

Bay Beach Wildlife Sanctuary Bird Checklist

	Sp	S	A	W
Gr. White-fronted Goose	R		R	R
Snow Goose	O		O	
Canada Goose 🐾	A	A	A	A
Cackling Goose	O		O	
Tundra Swan	O		O	
Wood Duck 🐾	C	C	C	U
Gadwall	U	O	O	
American Wigeon	U	O	U	R
American Black Duck	A	O	A	A
Mallard 🐾	A	A	A	A
Blue-winged Teal	C	O	U	R
Northern Shoveler	C	U	C	O
Northern Pintail	U	O	U	R
Green-winged Teal	U	O	O	
Canvasback	O		O	
Redhead	C	U	U	O
Ring-necked Duck	U	O	U	
Greater Scaup	R		O	O
Lesser Scaup	C	U	C	O
Common Goldeneye	U		U	U
Bufflehead	U		U	O
Hooded Merganser 🐾	U	O	O	O
Common Merganser	U		O	O
Red-breasted Merganser	U		O	O
Ruddy Duck	U	O	U	R
Wild Turkey 🐾	C	C	C	C
Common Loon	O		R	
Pied-billed Grebe	U	O	U	
Horned Grebe	R		R	
American White Pelican	C	C	C	R
Double-crested Cormorant	C	C	C	
Great Blue Heron	C	C	U	R
Great Egret	U	O	O	
Snowy Egret	R	R	R	
Green Heron	U	U	U	
Black-crowned Night-heron	C	C	U	

ABUNDANCE KEY

- A** – Abundant – Numerous
- C** – Common – In suitable habitat
- U** – Uncommon – Not always seen
- O** – Occasional – Several times a year
- R** - Rare – Intervals of 2 – 10 years

	Sp	S	A	W
Turkey Vulture	O	U	O	
Osprey	O	O	O	
Bald Eagle 🐾	U	U	U	C
Northern Harrier	O		O	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	O	O	O	O
Cooper's Hawk 🐾	C	U	C	C
Northern Goshawk	R		R	R
Red-shouldered Hawk	R		R	
Broad-winged Hawk	R		R	
Red-tailed Hawk 🐾	U	U	U	U
Rough-legged Hawk				R
American Kestrel	O	O	O	O
Merlin	R		R	
Peregrine Falcon	O	O	O	O
Virginia Rail	R	R	R	
Sora	O	O	O	
American Coot	O	O	O	R
Sandhill Crane	C	C	C	
Killdeer 🐾	C	C	C	
Solitary Sandpiper	O		O	
Spotted Sandpiper 🐾	U	U	U	
American Woodcock 🐾	U	O	U	
Bonaparte's Gull	R		R	
Ring-billed Gull	C	C	C	O
Herring Gull	U	U	U	U
Caspian Tern	U	U	U	
Forester's Tern	O	O	O	
Rock Pigeon	C	C	C	C
Mourning Dove 🐾	A	A	A	A
Black-billed Cuckoo 🐾	U	O	U	
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	O	R	O	

	Sp	S	A	W
Eastern Screech Owl 🐾	O	O	O	O
Great Horned Owl 🐾	C	C	C	C
Snowy Owl				R
Barred Owl	O	O	O	O
Northern Saw-whet Owl	R		R	R
Common Nighthawk	O	O	O	
Whip-poor-will	R		R	
Chimney Swift	C	C	C	
Ruby-throated Hummingbird 🐾	U	O	U	
Belted Kingfisher	U	U	U	
Red-headed Woodpecker	O	O	O	R
Red-bellied Woodpecker 🐾	C	C	C	C
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	C		U	
Downy Woodpecker 🐾	A	A	A	A
Hairy Woodpecker 🐾	C	C	C	C
Northern Flicker 🐾	C	C	C	R
Pileated Woodpecker	O	O	O	O
Olive-sided Flycatcher	O		O	
Eastern Wood Pewee 🐾	C	C	C	
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	O		O	
Alder Flycatcher	O		O	
Willow Flycatcher 🐾	O		O	
Least Flycatcher 🐾	C	C	C	
Eastern Phoebe 🐾	C	C	C	
Great Crested Flycatcher 🐾	C	C	C	
Eastern Kingbird 🐾	C	C	C	
Northern Shrike				R
Loggerhead Shrike	R		R	
Yellow-throated Vireo	O		O	
Blue-headed Vireo	O		O	
Warbling Vireo 🐾	C	C	C	
Philadelphia Vireo	O		O	
Red-eyed Vireo 🐾	C	C	C	

SEASONS KEY

- SP** – Spring – March, April & May
- S** - Summer – June, July & August
- A** – Autumn – September, October, & November
- W** – Winter – December, January, February
- 🐾 *Nesting at the Wildlife Sanctuary*

