### IOWA ORNITHOLOGISTS’ UNION - Checklist of the Birds of Pocahontas County - 249 Species

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**Ducks, Geese, Swans**
- Snow Goose
- Ross’s Goose
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Trumpeter Swan
- Tundra Swan
- Wood Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Gadwall
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- American Black Duck
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canada Goose
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- Surf Scoter
- White-winged Scoter
- 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
  - Red-tailed Hawk

**Grebes**
- Red-billed Grebe
- Horned Grebe
- Eared 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

**Swifts**
- Chimney Swift
- Ruby-throated Hummingbird

**Hummingbirds**
- Virginia Rail
- Common Gallinule
- American Coot

**Cranes**
- Sandhill Crane

**Stilts and Avocets**
- American Avocet
- Lapwings and Plovers
- Black-bellied Plover
- American Golden-Plover
- Killdeer
- Semipalmated Plover

**Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and Allies**
- 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
- Willet

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- Australasian Grebe

**Gulls, Terns, Skimmers**
- Bonaparte's Gull
- Franklin's Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- Herring Gull
- Great Black-backed Gull

**Seabirds**
- Great Cormorant
- Gannet

**Piperidae**
- Western Kingbird

**Other Birds**
- Northern Mockingbird
- European Starling
- Thrushes
- Eastern Bluebird
- Veery
- Gray-cheeked Thrush
- Swainson’s Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- Wood Thrush
- American Robin
- Old World Sparrows
- House Sparrow
- Pipits
- American Pipit
- Finches
- Evening Grosbeak
- House Finch
- Purple Finch
- Common Redpoll
- Hoary Redpoll
- Pine Siskin
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- 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
- Northern Waterthrush
- Golden-winged Warbler
- Black-and-white Warbler
- Tennessee Warbler
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- Nashville Warbler
- Connecticut Warbler
- Mourning Warbler
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- Tanagers,Cardinals,Grosbeaks,Buntings
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- Scarlet Tanager
- Northern Cardinal
- Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- Indigo Bunting
- Dickcissel

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