

Wild Bird List


Tracy Aviary: A Friend to Wild Birds

Tracy Aviary and Liberty Park provide refuge for many birds, including those of the wild. Our Feathered Friends Feeder Yard in the southeast corner encourages visits by numerous species of sparrows, chickadees, starlings and finches—some year-round. Many other wild birds are attracted to the landscaping, water features and relative safety of the Aviary. As you walk about our peaceful paradise, take note of birds beyond the exhibits to enhance your experience. Below is a list of birds found in Utah. Those sighted in Liberty Park are listed in red; those including the bird symbol have been sighted within Tracy Aviary.

Abundance Codes

C = COMMON
 F = FAIRLY COMMON
 U = UNCOMMON
 R = RARE
 O = OCCASIONAL
 A = ACCIDENTAL
 I = IRREGULAR

Status Codes


P = Permanent Resident (Found year round in the state)
 S = Summer Resident (Present in the state during the nesting season)
 W = Winter Visitant (Present in the state during January and/or February)
 T = Transient (Migrates through the state in spring and/or fall)
 = Sighted within Tracy Aviary

Swans, Geese & Ducks

- __ Fulvous Whistling-Duck A
- __ Greater White-fronted Goose RT
- __ Snow Goose CT,OW
- __ Ross's Goose FT,RW
- __ Brant A
- __ Cackling Goose RT
- __ **Canada Goose**  **CP**
- __ Trumpeter Swan RT,RW
- __ **Tundra Swan** **UT,UW**
- __ **Wood Duck**  **UP**
- __ **Gadwall**  **CS,FW**
- __ Eurasian Wigeon OT
- __ American Wigeon RS,CW
- __ American Black Duck A
- __ **Mallard**  **CP**
- __ Blue-winged Teal US
- __ **Cinnamon Teal** **CS,RW**
- __ **Northern Shoveler** **CS,FW**
- __ **Northern Pintail** **CS,UW**
- __ Garganey A
- __ **Green-winged Teal** **FS,CW**
- __ Canvasback FT,RS,RW
- __ **Redhead** **CS,UW**
- __ **Ring-necked Duck**  **RS,CW**
- __ Greater Scaup RT,RW
- __ **Lesser Scaup** **CT,RS,UW**
- __ Harlequin Duck A
- __ Surf Scoter RW
- __ White-winged Scoter RW
- __ Black Scoter OT
- __ Long-tailed Duck RW
- __ **Bufflehead** **FW**
- __ **Common Goldeneye** **CW**

- __ Barrow's Goldeneye UW
- __ **Hooded Merganser** **UW**
- __ **Common Merganser** **CT,RS,UW**
- __ Red-breasted Merganser CT
- __ **Ruddy Duck** **CP**

Pheasants, Grouse & Quail

- __ Chukar FP
- __ Gray Partridge UP
- __ Ring-necked Pheasant CP
- __ Ruffed Grouse UP
- __ Greater Sage-Grouse UP
- __ Gunnison Sage-Grouse RP
- __ White-tailed Ptarmigan RP
- __ Dusky Grouse FP
- __ Sharp-tailed Grouse UP
- __ Wild Turkey FP
- __ Scaled Quail A
- __ **California Quail**  **CP**
- __ Gambel's Quail CP

Loons

- __ Red-throated Loon A
- __ Pacific Loon RT
- __ Common Loon FT,UW
- __ Yellow-billed Loon A

Grebes

- __ **Pied-billed Grebe** **FS,UW**
- __ Horned Grebe RT
- __ Red-necked Grebe A
- __ Eared Grebe CS,UW
- __ **Western Grebe** **CS,RW**
- __ Clark's Grebe CS,RW

Pelicans & Cormorants

- __ **American White Pelican**  **CS,OW**
- __ Brown Pelican A
- __ Neotropic Cormorant A
- __ **Double-crested Cormorant**  **CS,RW**
- __ Magnificent Frigatebird A

Bitterns, Egrets & Herons

- __ American Bittern US,RW
- __ Least Bittern A
- __ **Great Blue Heron**  **CP**
- __ Great Egret US,RW
- __ **Snowy Egret** **CS**
- __ Little Blue Heron A
- __ Tricolored Heron A
- __ Reddish Egret A
- __ Cattle Egret CS
- __ Green Heron RS,OW
- __ **Black-crowned Night-Heron** **CS,UW**
- __ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron A

Ibises & Spoonbills

- __ White Ibis A
- __ Glossy Ibis O
- __ **White-faced Ibis** **CS**
- __ Roseate Spoonbill A

