



Polk County (320 species)

(C) Denotes County Rarity

(S) Denotes State Rarity

The ECBA wishes to thank **Bill Tice** for his role as editor of this checklist.

SWANS, GEESE, DUCKS

- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Emperor Goose (S)
- Snow Goose (C)
- Ross's Goose (C)
- Brant (C)
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Trumpeter Swan (C)
- Tundra Swan
- Whooper Swan (S)
- Wood Duck
- Gadwall
- Eurasian Wigeon (C)
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- Garganey (S)
- Blue-winged Teal (C)
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Tufted Duck (S)
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- Harlequin Duck (C)
- Surf Scoter (C)
- White-winged Scoter (C)
- Black Scoter (C)
- Long-tailed Duck (C)
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Barrow's Goldeneye (C)

- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser
- Red-breasted Merganser (C)
- Ruddy Duck

GALLINACEOUS BIRDS

- Ring-necked Pheasant
- Ruffed Grouse
- Sooty Grouse
- Wild Turkey
- Mountain Quail
- California Quail

LOONS, GREBES

- Red-throated Loon (C)
- Pacific Loon (C)
- Common Loon (C)
- Pied-billed Grebe
- Horned Grebe (C)
- Red-necked Grebe (C)
- Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe
- Clark's Grebe (C)

PÉLICANS, HERONS, IBIS

- American White Pelican (C)
- Brown Pelican (C)
- Double-crested Cormorant
- American Bittern
- Least Bittern (S)
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret (C)
- Little Blue Heron (S)
- Western Cattle Egret (S)
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-Heron (C)
- White-faced Ibis (C)

VULTURES, DIURNAL RAPTORS

- Turkey Vulture
- Osprey
- White-tailed Kite (C)
- Bald Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- American Goshawk (C)
- Red-shouldered Hawk (C)
- Broad-winged Hawk (S)
- Swainson's Hawk (C)
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Ferruginous Hawk (C)
- Rough-legged Hawk
- Golden Eagle
- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Gyrfalcon (S)
- Peregrine Falcon
- Prairie Falcon

RAILS, CRANES

- Virginia Rail
- Sora
- American Coot
- Sandhill Crane (C)

SHOREBIRDS

- Black-bellied Plover
 - American Golden-Plover (C)
 - Pacific Golden-Plover (C)
 - Semipalmated Plover
 - Killdeer
 - Black-necked Stilt
 - American Avocet (C)
 - Spotted Sandpiper
 - Solitary Sandpiper (C)
 - Wandering Tattler (C)
 - Greater Yellowlegs
 - Willet (C)
 - Lesser Yellowlegs
 - Hudsonian Whimbrel (C)
 - Long-billed Curlew (C)
 - Hudsonian Godwit (S)
 - Marbled Godwit (C)
 - Ruddy Turnstone (C)
 - Red Knot (C)
 - Sanderling (C)
 - Semipalmated Sandpiper (C)
 - Western Sandpiper
 - Least Sandpiper
 - Baird's Sandpiper
 - Pectoral Sandpiper
 - Sharp-tailed Sandpiper (S)
 - Dunlin
 - Stilt Sandpiper (S)
 - Buff-breasted Sandpiper (S)
 - Ruff (S)
 - Short-billed Dowitcher (C)
 - Long-billed Dowitcher
 - Wilson's Snipe
 - Wilson's Phalarope
 - Red-necked Phalarope
 - Red Phalarope (C)
- ### GULLS, TERNS, JAEGERS
- Franklin's Gull (C)
 - Bonaparte's Gull
 - Heermann's Gull (C)
 - Short-billed Gull
 - Ring-billed Gull
 - California Gull
 - American Herring Gull
 - Iceland Gull
 - Western Gull
 - Glaucous-winged Gull
 - Glaucous Gull (S)
 - Sabine's Gull (C)
 - Black-legged Kittiwake (C)
 - Least Tern (S)
 - Caspian Tern (C)
 - Common Tern (S)
 - Forster's Tern (C)
 - Arctic Tern (C)
 - Black Tern (C)
 - Parasitic Jaeger (C)
- ### ALCIDS
- Marbled Murrelet (C)
 - Ancient Murrelet (C)
- ### DOVES, PIGEONS
- Rock Pigeon

- ___ Band-tailed Pigeon
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- ___ Mourning Dove

OWLS

- ___ American Barn Owl
- ___ Western Screech-Owl
- ___ Great Horned Owl
- ___ Snowy Owl (S)
- ___ Northern Pygmy-Owl
- ___ Burrowing Owl (C)
- ___ Spotted Owl (C)
- ___ Barred Owl
- ___ Long-eared Owl (C)
- ___ Short-eared Owl
- ___ Northern Saw-whet Owl

NIGHTJARS, SWIFTS, HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Common Nighthawk
- ___ Common Poorwill (C)
- ___ Black Swift (C)
- ___ Vaux's Swift
- ___ Black-chinned Hummingbird (C)
- ___ Anna's Hummingbird
- ___ Costa's Hummingbird (S)
- ___ Calliope Hummingbird (C)
- ___ Rufous Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS, WOODPECKERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher
- ___ Lewis's Woodpecker (C)
- ___ Acorn Woodpecker
- ___ Williamson's Sapsucker (C)
- ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker (S)
- ___ Red-naped Sapsucker (C)
- ___ Red-breasted Sapsucker
- ___ Downy Woodpecker
- ___ Hairy Woodpecker
- ___ Northern Flicker
- ___ Pileated Woodpecker

