

KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Ness County, KS

GEESE, SWANS

- ___ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Cackling Goose
- ___ Canada Goose*

DUCKS

- ___ Wood Duck*
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ American Wigeon
- ___ Mallard*
- ___ Blue-winged Teal*
- ___ Cinnamon Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Northern Pintail
- ___ Green-winged Teal
- ___ Canvasback
- ___ Redhead
- ___ Ring-necked Duck
- ___ Greater Scaup
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ Bufflehead
- ___ Common Goldeneye
- ___ Common Merganser
- ___ Ruddy Duck

QUAIL

- ___ Northern Bobwhite*

PHEASANT

- ___ Ring-necked Pheasant*

GROUSE

- ___ Greater Prairie-Chicken*
- ___ Lesser Prairie-Chicken*

TURKEY

- ___ Wild Turkey

GREBES

- ___ Pied-billed Grebe
- ___ Eared Grebe

CORMORANTS

- ___ Double-crested Cormorant

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican

HERONS

- ___ Great Blue Heron
- ___ Green Heron*
- ___ Black-crowned Night-Heron

IBISES

- ___ White-faced Ibis

VULTURES

- ___ Turkey Vulture

OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- ___ Osprey
- ___ Mississippi Kite*

- ___ Bald Eagle
- ___ Northern Harrier
- ___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- ___ Cooper's Hawk
- ___ Swainson's Hawk*
- ___ Red-tailed Hawk*
- ___ Ferruginous Hawk
- ___ Rough-legged Hawk
- ___ Golden Eagle

FALCONS

- ___ American Kestrel*
- ___ Merlin
- ___ Peregrine Falcon
- ___ Prairie Falcon

RAILS, GALLINULES

- ___ American Coot

CRANES

- ___ Sandhill Crane

PLOVERS

- ___ Killdeer*

STILTS, AVOCETS

- ___ American Avocet

SANDPIPERS

- ___ Spotted Sandpiper*
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Willet
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ___ Upland Sandpiper*
- ___ Hudsonian Godwit
- ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ Baird's Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ Wilson's Phalarope

GULLS

- ___ Franklin's Gull
- ___ Ring-billed Gull

TERNs

- ___ Forster's Tern

PIGEONS, DOVES

- ___ Rock Pigeon
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- ___ Mourning Dove*

CUCKOOS

- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo

OWLS

- ___ Eastern Screech-Owl*
- ___ Great Horned Owl*
- ___ Burrowing Owl*

- ___ Long-eared Owl
- ___ Short-eared Owl*

NIGHTJARS

- ___ Common Nighthawk*

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Rufous Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher*

WOODPECKERS

- ___ Red-headed Woodpecker*
- ___ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- ___ Downy Woodpecker*
- ___ Hairy Woodpecker
- ___ Northern Flicker*

FLYCATCHERS

- ___ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ___ Willow Flycatcher
- ___ Least Flycatcher
- ___ Eastern Phoebe*
- ___ Say's Phoebe*
- ___ Great Crested Flycatcher*
- ___ Western Kingbird*
- ___ Eastern Kingbird*
- ___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher*

SHRIKES

- ___ Loggerhead Shrike*
- ___ Northern Shrike

VIREOS

- ___ Bell's Vireo*
- ___ Warbling Vireo*
- ___ Red-eyed Vireo

JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS

- ___ Blue Jay*
- ___ Black-billed Magpie*
- ___ American Crow*

LARKS

- ___ Horned Lark*

SWALLOWS

- ___ Purple Martin
- ___ Tree Swallow
- ___ N. Rough-winged Swallow
- ___ Bank Swallow
- ___ Cliff Swallow*
- ___ Barn Swallow*

CHICKADEES, TITMICE

- ___ Black-capped Chickadee*

NUTHATCHES

- ___ Red-breasted Nuthatch
- ___ White-breasted Nuthatch*

CREEPERS

___ Brown Creeper

WRENS___ Rock Wren
___ Carolina Wren
___ House Wren*
___ Winter Wren
___ Marsh Wren**GNATCATCHERS**

___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

KINGLETS___ Golden-crowned Kinglet
___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet**THRUSHES**___ Eastern Bluebird
___ Mountain Bluebird
___ Townsend's Solitaire
___ Veery
___ Gray-cheeked Thrush
___ Swainson's Thrush
___ Hermit Thrush
___ American Robin***THRASHERS**___ Northern Mockingbird*
___ Brown Thrasher***STARLINGS**

___ European Starling*

PIPITS

___ American Pipit

WAXWINGS___ Bohemian Waxwing
___ Cedar Waxwing**LONGSPURS**___ Lapland Longspur
___ Chestnut-collared Longspur
___ McCown's Longspur**WARBLERS**___ Orange-crowned Warbler
___ Nashville Warbler
___ Northern Parula
___ Yellow Warbler
___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
___ Black-throated Green Warbler
___ Blackpoll Warbler
___ American Redstart
___ Ovenbird
___ Common Yellowthroat*
___ Wilson's Warbler
___ Yellow-breasted Chat***SPARROWS**___ Spotted Towhee
___ American Tree Sparrow
___ Chipping Sparrow
___ Clay-colored Sparrow
___ Field Sparrow___ Vesper Sparrow
___ Lark Sparrow*
___ Lark Bunting*
___ Savannah Sparrow
___ Grasshopper Sparrow*
___ Song Sparrow
___ Lincoln's Sparrow
___ Swamp Sparrow
___ Harris's Sparrow
___ White-crowned Sparrow
___ Dark-eyed Junco**GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS**___ Summer Tanager
___ Northern Cardinal
___ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
___ Black-headed Grosbeak
___ Blue Grosbeak
___ Indigo Bunting
___ Dickcissel***BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES**___ Red-winged Blackbird*
___ Eastern Meadowlark*
___ Western Meadowlark*
___ Yellow-headed Blackbird
___ Brewer's Blackbird
___ Common Grackle*
___ Great-tailed Grackle
___ Brown-headed Cowbird*
___ Orchard Oriole*
___ Bullock's Oriole
___ Baltimore Oriole***FINCHES**___ House Finch*
___ Red Crossbill
___ Pine Siskin
___ American Goldfinch*
___ Evening Grosbeak**OLD WORLD SPARROWS**

___ House Sparrow*

† Fewer than ten Kansas records
[] Hypothetical species
* Documented breeding species, meeting the requirements for a Probable or Confirmed Breeder as defined by the Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project.

This list was compiled from records of the Kansas Ornithological Society, Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project, and the Kansas Biological Survey.

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Please report any birds not on this list to Max Thompson, Southwestern College, Dept of Biology, 100 College St., Winfield, KS 67156, maxt@cox.netRare birds noted with † should be reported to the Kansas Bird Records Committee (KBRC) care of Mark Land, 8447 Lamar, Overland Park, KS 66207 kestrel@land@aol.comMore information on reporting rare birds can be found at the KBRC home page on the Kansas Ornithological Society's Web site at: <http://ksbirds.org>Please report additions or errors on this list to Chuck Otte, 613 Tamerisk, Junction City, KS 66441 otte2@cox.net

196 species

The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the *Checklist of North American Birds*, 7th edition, American Ornithologists' Union, 1998, updated through the 51st Supplement, 2010, (*The Auk* 127(3):726-744, 2010).