

OFFICIAL LOUISIANA STATE FIELD CHECK-LIST

Louisiana Bird Records Committee

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DATE _____ TIME _____ LOCATION _____

WEATHER _____

OBSERVERS _____

NOTES _____

Species order follows taxonomic sequence of *Check-list of North American Birds 7th Edition* (AOU 1998; updated through 65th Supplement (AOU 2024)). List includes 491 accepted species and ten accepted subspecies/forms (indented and italicized) currently on the LBRC Official State and Review lists.

LBRC Review List Species are italicized.

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| ___ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck | ___ Greater Roadrunner | ___ Curlew Sandpiper |
| ___ Fulvous Whistling-Duck | ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo | ___ Sanderling |
| ___ Snow Goose | ___ Mangrove Cuckoo | ___ Dunlin |
| ___ Ross's Goose | ___ Black-billed Cuckoo | ___ Purple Sandpiper |
| ___ Greater White-fronted Goose | ___ Lesser Nighthawk | ___ Baird's Sandpiper |
| ___ Brant | ___ Common Nighthawk | ___ Least Sandpiper |
| ___ Cackling Goose | ___ Antillean Nighthawk | ___ White-rumped Sandpiper |
| ___ Canada Goose | ___ Chuck-will's-widow | ___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper |
| ___ Trumpeter Swan (Q) | ___ Eastern Whip-poor-will | ___ Pectoral Sandpiper |
| ___ Tundra Swan | ___ Chimney Swift | ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper |
| ___ Wood Duck | ___ Vaux's Swift | ___ Western Sandpiper |
| ___ Baikal Teal (OH) | ___ Mexican Violetear | ___ Short-billed Dowitcher |
| ___ Blue-winged Teal | ___ Green-breasted Mango | ___ Long-billed Dowitcher |
| ___ Cinnamon Teal | ___ Rivoli's Hummingbird | ___ American Woodcock |
| ___ Northern Shoveler | ___ Blue-throated Mountain-gem | ___ Wilson's Snipe |
| ___ Gadwall | ___ Lucifer Hummingbird | ___ Spotted Sandpiper |
| ___ Eurasian Wigeon | ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird | ___ Solitary Sandpiper |
| ___ American Wigeon | ___ Black-chinned Hummingbird | ___ Lesser Yellowlegs |
| ___ Mallard | ___ Anna's Hummingbird | ___ Willet |
| ___ American Black Duck | ___ Calliope Hummingbird | ___ Greater Yellowlegs |
| ___ Mottled Duck | ___ Rufous Hummingbird | ___ Wilson's Phalarope |
| ___ Northern Pintail | ___ Allen's Hummingbird | ___ Red-necked Phalarope |
| ___ Green-winged Teal | ___ Broad-tailed Hummingbird | ___ Red Phalarope |
| ___ Canvasback | ___ Broad-billed Hummingbird | ___ Pomarine Jaeger |
| ___ Redhead | ___ Buff-bellied Hummingbird | ___ Parasitic Jaeger |
| ___ Ring-necked Duck | ___ King Rail | ___ Long-tailed Jaeger |
| ___ Greater Scaup | ___ Clapper Rail | ___ Razorbill |
| ___ Lesser Scaup | ___ Virginia Rail | ___ Ancient Murrelet |
| ___ King Eider | ___ Sora | ___ Black-legged Kittiwake |
| ___ Surf Scoter | ___ Common Gallinule | ___ Sabine's Gull |
| ___ White-winged Scoter | ___ American Coot | ___ Bonaparte's Gull |
| ___ Black Scoter | ___ Purple Gallinule | ___ Black-headed Gull |
| ___ Long-tailed Duck | ___ Yellow Rail | ___ Little Gull |
| ___ Bufflehead | ___ Black Rail | ___ Laughing Gull |
| ___ Common Goldeneye | ___ Limpkin | ___ Franklin's Gull |
| ___ Hooded Merganser | ___ Sandhill Crane | ___ Short-billed Gull |
| ___ Common Merganser | ___ Whooping Crane (RI) | ___ Ring-billed Gull |
| ___ Red-breasted Merganser | ___ Black-necked Stilt | ___ Western Gull |
| ___ Masked Duck | ___ American Avocet | ___ California Gull |
| ___ Ruddy Duck | ___ American Oystercatcher | ___ Herring Gull |
| ___ Northern Bobwhite | ___ Black-bellied Plover | ___ Iceland Gull |
| ___ Wild Turkey | ___ American Golden-Plover | ___ Iceland "Thayer's" Gull |
| ___ Greater Prairie-Chicken (e) | ___ Killdeer | ___ Lesser Black-backed Gull |
| ___ American Flamingo | ___ Semipalmated Plover | ___ Slaty-backed Gull |
| ___ Least Grebe | ___ Piping Plover | ___ Glaucous Gull |
| ___ Pied-billed Grebe | ___ Siberian Sand-Plover | ___ Great Black-backed Gull |
| ___ Horned Grebe | ___ Wilson's Plover | ___ Kelp Gull |
| ___ Red-necked Grebe | ___ Mountain Plover | ___ Brown Noddy |
| ___ Eared Grebe | ___ Snowy Plover | ___ Sooty Tern |
| ___ Western Grebe | ___ Upland Sandpiper | ___ Bridled Tern |
| ___ Rock Pigeon (I) | ___ Whimbrel | ___ Least Tern |
| ___ Band-tailed Pigeon | ___ Eskimo Curlew (E) | ___ Gull-billed Tern |
| ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove (I) | ___ Long-billed Curlew | ___ Caspian Tern |
| ___ Passenger Pigeon (E) | ___ Black-tailed Godwit | ___ Black Tern |
| ___ Inca Dove | ___ Hudsonian Godwit | ___ Common Tern |
| ___ Common Ground Dove | ___ Marbled Godwit | ___ Arctic Tern |
| ___ White-winged Dove | ___ Ruddy Turnstone | ___ Forster's Tern |
| ___ Mourning Dove | ___ Red Knot | ___ Royal Tern |
| ___ Smooth-billed Ani | ___ Ruff | ___ Sandwich Tern |
