



IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Humboldt County - 249 Species

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

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

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

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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