

Checklist of Aitkin County Birds

DUCKS, GEESE & SWANS

- ___ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Ross's Goose
- ___ Canada Goose
- ___ Cackling Goose
- ___ Trumpeter Swan
- ___ Tundra Swan
- ___ Wood Duck
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ American Wigeon
- ___ American Black Duck
- ___ Mallard
- ___ Blue-winged Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Northern Pintail
- ___ Green-winged Teal
- ___ Canvasback
- ___ Redhead
- ___ Ring-necked Duck
- ___ Greater Scaup
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ Harlequin Duck
- ___ Surf Scoter
- ___ White-winged Scoter
- ___ Black Scoter
- ___ Long-tailed Duck
- ___ Bufflehead
- ___ Common Goldeneye
- ___ Hooded Merganser
- ___ Common Merganser
- ___ Red-breasted Merganser
- ___ Ruddy Duck

GROUSE & TURKEY

- ___ Ring-necked Pheasant
- ___ Ruffed Grouse
- ___ Sharp-tailed Grouse
- ___ Wild Turkey

LOONS

- ___ Red-throated Loon
- ___ Pacific Loon
- ___ Common Loon

GREBES

- ___ Pied-billed Grebe
- ___ Horned Grebe
- ___ Red-necked Grebe
- ___ Eared Grebe
- ___ Western Grebe

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican

CORMORANTS

- ___ Double-crested Cormorant

HERONS, BITTERN & ALLIES

- ___ American Bittern
- ___ Least Bittern
- ___ Great Blue Heron
- ___ Great Egret
- ___ Little Blue Heron
- ___ Cattle Egret
- ___ Green Heron
- ___ Black-crowned Night-Heron
- ___ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

NEW WORLD VULTURES

- ___ Turkey Vulture

HAWKS & EAGLES

- ___ Osprey
- ___ Bald Eagle
- ___ Northern Harrier
- ___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- ___ Cooper's Hawk
- ___ Northern Goshawk
- ___ Red-shouldered Hawk
- ___ Broad-winged Hawk
- ___ Red-tailed Hawk
- ___ Rough-legged Hawk
- ___ Golden Eagle

FALCONS

- ___ American Kestrel
- ___ Merlin
- ___ Gyrfalcon
- ___ Peregrine Falcon
- ___ Prairie Falcon

RAILS & COOTS

- ___ Yellow Rail
- ___ Virginia Rail
- ___ Sora
- ___ American Coot

CRANES

- ___ Sandhill Crane

PLOVERS

- ___ Black-bellied Plover

- ___ American Golden-Plover
- ___ Semipalmated Plover
- ___ Piping Plover
- ___ Killdeer

AVOCETS

- ___ American Avocet

SANDPIPERS & ALLIES

- ___ Spotted Sandpiper
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Willet
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ___ Upland Sandpiper
- ___ Whimbrel
- ___ Hudsonian Godwit
- ___ Marbled Godwit
- ___ Ruddy Turnstone
- ___ Red Knot
- ___ Sanderling
- ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ White-rumped Sandpiper
- ___ Baird's Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Dunlin
- ___ Stilt Sandpiper
- ___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- ___ Short-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ American Woodcock
- ___ Wilson's Phalarope
- ___ Red-necked Phalarope

GULLS, TERNS & JAEGER

- ___ Franklin's Gull
- ___ Little Gull
- ___ Bonaparte's Gull
- ___ Ring-billed Gull
- ___ California Gull
- ___ Herring Gull
- ___ Thayer's Gull
- ___ Lesser Black-backed Gull
- ___ Glaucous Gull
- ___ Black-legged Kittiwake
- ___ Caspian Tern
- ___ Black Tern
- ___ Common Tern

- ___ Forster's Tern
- ___ Parasitic Jaeger

PIGEONS & DOVES

- ___ Rock Pigeon
- ___ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS

- ___ Black-billed Cuckoo
- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo

OWLS

- ___ Eastern Screech-Owl
- ___ Great Horned Owl
- ___ Snowy Owl
- ___ Northern Hawk Owl
- ___ Barred Owl
- ___ Great Gray Owl
- ___ Long-eared Owl
- ___ Short-eared Owl
- ___ Boreal Owl
- ___ Northern Saw-whet Owl

GOATSUCKERS

- ___ Common Nighthawk
- ___ Whip-poor-will

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS

- ___ Red-headed Woodpecker
- ___ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- ___ Downy Woodpecker
- ___ Hairy Woodpecker
- ___ Am. Three-toed Woodpecker
- ___ Black-backed Woodpecker
- ___ Northern Flicker
- ___ Pileated Woodpecker

TYRANT FLYCATCHERS

- ___ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ___ Eastern Wood-Pewee