FLYCATCHERS

- ___ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ___ Western Wood-Pewee
- ___ Willow Flycatcher
- ___ Hammond's Flycatcher
- ___ Gray Flycatcher (C)
- ___ Dusky Flycatcher (C)
- ___ Western Flycatcher
- ___ Black Phoebe (C)
- ___ Eastern Phoebe (S)
- ___ Say's Phoebe (C)
- ___ Ash-throated Flycatcher (C)
- ___ Western Kingbird
- ___ Eastern Kingbird (C)
- ___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher (S)

SHRIKES, VIREOS

- ___ Loggerhead Shrike (C)
- ___ Northern Shrike
- ___ Cassin's Vireo
- ___ Hutton's Vireo
- ___ Western Warbling Vireo
- ___ Red-eyed Vireo (C)

CORVIDS, LARKS, SWALLOWS

- ___ Canada Jay
- ___ Steller's Jay

- ___ Blue Jay (S)
- ___ California Scrub-Jay
- ___ Clark's Nutcracker (C)
- ___ Black-billed Magpie (C)
- ___ American Crow
- ___ Common Raven
- ___ Horned Lark
- ___ Purple Martin
- ___ Tree Swallow
- ___ Violet-green Swallow
- ___ Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- ___ Bank Swallow (C)
- ___ Cliff Swallow
- ___ Barn Swallow

CHICKADEES, BUSHTITS, NUTHATCHES, CREEPERS

- ___ Black-capped Chickadee
- ___ Mountain Chickadee (C)
- ___ Chestnut-backed Chickadee
- ___ Bushtit
- ___ Red-breasted Nuthatch
- ___ White-breasted Nuthatch
- ___ Brown Creeper

WRENS, DIPPERS, KINGLETS, GNATCATCHERS

- ___ Rock Wren (C)
- ___ Bewick's Wren
- ___ Northern House Wren
- ___ Pacific Wren
- ___ Sedge Wren (S)
- ___ Marsh Wren
- ___ American Dipper
- ___ Golden-crowned Kinglet
- ___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- ___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher (C)

WHEATEARS, THRUSHES

- ___ Western Bluebird
- ___ Mountain Bluebird (C)
- ___ Townsend's Solitaire
- ___ Swainson's Thrush
- ___ Hermit Thrush
- ___ American Robin
- ___ Varied Thrush

WRENTITS, MIMIDS

- ___ Wrentit
- ___ Northern Mockingbird (S)
- ___ Sage Thrasher (C)
- ___ Brown Thrasher (S)

STARLING, WAGTAILS, PIPITS, WAXWINGS

- ___ European Starling
- ___ White Wagtail (S)
- ___ American Pipit
- ___ Bohemian Waxwing (C)
- ___ Cedar Waxwing

WARBLERS, TANAGERS

- ___ Ovenbird (S)
- ___ Black-and-White Warbler (S)
- ___ Tennessee Warbler (S)
- ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ___ Nashville Warbler (C)
- ___ MacGillivray's Warbler
- ___ Yellow Warbler
- ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- ___ Black-throated Gray Warbler

- ___ Townsend's Warbler
- ___ Hermit Warbler
- ___ Palm Warbler (C)
- ___ Common Yellowthroat
- ___ Wilson's Warbler
- ___ Yellow-breasted Chat
- ___ Western Tanager

SPARROWS

- ___ Spotted Towhee
- ___ American Tree Sparrow (C)
- ___ Chipping Sparrow
- ___ Clay-colored Sparrow (S)
- ___ Brewer's Sparrow (C)
- ___ Field Sparrow (S)
- ___ Vesper Sparrow
- ___ Lark Sparrow (C)
- ___ Black-throated Sparrow (C)
- ___ Lark Bunting (S)
- ___ Savannah Sparrow
- ___ Grasshopper Sparrow (C)
- ___ Fox Sparrow
- ___ Song Sparrow
- ___ Lincoln's Sparrow
- ___ Swamp Sparrow (S)
- ___ White-throated Sparrow
- ___ Harris's Sparrow (S)
- ___ White-crowned Sparrow
- ___ Golden-crowned Sparrow
- ___ Dark-eyed Junco

LONGSPURS, GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

- ___ Lapland Longspur (C)
- ___ Snow Bunting (S)
- ___ Rose-breasted Grosbeak (S)
- ___ Black-headed Grosbeak
- ___ Lazuli Bunting
- ___ Indigo Bunting (S)

BLACKBIRDS, GRACKLES, ORIOLES

- ___ Bobolink (C)
- ___ Red-winged Blackbird
- ___ Tricolored Blackbird (C)
- ___ Western Meadowlark
- ___ Yellow-headed Blackbird
- ___ Rusty Blackbird (S)
- ___ Brewer's Blackbird
- ___ Great-tailed Grackle (S)
- ___ Brown-headed Cowbird
- ___ Hooded Oriole (S)
- ___ Bullock's Oriole

FINCHES, HOUSE SPARROW

- ___ Brambling (S)
- ___ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch (C)
- ___ Purple Finch
- ___ Cassin's Finch (C)
- ___ House Finch
- ___ Red Crossbill
- ___ White-winged Crossbill (S)
- ___ Redpoll (S)
- ___ Pine Siskin
- ___ Lesser Goldfinch
- ___ American Goldfinch
- ___ Evening Grosbeak
- ___ House Sparrow