

Mammal Reports Needed!

The Minnesota Biological Survey is looking for **Richardson's Ground Squirrels**, **Franklin's Ground Squirrels**, **White-tailed Jackrabbits** and **American Badgers**

If you see these species, please contact us. Leave a toll-free message at **1-888-345-1730** or send an email to **MBS.Report@state.mn.us**. THANK YOU!!

**Richardson's
Ground Squirrel**



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- Tan colored, looks like a prairie dog.
- Lives in groups in prairies and pastures.
- Sits upright next to burrow and runs with its tail up.

**Franklin's
Ground Squirrel**



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- Gray head, flecked fur.
- Lives alone near marshes and forest openings.
- Secretive, stays near cover, runs with tail down.



**White-tailed
Jackrabbit**



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- Large ears and long legs.
- Tan in summer, white in winter.
- Lives in open country and croplands.

**American
Badger**



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- Short, stocky
- Powerful digger
- Preys on gophers and ground squirrels

