BIRD CHECKLIST

McGregor Marsh SNA





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DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS				
Canada Goose	0	U	Х	Х
Trumpeter Swan	0	0		
Wood Duck	R	0		
Blue-winged Teal	0	U		
Northern Shoveler		R		
American Wigeon		R		
Mallard	0	U		Х
American Black Duck		0		
Green-winged Teal	0	0		
Ring-necked Duck		0		
Lesser Scaup		0		
Hooded Merganser		0		
GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASAN	тs			
Wild Turkey		0		
Ruffed Grouse	0	0	Х	Х
Sharp-tailed Grouse	R	R		
Ring-necked Pheasant		0		
GREBES				
Pied-billed Grebe		0		
PIGEONS AND DOVES				
Rock Pigeon	0	0		
Mourning Dove	0	0		
СИСКООЅ				
Black-billed Cuckoo	0	0		
NIGHTJARS				
Common Nighthawk	0	0		
Eastern Whip-poor-will		0		
SWIFTS			_	
Chimney Swift	0	R		
HUMMINGBIRDS				
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	0	0		
RAILS, GALLINULES, AND COOTS			_	
Virginia Rail	0	U		
Sora	U	U		
American Coot		R		
Yellow Rail	U	U	х	
CRANES				
Sandhill Crane	0	С	Х	

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KINGFISHERS				
Belted Kingfisher	R	0		
WOODPECKERS				
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	0	0		
Red-bellied Woodpecker	0	0		
Black-backed Woodpecker		R		
Downy Woodpecker	0	0		Х
Hairy Woodpecker	0	0	Х	
Pileated Woodpecker	0	0	Х	
Northern Flicker	0	0	Х	
FALCONS				
American Kestrel		0		
Merlin		0		
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS				
Olive-sided Flycatcher	0	R		
Eastern Wood-Pewee	0	0		
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher		R		
Alder Flycatcher	0	С	Х	
Least Flycatcher	0	0		
Eastern Phoebe	0	0		
Great Crested Flycatcher	0	0	Х	
Eastern Kingbird		0	Х	
VIREOS				
Yellow-throated Vireo	0	0		
Blue-headed Vireo		0		
Philadelphia Vireo			Х	
Warbling Vireo	0	0		
Red-eyed Vireo	0	0	Х	
SHRIKES				
Northern Shrike				Х
JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES				
Canada Jay		R		
Blue Jay	0	U	Х	
Black-billed Magpie	R	R		Х
American Crow	0	U	Х	Х
Common Raven	0	0	Х	Х
CHICKADEES AND TITMICE				1
Black-capped Chickadee	0	0	Х	Х
Boreal Chickadee		R		

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House Sparrow R X	OLD WORLD SPARROWS				
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FINCHES				
Evening Grosbeak				Х
House Finch		R		
Purple Finch		0		
White-winged Crossbill				Х
Pine Siskin	R			
American Goldfinch	0	0	Х	
LONGSPURS AND SNOW BUNTINGS				
Lapland Longspur	R			
SPARROWS				
Grasshopper Sparrow	0	0		
Chipping Sparrow	0	0		
Clay-colored Sparrow	0	0		
Field Sparrow	R			
American Tree Sparrow			Х	Х
Fox Sparrow	0			
Dark-eyed Junco			Х	
White-crowned Sparrow	0			
White-throated Sparrow	0	R	Х	
Vesper Sparrow	0	R		
LeConte's Sparrow	U	U	Х	
Nelson's Sparrow	0	U	Х	
Savannah Sparrow	0	0		
Song Sparrow	0	U	Х	
Lincoln's Sparrow		0		
Swamp Sparrow	U	С	Х	
Eastern Towhee		0		
BLACKBIRDS				
Yellow-headed Blackbird		0		
Bobolink	0	U		
Western Meadowlark		R		
Eastern Meadowlark	R	0		
Baltimore Oriole	0	0		
Red-winged Blackbird	U	С		
Brown-headed Cowbird	0	0		
Brewer's Blackbird		0		
Common Grackle	0	0	Х	
WARBLERS				
Ovenbird	0	0		

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Northern Waterthrush	0	R		
Golden-winged Warbler	0	0		
Black-and-white Warbler	0	0		
Tennessee Warbler	Х	0		
Nashville Warbler	0	0		
Connecticut Warbler	R	R		
Mourning Warbler	R	0		
Common Yellowthroat	U	С		
American Redstart	0	U		
Magnolia Warbler	0	0		
Blackburnian Warbler	R	R		
Yellow Warbler	0	U		
Chestnut-sided Warbler	0	0		
Black-throated Blue Warbler	R			
Palm Warbler	0			
Pine Warbler		R		
Yellow-rumped Warbler	0	R		
Black-throated Green Warbler		R		
Canada Warbler		R		
Wilson's Warbler	0			
CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, AND BUNTINGS				
Scarlet Tanager	R	0		
Rose-breasted Grosbeak	0	0		
Indigo Bunting		0		
Dickcissel		R		

Seasonal Occurrence Key

Sp - Spring (March through May)

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- **S** Summer (June through July)
- F Fall (August through November)
- W Winter (December through February)
- C Common (seen every year/season)
- U Uncommon (seen every 2-3 years/season)
- **O** Occasional (seen every 4-9 years/season)
- R Rare (seen less than once every 10 years/season)
 X Observed during season, data insufficient for
 - calculating occurrence

Bird Identification Tips

When you observe a bird, make note of at least **three** characteristics: **Location** - Where did you see the bird (water, forest,

feeder, lower branch, tree trunk)?

Body size and shape - Compare it to a known bird (smaller than a... bigger than a... plump like a... slender like a...). Looks at its tail, legs, and bill (long, short, thick, thin, curved, straight).

Colors and markings - Look on wings, tail, back, belly, rump, and head (stripe above eye, white spot on tail, etc.).

Sounds and movements - How does it act and sound (traveling alone or in groups, soaring, flapping, flap and glide, etc.)?

Data for this checklist were sourced from eBird as well as MNDNR staff and contractor observations. Checklist organization follows the most current Clements checklist and eBird taxonomy.

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