| ___ Groove-billed Ani | ___ Stilt Sandpiper | ___ Black Skimmer |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Red-billed Tropicbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Belted Kingfisher | <input type="checkbox"/> Brown-chested Martin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Red-throated Loon | <input type="checkbox"/> Red-headed Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> Purple Martin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Loon | <input type="checkbox"/> Red-bellied Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> Barn Swallow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Common Loon | <input type="checkbox"/> Williamson's Sapsucker | <input type="checkbox"/> Cliff Swallow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-nosed Albatross | <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Sapsucker | <input type="checkbox"/> Cave Swallow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Storm-Petrel | <input type="checkbox"/> Red-naped Sapsucker | <input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-crowned Kinglet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leach's Storm-Petrel | <input type="checkbox"/> Downy Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> Golden-crowned Kinglet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Band-rumped Storm-Petrel | <input type="checkbox"/> Ladder-backed Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> Cedar Waxwing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cory's Shearwater | <input type="checkbox"/> Red-cockaded Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Nuthatch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scopoli's Shearwater | <input type="checkbox"/> Hairy Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> White-breasted Nuthatch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sooty Shearwater | <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Flicker | <input type="checkbox"/> Brown-headed Nuthatch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Great Shearwater | <input type="checkbox"/> Pileated Woodpecker | <input type="checkbox"/> Brown Creeper |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Manx Shearwater | <input type="checkbox"/> Ivory-billed Woodpecker (E?) | <input type="checkbox"/> Blue-gray Gnatcatcher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sargasso Shearwater | <input type="checkbox"/> Crested Caracara | <input type="checkbox"/> Rock Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jabiru | <input type="checkbox"/> American Kestrel | <input type="checkbox"/> Bewick's Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wood Stork | <input type="checkbox"/> Merlin | <input type="checkbox"/> Carolina Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Magnificent Frigatebird | <input type="checkbox"/> Peregrine Falcon | <input type="checkbox"/> Northern House Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Masked Booby | <input type="checkbox"/> Prairie Falcon | <input type="checkbox"/> Winter Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brown Booby | <input type="checkbox"/> Monk Parakeet (I) | <input type="checkbox"/> Sedge Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Red-footed Booby | <input type="checkbox"/> Carolina Parakeet (E) | <input type="checkbox"/> Marsh Wren |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Gannet | <input type="checkbox"/> Dusky-capped Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Gray Catbird |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anhinga | <input type="checkbox"/> Ash-throated Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Curve-billed Thrasher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Double-crested Cormorant | <input type="checkbox"/> Great Crested Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Brown Thrasher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neotropic Cormorant | <input type="checkbox"/> Brown-crested Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Sage Thrasher |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brown Pelican | <input type="checkbox"/> Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> European Starling (I) |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> American Bittern | <input type="checkbox"/> Tropical Kingbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Mountain Bluebird |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Little Blue Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Couch's Kingbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Townsend's Solitaire |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tricolored Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Cassin's Kingbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Veery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reddish Egret | <input type="checkbox"/> Western Kingbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Gray-cheeked Thrush |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snowy Egret | <input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Kingbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Thrush |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-crowned Night Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Gray Kingbird | <input type="checkbox"/> Hermit Thrush |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black-crowned Night Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Scissor-tailed Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Wood Thrush |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Green Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Fork-tailed Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> American Robin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Great Egret | <input type="checkbox"/> Olive-sided Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Varied Thrush |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Western Cattle Egret | <input type="checkbox"/> Western Wood-Pewee | <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Wheatear |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Great Blue Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Wood-Pewee | <input type="checkbox"/> Scaly-breasted Munia (FO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> "Great White" Heron | <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> House Sparrow (I) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White Ibis | <input type="checkbox"/> Acadian Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> White