	Sp	S	A	W
Blue Jay 🐦	C	C	C	C
American Crow 🐦	C	C	C	C
Common Raven	O	R	O	R
Purple Martin 🐦	A	A	A	
Tree Swallow 🐦	A	A	A	
N.Rough-winged Swallow 🐦	C	C	C	
Bank Swallow	C	O	U	
Cliff Swallow	U	O	U	
Barn Swallow 🐦	A	A	A	
Black-capped Chickadee 🐦	A	A	A	A
Red-breasted Nuthatch	U	O	U	U
White-breasted Nuthatch 🐦	A	C	C	A
Brown Creeper	U		U	R
House Wren 🐦	C	C	C	
Winter Wren	U		U	O
Sedge Wren	R	R	R	
Marsh Wren	O	R	R	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	C		C	R
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	C		C	
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher 🐦	U	O	U	
Eastern Bluebird 🐦	O	O	O	
Veery	U		U	
Gray-cheeked Thrush	O		O	
Swainson's Thrush	U		U	
Hermit Thrush	U		U	
Wood Thrush 🐦	C	C	C	
American Robin 🐦	A	A	A	O
Gray Catbird 🐦	C	C	C	
Brown Thrasher 🐦	U	U	U	R
European Starling 🐦	C	C	C	C
Cedar Waxwing 🐦	C	U	C	U
Brown Creeper	U		U	R

	Sp	S	A	W
Blue-winged Warbler	O		O	
Golden-winged Warbler	U		U	
Tennessee Warbler	C		C	
Orange-crowned Warbler	U		O	
Nashville Warbler	U		U	
Northern Parula	U		U	
Yellow Warbler 🐦	C	U	C	
Chestnut-sided Warbler	U		U	
Magnolia Warbler	U		U	
Cape May Warbler	U		U	
Black-thr. Blue Warbler	O		O	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	C		C	
Black-thr. Green warbler	C		U	
Blackburnian Warbler	U		U	
Pine Warbler	U		O	
Palm Warbler	C		U	
Bay-breasted Warbler	U		U	
Blackpoll Warbler	U		U	
Cerulean Warbler	R		R	
Black & White Warbler	U		U	
American Redstart 🐦	C	U	C	
Prothonotary Warbler	R		R	
Worm-eating Warbler	R		R	
Ovenbird 🐦	C	O	U	
Northern Waterthrush	C		U	
Connecticut Warbler	O		R	
Mourning Warbler 🐦	U	U	U	
Common Yellowthroat 🐦	C	C	U	
Wilson's Warbler	U		U	
Canada Warbler	O		O	
Eastern Towhee	U		U	
American Tree Sparrow	U		U	C
Chipping Sparrow 🐦	C	C	C	
Clay-colored Sparrow	O		O	
Field Sparrow	O		O	

	Sp	S	A	W
Savannah Sparrow	O	O	O	
Grasshopper Sparrow	R		R	
Fox Sparrow	U		U	
Song Sparrow 🐦	A	C	C	R
Lincoln's Sparrow	U		U	
Swamp Sparrow 🐦	U	O	O	
White-throated Sparrow	C			U
White-crowned Sparrow	O		O	
Dark-eyed Junco	C		U	C
Scarlet Tanager	U	O	O	
Summer Tanager	R			
Northern Cardinal 🐦	A	A	A	A
Rose-breasted Grosbeak 🐦	C	C	C	
Indigo Bunting 🐦	C	U	C	
Red-winged Blackbird 🐦	A	C	C	O
Yellow-headed Blackbird	R	R	R	
Brewer's Blackbird	O	R	R	
Common Grackle 🐦	A	A	A	O
Brown-headed Cowbird 🐦	C	C	U	R
Orchard Oriole 🐦	O	R	R	
Baltimore Oriole 🐦	C	C	U	
Pine Grosbeak				R
Purple Finch	U	O	O	U
House Finch 🐦	A	A	A	A
Common Redpoll				O
Pine Siskin	O			O
American Goldfinch 🐦	A	A	A	A
Evening Grosbeak				R
House Sparrow 🐦	A	A	A	A

Rare Bird Sightings
Observed 1-5 times 1971-present

Ross's Goose
Mute Swan
Trumpeter Swan
Black-bel. Whistling Duck
Eurasian Wigeon
White-winged Scoter
Barrow's Goldeneye
N. Bobwhite
Gray Partridge
Ring-necked Pheasant

Ruffed Grouse
American Bittern
Least Bittern
Little Blue Heron
Tricolored Heron
Cattle Egret
Yellow-cr. Night-heron
Gyrffalcon
Common Moorhen
Whooping Crane
Black-bellied Plover

Semipalmated Plover
American Avocet
Willet
Greater Yellowlegs
Lesser Yellowlegs
Whimbrel
Hudsonian Godwit
Marbled Godwit
Ruddy Turnstone
Semipalmated Sand-piper

Least Sandpiper
White-rumped Sand-piper
Baird's Sandpiper
Pectoral Sandpiper
Dunlin
Stilt Sandpiper
Short-billed Dowitcher
Long-billed Dowitcher
Wilson's Snipe
Wilson's Phalarope

Laughing Gull
Franklin's Gull
Glaucous Gull
Black Tern
Common Tern
Long-eared Owl
Western Kingbird
White-eyed Vireo
Horned Lark
Tufted Titmouse
Carolina Wren

Townsend's Solitaire
Varied Thrush
N. Mockingbird
Bohemian Waxwing
Yellow-throated Warbler
Prairie Warbler
Swainson's Warbler
La. Waterthrush
Kentucky Warbler
Hooded Warbler

Yellow-breasted Chat
Harris's Sparrow
Snow Bunting
Western Tanager
Dickcissel
Bobolink
Eastern Meadowlark
Rusty Blackbird
Red Crossbill
White-winged Crossbill
Hoary Redpoll