BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES Yellow-headed Blackbird Bobolink Eastern Meadowlark Western Meadowlark Orchard Oriole Hooded Oriole* Bullock's Oriole Baltimore Oriole Scott's Oriole* Red-winged Blackbird Bronzed Cowbird* Brown-headed Cowbird Rusty Blackbird Brewer's Blackbird Common Grackle Great-tailed Grackle WARBLERS Ovenbird Worm-eating Warbler Louisiana Waterthrush Northern Waterthrush Golden-winged Warbler	American Redstart Cape May Warbler Cerulean Warbler Northern Parula Magnolia Warbler Bay-breasted Warbler Yellow Warbler Chestnut-sided Warbler Blackbournian Warbler Blackcholl Warbler Black-throated Blue Warbler Palm Warbler Pine Warbler Yellow-throated Warbler Prairie Warbler Black-throated Gray Warbler Townsend's Warbler Hermit Warbler* Black-throated Green Warbler Canada Warbler Wilson's Warbler Painted Redstart*
Orchard Oriole	Bay-breasted Warbler
Hooded Oriole*	Blackburnian Warbler
Bullock's Oriole	Vellow Warbler
Orcal-tailed Grackie	
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	Failited Redstart
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Blue-winged Warbler Black-and-white Warbler	GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS
	Hepatic Tanager*
Prothonotary Warbler	Summer Tanager
Swainson's Warbler*	Scarlet Tanager
Tennessee Warbler	Western Tanager
Orange-crowned Warbler	Northern Cardinal
Nashville Warbler	Pyrrhuloxia*
Virginia's Warbler	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Connecticut Warbler	Black-headed Grosbeak
MacGillivray's Warbler	Blue Grosbeak
Mourning Warbler	Lazuli Bunting
Kentucky Warbler	Indigo Bunting
Common Yellowthroat	Painted Bunting
Hooded Warbler	Dickcissel

The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the *Check-list of North American Birds*, 7th edition, American Ornithologists Union, 1998, updated through the 64th Supplement, 2023, *Ornithology*, 2023, 140, 1-11, 6 July 2023, https://doi.org/10.1093/ornithology/ukad023

A record for Taiga/Tundra Bean Goose (Anser fabalis/Anser serrirostris) was accepted in 2020. However, since it wasn't accepted at the species level it will not be added to the KOS Check-list at this time.

Of the 485 species documented to have occurred in Kansas as of November 2022, four species are not included in this list because they no longer occur in the state. The Passenger Pigeon and Carolina Parakeet are extinct, the Eskimo Curlew is probably extinct and the Gunnison Sage-Grouse has been extirpated from the state. Eleven species on the list, although convincingly documented, records have yet to be substantiated with physical evidence and are therefore designated as hypothetical and listed in square brackets ([]). Birds so noted, or those noted with this symbol (*) indicating less than ten confirmed records, or species not on this checklist, should be reported to the Kansas Bird Records Committee (KBRC). Physical evidence, such as recognizable photographs, video or audio recordings, is highly desirable. The procedure for reporting birds to the KBRC can be found at https://www.ksbirds.org/kos/kos_kbrc.htm.

