

# Birds of Illinois

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## Class Aves

### Order Gaviiformes

#### Family Gaviidae

*Gavia stellata* - Red-throated Loon  
*Gavia arcticus* - Arctic Loon  
(*Gavia pacifica* - Pacific Loon)  
*Gavia immer* - Common Loon  
(*Gavia adamsii* - Yellow-billed Loon)

### Order Podicipediformes

#### Family Podicipedidae

*Podilymbus podiceps* - Pied-billed Grebe ST \*  
*Podiceps auritus* - Horned Grebe  
*Podiceps grisegena* - Red-necked Grebe  
*Podiceps nigricollis* - Eared Grebe \*  
*Aechmophorus occidentalis* - Western Grebe  
(*Aechmophorus clarkii* - Clark's Grebe)

### Order Pelecaniformes

#### Family Sulidae

(*Morus Bassanus* - Northern Gannet)

#### Family Pelecanidae

*Pelecanus erythrorhynchos* - American White Pelican  
(*Pelecanus occidentalis* - Brown Pelican) FE

#### Family Phalacrocoracidae

(*Phalacrocorax brasilianus* - Neotropic (Olivaceous) Cormorant)  
*Phalacrocorax auritus* - Double-crested Cormorant \*

#### Family Anhingidae

(*Anhinga anhinga* - Anhinga)

#### Family Fregatidae

(*Fregata magnificens* - Magnificent Frigatebird)

### Order Ciconiiformes

#### Family Ardeidae

*Botaurus lentiginosus* - American Bittern SE \*  
*Ixobrychus exilis* - Least Bittern ST \*  
*Ardea herodias* - Great Blue Heron \*  
*Ardea alba* - Great Egret \*  
*Egretta thula* - Snowy Egret SE \*  
*Egretta caerulea* - Little Blue Heron SE \*  
*Egretta tricolor* - Tricolored Heron  
(*Egretta rufescens* - Reddish Egret)  
*Bubulcus ibis* - Cattle Egret \*  
*Butorides virescens* - Green Heron \*  
*Nycticorax nycticorax* - Black-crowned Night-heron SE \*  
*Nytanassa violaceus* - Yellow-crowned Night-heron SE \*

#### Family Threskiornithidae

Sub-family Threskiornithinae

(*Eudocimus albus* - White Ibis)  
(*Plegadis falcinellus* - Glossy Ibis)  
(*Plegadis chihi* - White-faced Ibis)  
Sub-family Plataleinae  
*Platalea ajaja* - Roseate Spoonbill X  
Family Ciconiidae  
(*Mycteria americana* - Wood Stork) FE  
Family Cathartidae  
*Coragyps altratus* - Black Vulture \*  
*Cathartes aura* - Turkey Vulture \*

Order Anseriformes

Family Anatidae  
Sub-family Dendrocygninae  
(*Dendrocygna bicolor* - Fulvous Whistling Duck)  
Sub-family Anserinae  
*Anser albifrons* - Greater White-fronted Goose  
*Chen caerulescens* - Snow Goose (Blue and White phases)  
*Chen rossii* - Ross's Goose  
*Branta canadensis* - Canada Goose \*  
*Branta bernicla* - Brant  
*Cygnus olor* - Mute Swan I \*  
*Cygnus buccinator* - Trumpeter Swan X \*  
*Cygnus columbianus* - Tundra Swan  
Sub-family Anatinae  
*Aix sponsa* - Wood Duck \*  
*Anas strepera* - Gadwall \*  
*Anas penelope* - Eurasian Wigeon  
*Anas americana* - American Wigeon  
*Anas rubripes* - American Black Duck \*  
*Anas platyrhynchos* - Mallard \*  
*Anas discors* - Blue-winged Teal \*  
*Anas cyanoptera* - Cinnamon Teal  
*Anas clypeata* - Northern Shoveler \*  
(*Anas bahamensis* - White-cheeked Pintail)  
*Anas acuta* - Northern Pintail \*  
(*Anas querquedula* - Garganey)  
*Anas crecca* - Green-winged Teal \*  
*Aythya valisineria* - Canvasback  
*Aythya americana* - Redhead \*  
*Aythya collaris* - Ring-necked Duck  
(*Aythya fuligula* - Tufted Duck)  
*Aythya marila* - Greater Scaup  
*Aythya affinis* - Lesser Scaup \*  
*Somateria spectabilis* - King Eider  
(*Somateria mollissima* - Common Eider)  
*Histrionicus histrionicus* - Harlequin Duck  
*Melanitta perspicillata* - Surf Scoter  
*Melanitta fusca* - White-winged Scoter  
*Melanitta nigra* - Black Scoter  
*Clangula hyemalis* - Long-tailed Duck (Oldsquaw)  
*Bucephala albeola* - Bufflehead  
*Bucephala clangula* - Common Goldeneye  
*Bucephala islandica* - Barrow's Goldeneye  
*Lophodytes cucullatus* - Hooded Merganser \*  
*Mergus merganser* - Common Merganser

