heron	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-throated Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Veery	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-winged Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Tundra Swan	<input type="checkbox"/> Sora	<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey Vulture	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-headed Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Gray-cheeked Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown-headed Cowbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Duck	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Gallinule	<input type="checkbox"/> Ospreys	<input type="checkbox"/> Philadelphia Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Rusty Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Teal	<input type="checkbox"/> American Coot	<input type="checkbox"/> Osprey	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Warbling Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Hermit Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Brewer's Blackbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shoveler	<input type="checkbox"/> Cranes	<input type="checkbox"/> Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-eyed Vireo	<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Thrush	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Grackle
<input type="checkbox"/> Gadwall	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandhill Crane	<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Eagle	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shrike	<input type="checkbox"/> American Robin	<input type="checkbox"/> Great-tailed Grackle
<input type="checkbox"/> American Wigeon	<input type="checkbox"/> Lapwings and Plovers	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Harrier	<input type="checkbox"/> Jays, Magpies, Crows	<input type="checkbox"/> Old World Sparrows	<input type="checkbox"/> Wood-warblers
<input type="checkbox"/> Mallard	<input type="checkbox"/> Kildeer	<input type="checkbox"/> Sharp-shinned Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Jay	<input type="checkbox"/> House Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Ovenbird
<input type="checkbox"/> American Black Duck	<input type="checkbox"/> Semipalmated Plover	<input type="checkbox"/> Cooper's Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> American Crow	<input type="checkbox"/> Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Worm-eating Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Pintail	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and Allies	<input type="checkbox"/> American Goshawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Chickadees, Titmice	<input type="checkbox"/> Pipits	<input type="checkbox"/> Louisiana Waterthrush
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-winged Teal	<input type="checkbox"/> Hudsonian Godwit	<input type="checkbox"/> Bald Eagle	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-capped Chickadee	<input type="checkbox"/> Finches	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Waterthrush
<input type="checkbox"/> Canvasback	<input type="checkbox"/> Sanderling	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-shouldered Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Tufted Titmouse	<input type="checkbox"/> House Finch	<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-winged Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Redhead	<input type="checkbox"/> Dunlin	<input type="checkbox"/> Broad-winged Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Larks	<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Finch	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Duck	<input type="checkbox"/> Baird's Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-tailed Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Lark	<input type="checkbox"/> Redpoll	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-and-white Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Scaup	<input type="checkbox"/> Least Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Rough-legged Hawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Swallows	<input type="checkbox"/> Red Crossbill	<input type="checkbox"/> Prothonotary Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Scaup	<input type="checkbox"/> White-rumped Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Typical Owls	<input type="checkbox"/> Bank Swallow	<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Crossbill	<input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Surf Scoter	<input type="checkbox"/> Pectoral Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Screech-Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Tree Swallow	<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Siskin	<input type="checkbox"/> Orange-crowned Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Bufflehead	<input type="checkbox"/> Semipalmated Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Horned Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Rough-winged Swallow	<input type="checkbox"/> American Goldfinch	<input type="checkbox"/> Nashville Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Goldeneye	<input type="checkbox"/> American Woodcock	<input type="checkbox"/> Snowy Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Martin	<input type="checkbox"/> Longspurs, Snow Bunting	<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Merganser	<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Snipe	<input type="checkbox"/> Barred Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Barn Swallow	<input type="checkbox"/> Lapland Longspur	<input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Merganser	<input type="checkbox"/> Spotted Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Long-eared Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Cliff Swallow	<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Bunting	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Yellowthroat
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Merganser	<input type="checkbox"/> Solitary Sandpiper	<input type="checkbox"/> Short-eared Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Kinglets	<input type="checkbox"/> Towhees, Sparrows	<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruddy Duck	<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Yellowlegs	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Saw-whet Owl	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-crowned Kinglet	<input type="checkbox"/> Grasshopper Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> American Redstart