Storks

- __ Wood Stork A

Vultures

- __ **Turkey Vulture**  **FS**

Hawks & Falcons

__ Osprey 🦅	US
__ White-tailed Kite	A
__ Bald Eagle 🦅	RS,CW
__ Northern Harrier	FP
__ Sharp-shinned Hawk 🦅	FP
__ Cooper's Hawk	FP
__ Northern Goshawk	UP
__ Common Black-Hawk	RS
__ Red-shouldered Hawk	O
__ Broad-winged Hawk	RT
__ Gray Hawk	A
__ Swainson's Hawk	FS
__ Zone-tailed Hawk	OS
__ Red-tailed Hawk 🦅	CP
__ Ferruginous Hawk	UP
__ Rough-legged Hawk	FW
__ Golden Eagle 🦅	FP
__ American Kestrel 🦅	CP
__ Merlin 🦅	UW
__ Gyrfalcon	A
__ Peregrine Falcon	UP
__ Prairie Falcon	UP

Rails & Cranes

__ Virginia Rail	FS,UW
__ Sora	FS,RW
__ Purple Gallinule	A
__ Common Moorhen	RP
__ American Coot	CP
__ Sandhill Crane 🦢	FS

Plovers & Sandpipers

__ Black-bellied Plover	UT
__ American Golden-Plover	RT
__ Pacific Golden-Plover	A
__ Snowy Plover	FS
__ Semipalmated Plover	UT
__ Killdeer	CP
__ Mountain Plover	OS
__ Black-necked Stilt	CS
__ American Avocet	CS,RW
__ Greater Yellowlegs	FT,RW
__ Lesser Yellowlegs	FT,RW
__ Spotted Sandpiper	FS
__ Solitary Sandpiper	UT
__ Wandering Tattler	A
__ Willet	CS
__ Upland Sandpiper	A
__ Whimbrel	RT
__ Long-billed Curlew	FS
__ Hudsonian Godwit	OT
__ Marbled Godwit	CT
__ Ruddy Turnstone	RT
__ Red Knot	RT
__ Sanderling	CT,RW
__ Semipalmated Sandpiper	RT

__ Western Sandpiper	CT
__ Least Sandpiper	CT,RW
__ White-rumped Sandpiper	A
__ Baird's Sandpiper	FT
__ Pectoral Sandpiper	UT
__ Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	A
__ Dunlin	RT
__ Curlew Sandpiper	A
__ Stilt Sandpiper	RT
__ Buff-breasted Sandpiper	A
__ Ruff	A
__ Short-billed Dowitcher	RT
__ Long-billed Dowitcher	CT,RW
__ Wilson's Snipe	CS,UW
__ Wilson's Phalarope	CT,CS
__ Red-necked Phalarope	CT
__ Red Phalarope	OT

Gulls, Terns, & Alcids

__ Pomarine Jaeger	A
__ Parasitic Jaeger	A
__ Long-tailed Jaeger	O
__ Franklin's Gull	CS
__ Little Gull	A
__ Bonaparte's Gull	FT
__ Heermann's Gull	A
__ Mew Gull	OT,OW
__ Ring-billed Gull 🦅	US,CW
__ California Gull 🦅	CS,UW
__ Herring Gull	UW
__ Thayer's Gull	RW
__ Lesser Black-backed Gull	A
__ Yellow-footed Gull	A
__ Western Gull	A
__ Glaucous-winged Gull	RW
__ Glaucous Gull	RW
__ Sabine's Gull	RT
__ Black-legged Kittiwake	A
__ Least Tern	OT
__ Caspian Tern	US
__ Black Tern	UT,US
__ Common Tern	RT
__ Forster's Tern	CS
__ Ancient Murrelet	A

Doves & Pigeons

__ Rock Pigeon 🦅	CP
__ Band-tailed Pigeon	US
__ Eurasian Collared-Dove 🦅	RP
__ White-winged Dove	US
__ Mourning Dove 🦅	CS,UW
__ Inca Dove	RP
__ Common Ground-Dove	A
__ Ruddy Ground-Dove	A

Cuckoos & Roadrunners

__ Black-billed Cuckoo	A
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__ Yellow-billed Cuckoo	OS
__ Greater Roadrunner	UP

Owls

__ Barn Owl	UP
__ Flammulated Owl	US
__ Western Screech-Owl 🦉	UP
__ Great Horned Owl 🦉	CP
__ Snowy Owl	A
__ Northern Pygmy-Owl	UP
__ Elf Owl	A
__ Burrowing Owl	US,RW
__ Spotted Owl	RP
__ Great Gray Owl	A
__ Long-eared Owl	UP
__ Short-eared Owl	UP
__ Boreal Owl	O
__ Northern Saw-whet Owl	RP