Wagtail |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Glossy Ibis | <input type="checkbox"/> Alder Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> American Pipit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White-faced Ibis | <input type="checkbox"/> Willow Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Sprague's Pipit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roseate Spoonbill | <input type="checkbox"/> Least Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Evening Grosbeak |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey Vulture | <input type="checkbox"/> Gray Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Purple Finch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Osprey | <input type="checkbox"/> Western Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Cassin's Finch |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Swallow-tailed Kite | <input type="checkbox"/> "Cordilleran Flycatcher" | <input type="checkbox"/> Pine Siskin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Golden Eagle | <input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Phoebe | <input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Goldfinch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Harrier | <input type="checkbox"/> Say's Phoebe | <input type="checkbox"/> American Goldfinch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sharp-shinned Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Vermilion Flycatcher | <input type="checkbox"/> Lapland Longspur |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cooper's Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Black-capped Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut-collared Longspur |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Goshawk | <input type="checkbox"/> White-eyed Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Smith's Longspur |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bald Eagle | <input type="checkbox"/> Bell's Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Thick-billed Longspur |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mississippi Kite | <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-throated Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Cassin's Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harris's Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Cassin's Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Bachman's Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White-tailed Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Blue-headed Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Grasshopper Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Red-shouldered Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbeous Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Lark Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Broad-winged Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Philadelphia Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Lark Bunting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Warbling Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Chipping Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Zone-tailed Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Red-eyed Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Clay-colored Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Red-tailed Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-green Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Field Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rough-legged Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Black-whiskered Vireo | <input type="checkbox"/> Brewer's Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ferruginous Hawk | <input type="checkbox"/> Loggerhead Shrike | <input type="checkbox"/> Fox Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Barn Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Blue Jay | <input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flammulated Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Clark's Nutcracker | <input type="checkbox"/> Dark-eyed Junco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Screech-Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> American Crow | <input type="checkbox"/> "Oregon" Junco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Great Horned Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Fish Crow | <input type="checkbox"/> "Pink-sided" Junco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snowy Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Chihuahuan Raven | <input type="checkbox"/> "Gray-headed" Junco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burrowing Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Carolina Chickadee | <input type="checkbox"/> "Non-slate-colored" Junco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Barred Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Tufted Titmouse | <input type="checkbox"/> White-crowned Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Long-eared Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Horned Lark | <input type="checkbox"/> Golden-crowned Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Short-eared Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Bank Swallow | <input type="checkbox"/> Harris's Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Saw-whet Owl | <input type="checkbox"/> Tree Swallow | <input type="checkbox"/> White-throated Sparrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ringed Kingfisher | <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Rough-winged Swallow | <input type="checkbox"/> Vesper Sparrow |

