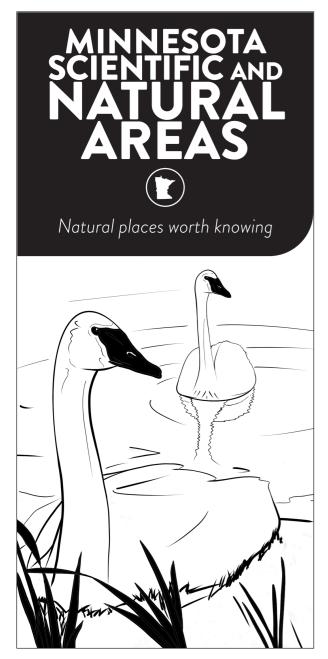
BIRD CHECKLIST

Oronoco Prairie SNA





	Sp	S	F	W
DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS				
Canada Goose	Χ			
GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASA	NTS			
Wild Turkey	X	Χ	Χ	
Ring-necked Pheasant	X	Χ	Χ	
PIGEONS AND DOVES				
Mourning Dove			Χ	
PLOVERS				
Killdeer		Χ		
NEW WORLD VULTURES				
Turkey Vulture	X	Χ	Χ	
HAWKS AND EAGLES				
Red-tailed Hawk		Χ	Χ	
WOODPECKERS				
Red-bellied Woodpecker		Χ	Χ	
Downy Woodpecker		Х	Χ	
Hairy Woodpecker			Χ	
Pileated Woodpecker			Χ	
Northern Flicker	X		Χ	
TYRANT FLYCATCHERS				
Eastern Wood-Pewee		Х		
Willow Flycatcher		Х		
Least Flycatcher		Х		
Eastern Kingbird		Х		
VIREOS				
Red-eyed Vireo		Х		
JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES				
Blue Jay	X	Χ	Χ	
American Crow	X		Χ	
CHICKADEES AND TITMICE				
Black-capped Chickadee	X		Χ	
SWALLOWS				
Tree Swallow		Х		
Barn Swallow		Х		
NUTHATCHES				
White-breasted Nuthatch	Χ			
WRENS				
House Wren		Х	Χ	
Sedge Wren			Х	

	Sp	S	F	W
MIMIDS				
Gray Catbird			Χ	
THRUSHES				
Eastern Bluebird		Χ	Χ	
American Robin	X	Χ	Χ	
WAXWINGS				
Cedar Waxwing		Χ	Χ	
OLD WORLD SPARROWS				
House Sparrow		Χ		
FINCHES				
American Goldfinch		Χ	Χ	
SPARROWS				
Grasshopper Sparrow	Χ			
Chipping Sparrow			Χ	
Field Sparrow		Χ	Χ	
Dark-eyed Junco	X			
White-throated Sparrow			Χ	
Vesper Sparrow	X			
Savannah Sparrow	X		Χ	
Song Sparrow	X	Χ	Χ	
Lincoln's Sparrow			Χ	
Swamp Sparrow			Χ	
BLACKBIRDS				
Baltimore Oriole		Χ		
Red-winged Blackbird	X	Χ		
Brown-headed Cowbird		Χ		
WARBLERS				
Common Yellowthroat		Χ		
CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, AND	BUNTING	S		
Northern Cardinal	X	Х	Χ	
Rose-breasted Grosbeak		Х		
Indigo Bunting		Х	Χ	
Dickcissel		Χ		

Seasonal Occurrence Key

Sp - Spring (March through May)

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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