Goatsuckers

__ Lesser Nighthawk	FS
__ Common Nighthawk 🦉	CS
__ Common Poorwill	CS
__ Whip-poor-will	A

Swifts

__ Black Swift	RS
__ Chimney Swift	A
__aux's Swift	RT
__ White-throated Swift	CS

Hummingbirds

__ Broad-billed Hummingbird	A
__ Magnificent Hummingbird	A
__ Ruby-throated Hummingbird	A
__ Black-chinned Hummingbird 🦅	CS
__ Anna's Hummingbird	RW
__ Costa's Hummingbird	US
__ Calliope Hummingbird	UT,RS
__ Broad-tailed Hummingbird 🦅	CS
__ Rufous Hummingbird	CT

Kingfishers

__ Belted Kingfisher 🦅	UP
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Woodpeckers

__ Lewis's Woodpecker	UP
__ Red-headed Woodpecker	A
__ Acorn Woodpecker	RP
__ Williamson's Sapsucker	US,RW
__ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	A
__ Red-naped Sapsucker	CS,RW
__ Red-breasted Sapsucker	A
__ Ladder-backed Woodpecker	FP
__ Downy Woodpecker 🦅	CP
__ Hairy Woodpecker	FP
__ American Three-toed Woodpecker	RP

__ Northern Flicker 🐦 CP

Flycatchers

__ Olive-sided Flycatcher FS
__ Western Wood-Pewee 🐦 CS
__ Willow Flycatcher FS
__ Least Flycatcher OT
__ Hammond's Flycatcher FS
__ Gray Flycatcher FS
__ Dusky Flycatcher CS
__ Cordilleran Flycatcher FS
__ Black Phoebe UP
__ Eastern Phoebe A
__ Say's Phoebe CS,UW
__ Vermilion Flycatcher R
__ Ash-throated Flycatcher FS
__ Great Crested Flycatcher A
__ Brown-crested Flycatcher RS
__ Cassin's Kingbird US
__ Western Kingbird 🐦 CS
__ Eastern Kingbird US
__ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher A

Shrikes

__ Loggerhead Shrike CP
__ Northern Shrike RW

Vireos

__ White-eyed Vireo A
__ Bell's Vireo US
__ Gray Vireo US
__ Yellow-throated Vireo A
__ Blue-headed Vireo OT
__ Plumbeous Vireo CS
__ Cassin's Vireo UT
__ Warbling Vireo 🐦 CS
__ Philidelphia Vireo A
__ Red-eyed Vireo OT

Jays & Crows

__ Gray Jay UP
__ Steller's Jay 🐦 CP
__ Blue Jay OW
__ Western Scrub-Jay 🐦 CP
__ Pinyon Jay CP
__ Clark's Nutcracker FP
__ Black-billed Magpie 🐦 CP
__ American Crow 🐦 FS,CW
__ Common Raven 🐦 CP

Larks

__ Horned Lark CP

Swallows

__ Purple Martin RS
__ Tree Swallow CS
__ Violet-green Swallow 🐦 CS

__ Northern Rough-winged Swallow CS

__ Bank Swallow CS
__ Cliff Swallow CS
__ Barn Swallow 🐦 CS

Titmice, Verdin & Bushtit

__ Black-capped Chickadee 🐦 CP
__ Mountain Chickadee CP
__ Juniper Titmouse CP
__ Verdin CP
__ Bushtit CP

Nuthatches & Creepers

__ Red-breasted Nuthatch 🐦 CP
__ White-breasted Nuthatch 🐦 FP
__ Pygmy Nuthatch FP
__ Brown Creeper UP

Wrens

__ Cactus Wren UP
__ Rock Wren CS, UW
__ Canyon Wren CP
__ Bewick's Wren CP
__ House Wren CS,RW
__ Winter Wren RW
__ Marsh Wren CS, UW

Dippers

__ American Dipper FP

Kinglets

__ Golden-crowned Kinglet UP
__ Ruby-crowned Kinglet 🐦 CP

Gnatcatchers

__ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher CS
__ Black-tailed Gnatcatcher UP

Thrushes

__ Eastern Bluebird A
__ Western Bluebird US,RW
__ Mountain Bluebird CS,UW
__ Townsend's Solitaire CP
__ Veery A
__ Swainson's Thrush FS
__ Hermit Thrush 🐦 CS,RW
__ Wood Thrush A
__ Rufous-backed Robin A
__ American Robin 🐦 CP
__ Varied Thrush OW