New World Quail	<input type="checkbox"/> Willet	<input type="checkbox"/> Kingfishers	<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-crowned Kinglet	<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Cape May Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Bobwhite	<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Yellowlegs	<input type="checkbox"/> Belted Kingfisher	<input type="checkbox"/> Waxwings	<input type="checkbox"/> Chipping Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Cerulean Warbler
Partridges, Grouse, Turkeys, and Old World Quail	<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Phalarope	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodpeckers	<input type="checkbox"/> Bohemian Waxwing	<input type="checkbox"/> Clay-colored Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Parula
<input type="checkbox"/> Wild Turkey	<input type="checkbox"/> Bonaparte's Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-headed Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Cedar Waxwing	<input type="checkbox"/> Field Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Magnolia Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruffed Grouse	<input type="checkbox"/> Franklin's Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-bellied Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Nuthatches	<input type="checkbox"/> Fox Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Bay-breasted Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Gray Partridge	<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-billed Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Nuthatch	<input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackburnian Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Pheasant	<input type="checkbox"/> American Herring Gull	<input type="checkbox"/> Downy Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> White-breasted Nuthatch	<input type="checkbox"/> Dark-eyed Junco	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Warbler
Grebes	<input type="checkbox"/> Caspian Tern	<input type="checkbox"/> Hairy Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Creepers	<input type="checkbox"/> White-crowned Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut-sided Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Pied-billed Grebe	<input type="checkbox"/> Black Tern	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Flicker	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown Creeper	<input type="checkbox"/> Harris's Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackpoll Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Grebe	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Tern	<input type="checkbox"/> Pileated Woodpecker	<input type="checkbox"/> Gnatcatchers	<input type="checkbox"/> White-throated Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Blue Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-necked Grebe	<input type="checkbox"/> Forster's Tern	<input type="checkbox"/> Caracaras and Falcons	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Vesper Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Palm Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Grebe	<input type="checkbox"/> Loons	<input type="checkbox"/> American Kestrel	<input type="checkbox"/> Wrens	<input type="checkbox"/> Nelson's Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Warbler
Pigeons, Doves	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Loon	<input type="checkbox"/> Merlin	<input type="checkbox"/> Rock Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Henslow's Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-rumped Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Dove	<input type="checkbox"/> Cormorants	<input type="checkbox"/> Peregrine Falcon	<input type="checkbox"/> Carolina Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Savannah Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-throated Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Eurasian Collared-Dove	<input type="checkbox"/> Double-crested Cormorant	<input type="checkbox"/> Great Crested Flycatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern House Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Song Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Green Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Rock Pigeon	<input type="checkbox"/> Pelicans	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Kingbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Winter Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln's Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Warbler
Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis	<input type="checkbox"/> American White Pelican	<input type="checkbox"/> Olive-sided Flycatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Sedge Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Swamp Sparrow	<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Warbler
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-billed Cuckoo	<input type="checkbox"/> Common Nighthawk	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Wood-Pewee	<input type="checkbox"/> Marsh Wren	<input type="checkbox"/> Spotted Towhee	<input type="checkbox"/> Tanagers, Cardinals, Grosbeaks, Buntings
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-billed Cuckoo	<input type="checkbox"/> Bitterns, Herons, and Allies	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	<input type="checkbox"/> Mimids	<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Towhee	<input type="checkbox"/> Summer Tanager
Goatsuckers	<input type="checkbox"/> Acadian Flycatcher		<input type="checkbox"/> Gray Catbird	<input type="checkbox"/> Chats	<input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Tanager
					<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Cardinal

\_\_\_\_Rose-breasted Grosbeak  
\_\_\_\_Black-headed Grosbeak  
\_\_\_\_Indigo Bunting  
\_\_\_\_Dickcissel

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The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the Checklist of North American Birds, 7th Edition, American Ornithologists' Union, 1998, updated through the 64th Supplement (Chesser et al. 2023).

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