___ LeConte's Sparrow
 ___ Seaside Sparrow
 ___ Nelson's Sparrow
 ___ **Baird's Sparrow**
 ___ Henslow's Sparrow
 ___ Savannah Sparrow
 ___ Song Sparrow
 ___ Lincoln's Sparrow
 ___ Swamp Sparrow
 ___ **Green-tailed Towhee**
 ___ **Spotted Towhee**
 ___ Eastern Towhee
 ___ Yellow-breasted Chat
 ___ Yellow-headed Blackbird
 ___ Bobolink
 ___ Eastern Meadowlark
 ___ Western Meadowlark
 ___ Orchard Oriole
 ___ **Hooded Oriole**
 ___ Bullock's Oriole
 ___ Baltimore Oriole
 ___ **Scott's Oriole**
 ___ Red-winged Blackbird
 ___ **Shiny Cowbird**
 ___ Bronzed Cowbird
 ___ Brown-headed Cowbird
 ___ Rusty Blackbird
 ___ Brewer's Blackbird
 ___ Common Grackle
 ___ Boat-tailed Grackle
 ___ Great-tailed Grackle
 ___ Ovenbird

___ Worm-eating Warbler
 ___ Louisiana Waterthrush
 ___ Northern Waterthrush
 ___ Bachman's Warbler (E)
 ___ Golden-winged Warbler
 ___ Blue-winged Warbler
 ___ Black-and-white Warbler
 ___ Prothonotary Warbler
 ___ Swainson's Warbler
 ___ Tennessee Warbler
 ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
 ___ **Lucy's Warbler**
 ___ Nashville Warbler
 ___ **Virginia's Warbler**
 ___ **Connecticut Warbler**
 ___ **MacGillivray's Warbler**
 ___ Mourning Warbler
 ___ Kentucky Warbler
 ___ Common Yellowthroat
 ___ Hooded Warbler
 ___ American Redstart
 ___ Cape May Warbler
 ___ Cerulean Warbler
 ___ Northern Parula
 ___ **Tropical Parula**
 ___ Magnolia Warbler
 ___ Bay-breasted Warbler
 ___ Blackburnian Warbler
 ___ Yellow Warbler
 ___ **"Mangrove" Warbler**
 ___ Chestnut-sided Warbler
 ___ Blackpoll Warbler

___ Black-throated Blue Warbler
 ___ Palm Warbler
 ___ Pine Warbler
 ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
 ___ **"Audubon's" Warbler**
 ___ Yellow-throated Warbler
 ___ Prairie Warbler
 ___ **Black-throated Gray Warbler**
 ___ **Townsend's Warbler**
 ___ **Hermit Warbler**
 ___ Black-throated Green Warbler
 ___ **Golden-crowned Warbler**
 ___ Canada Warbler
 ___ Wilson's Warbler
 ___ **Red-faced Warbler**
 ___ **Painted Redstart**
 ___ **Hepatic Tanager**
 ___ Summer Tanager
 ___ Scarlet Tanager
 ___ Western Tanager
 ___ Northern Cardinal
 ___ **Pyrrhuloxia**
 ___ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
 ___ Black-headed Grosbeak
 ___ **Blue Bunting**
 ___ Blue Grosbeak
 ___ **Lazuli Bunting**
 ___ Indigo Bunting
 ___ **Varied Bunting**
 ___ Painted Bunting
 ___ Dickcissel
 ___ **Red-legged Honeycreeper**

KEY:

Boldface = Species is on Review List of the Louisiana Bird Records Committee.

(E) = Extinct.

(E?) = Probably extinct but retained on Review List.

(e) = Extirpated: formerly occurred but now extirpated in Louisiana.

(RI) = Re-introduction program in progress.

(I) = Introduced: established introduced population/occurrences presumed from established population; Monk Parakeet established in Greater New Orleans area.

(Q) = Questionable: status on State List in question and needs to be resolved.

(OH) = Origin Hypothetical

(FO) = Feral Origin

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