IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS' UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Louisa County - 276 Species

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**Observers**

Total Species __________
Total Individuals __________

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**Ducks, Geese, Swans**
- Black-billed Cuckoo
- Snow Goose
- Ross's Goose
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Mute Swan
- Trumpeter Swan
- Tundra Swan
- Wood Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Gadwall
- Eurasian Wigeon
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- American Black Duck
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- King Eider
- Black Scoter
- 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

**Grebes**
- Ring-necked Pheasant
- Pied-billed Grebe
- Horned Grebe
- Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe
- Clark's Grebe

**Pigeons, Doves**
- Rock Pigeon
- Eurasian Collared-Dove
- Common Ground Dove
- Mourning Dove

**Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis**
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- Wilson's Phalarope
- Red-necked Phalarope
- Gulls, Terns, Skimmers
- Bonaparte's Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- Herring Gull
- Least Tern
- Caspian Tern
- Black Tern
- Common Tern
- Forster's Tern
- Storks
- Wood Stork
- Cormorants
- Double-crested Cormorant
- Pelicans
- American White Pelican
- Cormorants
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret
- Little Blue Heron
- Tricolored Heron
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-Heron
- Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
- Ibises and Spoonbills
- Glossy Ibis
- White-faced Ibis
- New World Vultures
- Black Vulture
- Turkey Vulture
- Ospreys
- Osprey
- Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Bald Eagle
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Swainson's Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk
- Ferruginous Hawk
- Barn Owls
- Barn Owl
- Typical Owls
- Great Horned Owl
- Barred Owl
- Long-eared Owl
- Short-eared Owl
- Northern Saw-whet Owl
- Kingfishers
- Belted Kingfisher
- Woodpeckers
- Red-headed Woodpecker
- Red-bellied Woodpecker
- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Hairy Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker
- Pileated Woodpecker
- Caracaras and Falcons
- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Peregrine Falcon
- Flycatchers
- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Eastern Kingbird
- Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
- 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
- Fish Crow
- Common Raven
- Larks
- Horned Lark
- Swallows
- Bank Swallow
- Tree Swallow
- Northern Rough-winged Swallow

**Purple Martin
- Barn Swallow
- Cliff Swallow
- Chickadees, Titmice
- Black-capped Chickadee
- Tufted Titmouse
- Nuthatches
- Red-breasted Nuthatch
- White-breasted Nuthatch
- Creepers
- Brown Creeper
- Wrens
- House Wren
- Winter Wren
- Sedge Wren
- Marsh Wren
- Carolina Wren
- Bewick's Wren
- Gnatcatchers
- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
- Mimids
- Golden-crowned Kinglet
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- Thrushes
- Eastern Bluebird
- Veery
- Swainson's Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- Wood Thrush
- American Robin
- Mimids
- Gray Catbird
- Brown Thrasher
- Northern Mockingbird
- Starlings
- European Starling
- Waxwings
- Cedar Waxwing
- Old World Sparrows
- House Sparrow
- Eurasian Tree Sparrow
- Pipits
- American Pipit
- Finches
- House Finch
- Purple Finch
- Pine Siskin
- American Goldfinch
- Longspurs, Snow Bunting
- Lapland Longspur
- Smith's Longspur

**Townees, Sparrows**
- Grasshopper Sparrow
- Lark Sparrow
- Chipping Sparrow
- Clay-colored Sparrow
- Field Sparrow
- Fox Sparrow
- American Tree Sparrow
- Dark-eyed Junco
- White-crowned Sparrow
- Harris's Sparrow
- White-throated Sparrow
- Vesper Sparrow
- LeConte's Sparrow
- Nelson's Sparrow
- Henslow's Sparrow
- Savannah Sparrow
- Song Sparrow
- Lincoln's Sparrow
- Swamp Sparrow
- Eastern Towhee

**Chats**
- Yellow-breasted Chat
- Blackbirds, Orioles
- Yellow-headed Blackbird
- Bobolink
- Eastern Meadowlark
- Western Meadowlark
- Orchard Oriole
- Baltimore Oriole
- Red-winged Blackbird
- Brown-headed Cowbird
- Rusty Blackbird
- Brewer's Blackbird
- Common Grackle
- Great-tailed Grackle

**Wood-warblers**
- Ovenbird
- Louisiana Waterthrush
- Northern Waterthrush
- Golden-winged Warbler
- Blue-winged Warbler
- Black-and-white Warbler
- Prothonotary Warbler
- Tennessee Warbler
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Nashville Warbler
- Kentucky Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat
- Hooded Warbler
- American Redstart
- Cape May Warbler
Cerulean Warbler
Northern Parula
Magnolia Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler
Yellow Warbler
Chestnut-sided Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Palm Warbler
Yellow-rumped Warbler
Black-throated Green Warbler
Canada Warbler
Wilson's Warbler

Tanagers, Cardinals, Grosbeaks, Buntings
Summer Tanager
Scarlet Tanager
Northern Cardinal
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Blue Grosbeak
Indigo Bunting
Dickcissel


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