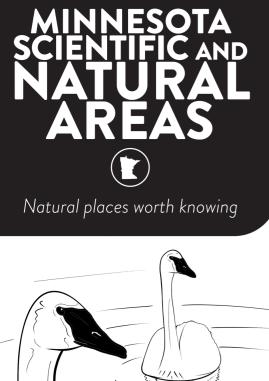
## **BIRD CHECKLIST**

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DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS			
Mallard		Х	
Hooded Merganser		Х	
GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASAN	NTS		
Ruffed Grouse		Х	
LOONS			
Common Loon		Х	
WOODPECKERS			
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		Х	
Hairy Woodpecker		Х	
Pileated Woodpecker		Х	
Northern Flicker		Х	
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS			_
Eastern Wood-Pewee		Х	
Least Flycatcher		Х	
VIREOS			-
Blue-headed Vireo		Х	
Red-eyed Vireo		х	
JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES			
Blue Jay		Х	
Common Raven		х	
NUTHATCHES			
Red-breasted Nuthatch		Х	
THRUSHES			
Veery		Х	
Swainson's Thrush		Х	
Hermit Thrush		х	
American Robin		х	
FINCHES			
Evening Grosbeak		Х	
Purple Finch		х	
American Goldfinch		х	
SPARROWS			
Chipping Sparrow		х	
White-throated Sparrow		х	
Song Sparrow		х	
Swamp Sparrow		х	
WARBLERS			
Ovenbird		Х	

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Nashville Warbler		Х
Mourning Warbler		Х
Common Yellowthroat		Х
American Redstart		Х
Cape May Warbler		Х
Northern Parula		Х
Magnolia Warbler		Х
Bay-breasted Warbler		Х
Blackburnian Warbler		Х
Chestnut-sided Warbler		Х
Pine Warbler		Х
Yellow-rumped Warbler		Х
Black-throated Green Warbler		Х
Canada Warbler		Х
CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, AND BUN	TING	iS
Rose-breasted Grosbeak		Х

## Seasonal Occurrence Key

Sp - Spring (March through May)

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- **S** Summer (June through July)
- F Fall (August through November)
- ${\boldsymbol W}$  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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