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Date	Time				
Locality	emp Ground				
Sky Wind T	emp Ground				
Observers					
Total Species	Total Individuals				
[] Hypothetical species	* Fewer than ten records				
WHISTLING-DUCKS Black-bellied Whistling-Duck Fulvous Whistling-Duck	Sharp-tailed Grouse Greater Prairie-Chicken Lesser Prairie-Chicken Ring-necked Pheasant				
GEESE, SWANS					
Snow Goose	FLAMINGOS				
Ross's Goose	American Flamingo*				
Greater White-fronted Goos	e				
Brant	GREBES				
Cackling Goose	Pied-billed Grebe				
Canada Goose	Horned Grebe				
Trumpeter Swan Tundra Swan	Red_necked (=rehe				
Tundra Swan	Eared Grebe Western Grebe				
	Western Grebe				
DUCKS	Clark's Grebe				
Wood Duck Garganey*					
Garganey*	PIGEONS, DOVES				
Blue-winged Teal	Rock Pigeon				
Cinnamon Teal Northern Shoveler	Band-tailed Pigeon*				
Northern Shoveler	Eurasian Collared-Dove				
Gadwall Eurasian Wigeon American Wigeon	Inca Dove Common Ground-Dove White-winged Dove Mourning Dove				
Eurasian Wigeon	Common Ground-Dove				
American Wigeon	White-winged Dove				
	Mourning Dove				
Mottled Duck	CUCKOOS				
Northern Pintail	Groove-billed Ani Greater Roadrunner				
Green-winged Teal	Yellow-billed Cuckoo				
Canvasback Redhead Ring-necked Duck [Tuffed Duck]*	Black-billed Cuckoo				
Ping pocked Duck	Black-billed Cuckoo				
Tuffed Duck1*	NIGHTJARS				
Greater Scaun	[Lesser Nighthawk]*				
Lesser Scaup	Common Nighthawk				
King Fider*	Common Nighthawk Common Poorwill				
Tuffed Duck	Chuck-will's-widow Eastern Whip-poor-will [Mexican Whip-poor-will]*				
Harlequin Duck*	Eastern Whip-poor-will				
Surf Scoter	[Mexican Whip-poor-will]*				
White-winged Scoter					
Black Scoter	SWIFTS				
Long-tailed Duck	Chimney Swift White-throated Swift*				
Bufflehead	White-throated Swift*				
Common Goldeneye					
Common Goldeneye Barrow's Goldeneye Hooded Merganser	HUMMINGBIRDS				
Hooded Merganser	Mexican Violetear*				
Common Merganser	Rivoli's Humminabird*				
Red-breasted Merganser	Ruby-throated Hummingbird				
Ruddy Duck	Rlack-chinned Humminghird				
	Anna's Hummingbird				
QUAIL	Costa's Hummingbird*				
Northern Bobwhite	Allor's Hummingbird Costa's Hummingbird* Calliope Hummingbird Rufous Hummingbird				
Scaled Quail	Rutous Hummingbird				
TUDKEY COOLIGE BUEAGAST	Allen's Hummingbird*				
TURKEY, GROUSE, PHEASANT	Allen's Hummingbird* Broad-tailed Hummingbird Broad-billed Hummingbird*				
Wild Turkey Ruffed Grouse	prosa-piliea Hummingbira.				
Runea Grouse					

RAILS, GALLINULES	Parasitic Jaeger	Tricolored Heron	FALCONS	LARKS	OLD WORLD FLYCATCHERS
King Rail	Long-tailed Jaeger*	Reddish Egret*	Crested Caracara*	Horned Lark	[Northern Wheatear]*
Virginia Rail		Cattle Egret	American Kestrel		
Sora	ALCIDS	Green Heron	Merlin	SWALLOWS	OLD WORLD SPARROWS
Common Gallinule	Long-billed Murrelet*	Black-crowned Night-Heron	Gyrfalcon*_	Bank Swallow	House Sparrow
American Coot	011110	Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	Peregrine Falcon	Tree Swallow	DIDITO