Mergus serrator - Red-breasted Merganser  
Oxyura jamaicensis - Rudy Duck \*

Order Falconiformes

Family Accipitridae

Sub-family Pandioninae

Pandion haliaetus - Osprey SE \*

Sub-family Accipitrinae

Elanoides forficatus - Swallow-tailed Kite

(Elanus leucurus - White-tailed (Black-shouldered) Kite)

Ictina mississippiensis - Mississippi Kite SE \*

Haliaeetus leucocephalus - Bald Eagle ST FT \*

Circus cyaneus - Northern Harrier SE \*

Accipiter striatus - Sharp-shinned Hawk \*

Accipiter cooperii - Cooper's Hawk \*

Accipiter gentilis - Northern Goshawk

Buteo lineatus - Red-shouldered Hawk ST \*

Buteo platypterus - Broad-winged Hawk \*

Buteo swainsoni - Swainson's Hawk SE \*

Buteo jamaicensis - Red-tailed Hawk \*

Buteo regalis - Ferruginous Hawk

Buteo lagopus - Rough-legged Hawk

Aquila chrysaetos - Golden Eagle

Family Falconidae

Sub-family Falconinae

Falco sparverius - American Kestrel \*

Falco columbarius - Merlin

Falco rusticolus - Gyrfalcon

Falco peregrinus - Peregrine Falcon SE X, but reintroduced \*

Falco mexicanus - Prairie Falcon

Order Galliformes

Family Phasianidae

Sub-family Phasianinae

Perdix perdix - Gray Partridge I \*

Phasianus colchicus - Ring-necked Pheasant I \*

Sub-family Tetraoninae

Bonasa umbellus - Ruffed Grouse X, but reintroduced \*

Tympanuchus phasianellus - Sharp-tailed Grouse X \*

Tympanuchus cupido - Greater Prairie Chicken SE \*

Sub-family Meleagridinae

Meleagris gallopavo - Wild Turkey X, but reintroduced \*

Family Odontophoridae

Colinus virginianus - Northern Bobwhite \*

Order Gruiformes

Family Rallidae

Coturnicops noveboracensis - Yellow Rail

Laterallus jamaicensis - Black Rail SE \*

Rallus elegans - King Rail SE \*

Rallus limicola - Virginia Rail WL \*

Porzana carolina - Sora WL \*

Porphyrio martinica - Purple Gallinule \*

Gallinula chloropus - Common Moorhen ST \*

Fulica americana - American Coot \*

Family Gruidae

*Grus canadensis* - Sandhill Crane ST \*  
(*Grus americana* - Whooping Crane) FE

Order Charadriiformes

Family Charadriidae

*Pluvialis squatarola* - Black-bellied Plover  
*Pluvialis dominica* - American Golden-Plover  
(*Charadrius alexandrinus* - Snowy Plover)  
*Charadrius semipalmatus* - Semipalmated Plover  
*Charadrius melodus* - Piping Plover X SE FE \*  
*Charadrius vociferus* - Killdeer \*

Family Recurvirostridae

*Himantopus mexicanus* - Black-necked Stilt \*  
*Recurvirostra americana* - American Avocet

Family Scolopacidae

*Tringa melanoleuca* - Greater Yellowlegs  
*Tringa flavipes* - Lesser Yellowlegs  
*Tringa solitaria* - Solitary Sandpiper  
*Catoptrophorus semipalmatus* - Willet  
*Actitis macularia* - Spotted Sandpiper \*  
*Bartramia longicauda* - Upland Sandpiper SE \*  
*Numenius borealis* - Eskimo Curlew FE  
*Numenius phaeopus* - Whimbrel  
*Numenius americanus* - Long-billed Curlew  
*Limosa haemastica* - Hudsonian godwit  
*Limosa fedoa* - Marbled Godwit  
*Arenaria interpres* - Ruddy Turnstone  
*Calidris canutus* - Red Knot  
*Calidris alba* - Sanderling  
*Calidris pusilla* - Semipalmated Sandpiper  
*Calidris mauri* - Western Sandpiper  
*Calidris minutilla* - Least Sandpiper  
*Calidris fuscicollis* - White-rumped Sandpiper  
*Calidris bairdi* - Baird's Sandpiper  
*Calidris melanotos* - Pectoral Sandpiper  
(*Calidris acuminata* - Sharp-tailed Sandpiper)  
*Calidris maritima* - Purple Sandpiper  
*Calidris alpina* - Dunlin  
(*Calidris ferruginea* - Curlew Sandpiper)  
*Calidris himantopus* - Stilt Sandpiper  
*Tryngites subruficollis* - Buff-breasted Sandpiper  
*Philomachus pugnax* - Ruff  
*Limnodromus griseus* - Short-billed Dowitcher  
*Limnodromus scolopaceus* - Long-billed Dowitcher  
*Gallinago delicata* - Wilson's (Common) Snipe WL \*  
*Scolopax minor* - American Woodcock \*  
*Phalaropus tricolor* - Wilson's Phalarope SE \*  
*Phalaropus lobatus* - Red-necked (Northern) Phalarope  
*Phalaropus fulicarius* - Red Phalarope

