### Checklist of the Birds of Mahaska County - 259 Species

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### Ducks, Geese, Swans
- Snow Goose
- Ross's Goose
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Mute Swan
- Trumpeter Swan
- Tundra Swan
- Wood Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Gadwall
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- 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
  - Ring-necked Pheasant
  - Grebes
  - Pied-billed Grebe
  - Horned Grebe
  - Pigeons, Doves
    - Rock Pigeon
    - Eurasian Collared-Dove
    - White-winged Dove
    - Mourning Dove
  - Cuckoos, Roadrunners, Anis
    - Yellow-billed Cuckoo
    - Black-billed Cuckoo
  - Goatsuckers
    - Common Nighthawk
    - Chuck-will's-widow
    - Eastern Whip-poor-will
  - Swifts
    - Chimney Swift
  - Loons
    - Common Loon

### Hummingbirds
- Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- Virginia Rail
- Sora
- American Coot
- Sandhill Crane
- Black-necked Stilt
- American Avocet
- American Golden-Plover
- Killdeer
- Semipalmated Plover
- Piping Plover
- Upland Sandpiper
- Hudsonian Godwit
- Marbled Godwit
- Ruddy Turnstone
- Sanderling
- Dunlin
- Baird's Sandpiper
- Least Sandpiper
- White-rumped Sandpiper
- Pectoral Sandpiper
- Semipalmated Sandpiper
- Short-billed Dowitcher
- Long-billed Dowitcher
- American Woodcock
- Wilson's Snipe
- Spotted Sandpiper
- Solitary Sandpiper
- Lesser Yellowlegs
- Willet
- Greater Yellowlegs
- Wilson's Phalarope
- Red-necked Phalarope
- Bonaparte's Gull
- Franklin's Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- Herring Gull
- Least Tern
- Caspian Tern
- Black Tern
- Forster's Tern
- Common Loon

### Cormorants
- Double-crested Cormorant

### Pelicans
- American White Pelican

### Noddy's, Herons, and Allies
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Bald Eagle
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk

### Barred Owl
- Barn Owl

### Typical Owls
- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Great Horned Owl
- Snowy Owl
- Barred Owl
- Short-eared 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
- Olive-sided Flycatcher
- Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- Alder Flycatcher
- Willow Flycatcher
- Least Flycatcher
- Eastern Phoebe

### Vireos
- Bell's Vireo
- Yellow-throated Vireo
- Blue-headed Vireo
- Philadelphia Vireo
- Warbling Vireo
- Red-eyed Vireo

### Shrikes
- Loggerhead Shrike

### New World Vultures
- Turkey Vulture

### Ospreys
- Osprey

### Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies
- Golden Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Bald Eagle
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk

### Barn Owls
- Barn Owl

### Swallows
- Bank Swallow
- Tree Swallow
- Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- Purple Martin
- Barn Swallow
- Cliff Swallow

### Kinglets
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- Golden-crowned Kinglet

### Waxwings
- Cedar Waxwing

### Nuthatches
- Red-breasted Nuthatch
- White-breasted Nuthatch

### Creeper
- Brown Creeper

### Gnatchatchers
- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

### Wrens
- Carolina Wren

### House Wren
- Winter Wren
- Sedge Wren
- Marsh Wren

### Mimids
- Gray Catbird
- Brown Thrasher
- Northern Mockingbird

### Starlings
- European Starling

### Thrushes
- Eastern Bluebird
- Veery
- Gray-cheeked Thrush
- Swainson's Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- Wood Thrush
- American Robin

### Old World Sparrows
- House Sparrow
- Eurasian Tree Sparrow

### Pipits
- American Pipit

### Finches
- Evening Grosbeak
- House Finch
- Purple Finch
- Common Redpoll
- Pine Siskin
- American Goldfinch

### Larks
- Horned Lark

### Longspurs, Snow Bunting
- Lapland Longspur
- Snow Bunting

### Towhees, 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
- Le Conte's Sparrow
- Nelson's Sparrow
- Henslow's Sparrow
- Savannah Sparrow
- Song Sparrow

### Starlings
- Purple Martin
- Dark-eyed Junco
- American Goldfinch
- American Redstart
- Cape May Warbler
- Cerulean Warbler
- Northern Parula
- Magnolia Warbler
- Bay-breasted Warbler
- Blackburnian Warbler

### Yellow Warbler
- Chestnut-sided Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Pine Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler

### Canada Warbler
- Wilson's Warbler
- Wilson's Warbler
- American Redstart
- Summer Tanager
- Scarlet Tanager

### Tanager, Cardinals, Grosbeaks, Buntings
- 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
- Mourning Warbler
- Kentucky Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat
- American Redstart
- Cape May Warbler
- Cerulean Warbler
- Northern Parula
- Magnolia Warbler
- Bay-breasted Warbler
- Blackburnian Warbler
- Yellow Warbler
- Chestnut-sided Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Pine Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Canada Warbler
- Wilson's Warbler
- Tanager, Cardinals, Grosbeaks, Buntings
- Summer Tanager
- Scarlet Tanager
Northern Cardinal
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Blue Grosbeak
Indigo Bunting
Painted Bunting
Dickcissel


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