Purple Gallinule	GULLS	IDIOFO	Prairie Falcon	Violet-green Swallow	PIPITS
Yellow Rail	Black-legged Kittiwake	IBISES	FLYCATOUEDO	N. Rough-winged Swallow	American Pipit
Black Rail	Sabine's Gull	White Ibis	FLYCATCHERS	Purple Martin	Sprague's Pipit
LIMPKINS	Bonaparte's Gull	Glossy Ibis	Ash-throated Flycatcher	Barn Swallow Cliff Swallow	FINCHES
Limpkin	Black-headed Gull Little Gull	White-faced Ibis Roseate Spoonbill	Great Crested Flycatcher Great Kiskadee*	Cave Swallow	Brambling*
LIIIIPKIII	Ross's Gull*	Roseate Spootibili	Piratic Flycatcher*	Cave Swallow	Evening Grosbeak
CRANES	Laughing Gull	VULTURES	Cassin's Kingbird	BUSHTITS	Pine Grosbeak
Sandhill Crane	Franklin's Gull	Black Vulture	Western Kingbird	Bushtit	[Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch]*
Common Crane*	Short-billed Gull	Black Vallare	Eastern Kingbird	Bushiit	House Finch
Whooping Crane	Ring-billed Gull	rankey value	Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	KINGLETS	Purple Finch
	California Gull	OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES,	Fork-tailed Flycatcher*	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	Cassin's Finch
STILTS, AVOCETS	Herring Gull	EAGLES	Olive-sided Flycatcher	Golden-crowned Kinglet	Common Redpoll
Black-necked Stilt	Iceland Gull	Osprey	Western Wood-Pewee		Red Crossbill
American Avocet	Lesser Black-backed Gull	White-tailed Kite*	Eastern Wood-Pewee	WAXWINGS	White-winged Crossbill
	[Glaucous-winged Gull]*	Swallow-tailed Kite	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	Bohemian Waxwing	Pine Siskin
PLOVERS	Glaucous Gull	Golden Eagle	Acadian Flycatcher	Cedar Waxwing	Lesser Goldfinch
Black-bellied Plover	Great Black-backed Gull	Northern Harrier	Alder Flycatcher		American Goldfinch
American Golden-Plover		Sharp-shinned Hawk	Willow Flycatcher	SILKY-FLYCATCHERS	
Killdeer	TERNS	Cooper's Hawk	Least Flycatcher	Phainopepla*	LONGSPURS
Semipalmated Plover	Least Tern	American Goshawk	Hammond's Flycatcher		Lapland Longspur
Piping Plover	Gull-billed Tern*	Bald Eagle	Gray Flycatcher	NUTHATCHES	Chestnut-collared Longspur
[Wilson's Plover]*	Caspian Tern	Mississippi Kite	Dusky Flycatcher	Red-breasted Nuthatch	Smith's Longspur
Mountain Plover	Black Tern	Harris's Hawk*	Western Flycatcher	White-breasted Nuthatch	Thick-billed Longspur
Snowy Plover	Common Tern	Gray Hawk*	Black Phoebe*	Pygmy Nuthatch	Snow Bunting
CANDDIDEDO	[Arctic Tern]*	Red-shouldered Hawk	Eastern Phoebe	Brown-headed Nuthatch*	
SANDPIPERS	Forster's Tern	Broad-winged Hawk	Say's Phoebe		SPARROWS
Upland Sandpiper Whimbrel	Royal Tern*	Swainson's Hawk	Vermilion Flycatcher	CREEPERS	Cassin's Sparrow
Long-billed Curlew	CKIMMEDO	Red-tailed Hawk	WIDEOG	Brown Creeper	Bachman's Sparrow*
Hudsonian Godwit	SKIMMERS	Rough-legged Hawk	VIREOS	CNATCATOUEDO	Grasshopper Sparrow
Marbled Godwit	Black Skimmer*	Ferruginous Hawk	Black-capped Vireo*	GNATCATCHERS	Black-throated Sparrow
Ruddy Turnstone	LOONS	BARN OWLS	White-eyed Vireo Bell's Vireo	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Lark Sparrow Lark Bunting