Thrashers

__ Gray Catbird US
__ Northern Mockingbird UP
__ Sage Thrasher CS,RW
__ Brown Thrasher OT
__ Bendire's Thrasher RS

__ Curve-billed Thrasher A

__ Crissal Thrasher UP
__ Le Conte's Thrasher A

Starlings

__ European Starling 🐦 CP

Pipits

__ American Pipit CS,UW

Waxwings & Phainopepla

__ Bohemian Waxwing IW(R-C)
__ Cedar Waxwing 🐦 US,CW
__ Phainopepla UP

Warblers

__ Blue-winged Warbler A
__ Golden-winged Warbler A
__ Tennessee Warbler OT
__ Orange-crowned Warbler CS,RW
__ Nashville Warbler UT
__ Virginia's Warbler CS
__ Lucy's Warbler CS
__ Northern Parula OT
__ Yellow Warbler 🐦 CS
__ Chestnut-sided Warbler A
__ Magnolia Warbler A
__ Cape May Warbler A
__ Black-throated Blue Warbler A
__ Yellow-rumped Warbler 🐦 CS,UW
__ Black-throated Gray Warbler CS
__ Townsend's Warbler UT
__ Hermit Warbler OT
__ Yellow-throated Warbler A
__ Grace's Warbler US
__ Pine Warbler A
__ Prairie Warbler A
__ Palm Warbler OT
__ Bay-breasted Warbler A
__ Blackpoll Warbler OT
__ Black-and-white Warbler OT
__ American Redstart RT
__ Prothonotary Warbler A
__ Worm-eating Warbler A
__ Ovenbird OT
__ Northern Waterthrush 🐦 RT
__ Louisiana Waterthrush A
__ Kentucky Warbler A
__ Connecticut Warbler A
__ MacGillivray's Warbler FS
__ Common Yellowthroat FS
__ Hooded Warbler A
__ Wilson's Warbler 🐦 US,CT
__ Canada Warbler A
__ Painted Redstart O
__ Yellow-breasted Chat FS

Tanagers

__ Summer Tanager 🇺🇸 US
__ Scarlet Tanager A
__ Western Tanager 🇫🇸 FS

Sparrows

__ Green-tailed Towhee 🇫🇸,🇦🇼 FS,OW
__ Spotted Towhee 🇨🇵 CP
__ Canyon Towhee A
__ Abert's Towhee UP
__ Cassin's Sparrow A
__ Rufous-crowned Sparrow RP
__ American Tree Sparrow UW
__ Chipping Sparrow 🇨🇸 CS
__ Clay-colored Sparrow OT
__ Brewer's Sparrow CS
__ Field Sparrow A
__ Black-chinned Sparrow US
__ vesper Sparrow CS,RW
__ Lark Sparrow CS
__ Black-throated Sparrow CS
__ Sage Sparrow UP
__ Lark Bunting RS
__ Savannah Sparrow CS,RW
__ Grasshopper Sparrow RS
__ Baird's Sparrow A
__ Le Conte's Sparrow A
__ Fox Sparrow US,OW
__ Song Sparrow 🇨🇵 CP
__ Lincoln's Sparrow CS,RW
__ Swamp Sparrow OW
__ White-throated Sparrow RW
__ Harris's Sparrow RW
__ White-crowned Sparrow 🇨🇵 CP
__ Golden-crowned Sparrow RW
__ Dark-eyed Junco 🇨🇵 CP
__ McCown's Longspur A
__ Lapland Longspur RW
__ Chestnut-collared Longspur A
__ Snow Bunting RW

Grosbeaks & Buntings

__ Northern Cardinal A
__ Rose-breasted Grosbeak OT
__ Black-headed Grosbeak 🇨🇸 CS
__ Blue Grosbeak US
__ Lazuli Bunting 🇨🇸 CS
__ Indigo Bunting RS
__ Painted Bunting A
__ Dickcissel A

Blackbirds & Orioles

__ Bobolink US
__ Red-winged Blackbird 🇨🇵 CP
__ Western Meadowlark CP
__ Yellow-headed Blackbird CS,RW
__ Rusty Blackbird A

__ Brewer's Blackbird 🇨🇵 CP
__ Common Grackle RS
__ Great-tailed Grackle UP
__ Bronzed Cowbird A
__ Brown-headed Cowbird 🇨🇸,🇦🇼 CS,RW
__ Orchard Oriole A
__ Hooded Oriole US
__ Northern Oriole 🇨🇸 CS
__ Baltimore Oriole A
__ Scott's Oriole US

Finches

__ Brambling A
__ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch IW(U-C)
__ Black Rosy-Finch UP
__ Pine Grosbeak UP
__ Purple Finch A
__ Cassin's Finch FP
__ House Finch 🇨🇵 CP
__ Red Crossbill 🇺🇸 UP
__ White-winged Crossbill IP(O-U)
__ Common Redpoll RW
__ Hoary Redpoll A
__ Pine Siskin 🇨🇵 CP
__ Lesser Goldfinch 🇫🇵 FP
__ Lawrence's Goldfinch A
__ American Goldfinch 🇨🇵 CP
__ Evening Grosbeak RS,IW(R-C)

Weaver Finches

__ House Sparrow 🇨🇵 CP