Red Knot	Red-throated Loon	Barn Owl	Gray Vireo*	WRENS	
Ruff*	Pacific Loon	Baill Owi	Yellow-throated Vireo	Rock Wren	Chipping Sparrow Clay-colored Sparrow
Stilt Sandpiper	Common Loon	OWLS	Cassin's Vireo	Canyon Wren*	Field Sparrow
Curlew Sandpiper*	Yellow-billed Loon*	[Flammulated Owl]*	Blue-headed Vireo	Bewick's Wren	Brewer's Sparrow
Red-necked Stint*	reliow-bliled Loon	Western Screech-Owl*	Plumbeous Vireo	Carolina Wren	Fox Sparrow
Sanderling	STORKS	Eastern Screech-Owl	Philadelphia Vireo	House Wren	American Tree Sparrow
Dunlin	Wood Stork	Great Horned Owl	Warbling Vireo	Pacific Wren*	Dark-eyed Junco
Purple Sandpiper*		Snowy Owl	Red-eyed Vireo	Winter Wren	Yellow-eyed Junco*
Baird's Sandpiper	FRIGATEBIRDS	Burrowing Owl		Sedge Wren	White-crowned Sparrow
Little Stint*	Magnificent Frigatebird*	Barred Owl	SHRIKES	Marsh Wren	Golden-crowned Sparrow
Least Sandpiper		Long-eared Owl	Loggerhead Shrike		Harris's Sparrow
White-rumped Sandpiper	BOOBIES	Short-eared Owl	Northern Shrike	THRASHERS	White-throated Sparrow
Buff-breasted Sandpiper	Brown Booby*	Northern Saw-whet Owl		Gray Catbird	Sagebrush Sparrow*
Pectoral Sandpiper			JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS	Curve-billed Thrasher	Vesper Sparrow
Semipalmated Sandpiper	DARTERS	KINGFISHERS	Pinyon Jay	Brown Thrasher	LeConte's Sparrow
Western Sandpiper	Anhinga	Belted Kingfisher	Steller's Jay	Sage Thrasher	Nelson's Sparrow
Short-billed Dowitcher	CODMODANTO	WOODDEOKEDO	Blue Jay	Northern Mockingbird	Baird's Sparrow
Long-billed Dowitcher	CORMORANTS	WOODPECKERS	Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay		Henslow's Sparrow
American Woodcock	Double-crested Cormorant	Lewis's Woodpecker	Mexican Jay*	STARLINGS	Savannah Sparrow
Wilson's Snipe Spotted Sandpiper	Neotropic Cormorant	Red-headed Woodpecker Red-bellied Woodpecker	Clark's Nutcracker	European Starling	Song Sparrow
Solitary Sandpiper	PELICANS	Williamson's Sapsucker*	Black-billed Magpie	TUBUCUEC	Lincoln's Sparrow
Lesser Yellowlegs	American White Pelican	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	American Crow	THRUSHES	Swamp Sparrow
Willet	Brown Pelican	Red-naped Sapsucker	Fish Crow	Eastern Bluebird	Canyon Towhee
Spotted Redshank*		Amer. Three-toed Woodpecke	r* Chihuahuan Raven Common Raven	Western Bluebird* Mountain Bluebird	Rufous-crowned Sparrow Green-tailed Towhee
Greater Yellowlegs	HERONS	Downy Woodpecker	Continuit Naven		Spotted Towhee
Wilson's Phalarope	American Bittern	Downy Woodpecker Ladder-backed Woodpecker	CHICKADEES, TITMICE	Townsend's Solitaire	Eastern Towhee
Red-necked Phalarope	Least Bittern	Hairy Woodpecker	Carolina Chickadee	Veery Gray-cheeked Thrush	Lastern rownee
Red Phalarope	Great Blue Heron	Northern Flicker	Black-capped Chickadee	Swainson's Thrush	CHATS
	Great Egret	Pileated Woodpecker	Mountain Chickadee	Hermit Thrush	Yellow-breasted Chat
JAEGERS	Snowy Egret		[Juniper Titmouse]*	Wood Thrush	I GIIGW-DIGASIGU GIIAL
Pomarine Jaeger*	Little Blue Heron		Tufted Titmouse	American Robin	
				Varied Thrush	