Family Laridae

Sub-family Stercorariinae

*Stercorarius pomarinus* - Pomarine Jaeger  
*Stercorarius parasiticus* - Parasitic Jaeger  
*Stercorarius Longicaudis* - Long-tailed Jaeger

Sub-family Larinae

Larus atricilla - Laughing Gull  
Larus pipixcan - Franklin's Gull  
Larus minutus - Little Gull  
(Larus ridibundus - (Common) Black-headed Gull)  
Larus philadelphia - Bonaparte's Gull  
(Larus canus - Mew Gull)  
Larus delawarensis - Ring-billed Gull \*  
Larus californica - California Gull  
Larus argentatus - Herring Gull \*  
Larus thayeri - Thayer's Gull  
Larus glaucoides - Iceland Gull  
Larus fuscus - Lesser Black-backed Gull  
(Larus schistisagus - Slaty-backed Gull)  
(Larus occidentalis - Western Gull)  
(Larus glaucescens - Glaucous-winged Gull)  
Larus hyperboreus - Glaucous Gull  
Larus marinus - Great Black-backed Gull  
Xema sabini - Sabine's Gull  
Rissa tridactyla - Black-legged Kittiwake  
(Rhodostethis rosea - Ross's Gull)  
(Pagophila eburnea - Ivory Gull)

Sub-family Sterninae

(Sterna nilotica - Gull-billed Tern)  
Sterna caspia - Caspian Tern  
(Sterna maxima - Royal Tern)  
(Sterna sandvicensis - Sandwich Tern)  
Sterna hirundo - Common Tern SE \*  
(Sterna paradisaea - Arctic Tern)  
Sterna forsteri - Forster's Tern SE \*  
Sterna antillarum - Least Tern SE FE \*  
(Phaetusa simplex - Large-billed Tern)  
Chlidonias niger - Black Tern SE \*

Sub-family Rynchopinae

(Rynchops niger - Black Skimmer)

Family Alcidae

(Alle alle - Dovekie)  
(Synthliboramphus antiquus - Ancient Murrelet)

Order Columbiformes

Family Columbidae

Columba livia - Rock Dove \*  
(Columba fasciata - Band-Tailed Pigeon)  
(Streptopelia decaocto - Eurasian Collared Dove) |  
(Zenaida asiatica - White-winged Dove)  
Zenaida macroura - Mourning Dove \*  
Ectopistes migratoriu - Passenger Pigeon (†) \*  
(Columbina passerina - Common Ground-dove)

Order Psittaciformes

Family Psittacidae

Sub-family Arinae

Myiopsitta monachus - Monk Parakeet | \*  
Conuropsis carolinensis - Carolina Parakeet (†) \*

Order Cuculiformes

Family Cuculidae

Sub-family Coccyzinae

Coccyzus erythrophthalmus - Black-billed Cuckoo \*

Coccyzus americanus - Yellow-billed Cuckoo \*

Sub-family Crotophaginae

(Crotophaga sulcirofris - Groove-billed Ani)

Order Strigiformes

Family Tytonidae

Tyto alba -(Common) Barn-owl SE \*

Family Strigidae

Otus asio - Eastern Screech-owl \*

Bubo virginianus - Great Horned Owl \*

Nyctea scandiaca - Snowy Owl

Surina ulula - Northern Hawk-owl

Athene cunicularia - Burrowing Owl

Strix varia - Barred Owl \*

Asio otus - Long-eared Owl \*

Asio flammeus - Short-eared Owl SE \*

Aegolius funereus - Boreal Owl

Aegolius acadicus - Northern Saw-whet Owl \*

Order Caprimulgiformes

Family Caprimulgidae

Sub-family Chordeilinae

Chordeiles minor - Common Nighthawk \*

Sub-family Caprimulginae

Caprimulgus carolinensis - Chuck-will's-widow \*

Caprimulgus vociferus - Whip-poor-will \*

Order Apodiformes

Family Apodidae

Sub-family Chaeturinae

Chaetura pelagica - Chimney Swift \*

Family Trochilidae

Sub-family Trochilinae

Archilochus colubris - Ruby-throated Hummingbird \*

(Selasphorus platycercus - Broad-tailed Hummingbird)

(Selasphorus rufus - Rufous Hummingbird)

(Selasphorus sasin - Allen's Hummingbird)

Order Coraciiformes

Family Alcedinidae

Sub-family Cerylinae

Ceryle alcyon - Belted Kingfisher \*

Order Piciformes

Family Picidae

Sub-family Picinae

Melanerpes erythrocephalus - Red-headed Woodpecker \*

Melanerpes carolinus - Red-bellied Woodpecker \*

(Sphyrapicus thyroides - Williamson's Sapsucker)

Sphyrapicus varius - Yellow-bellied Sapsucker \*

Picoides pubescens - Downy Woodpecker \*

Picoides villosus - Hairy Woodpecker \*

(Picoides borealis - Red-cockaded Woodpecker)  
Picoides arcticus - Black-backed Woodpecker  
Colaptes auratus - Northern Flicker \*  
Dryocopus pileatus - Pileated Woodpecker \*  
Campephilus principalis - Ivory-billed Woodpecker FE X

Order Passeriformes

Family Tyrannidae

Sub-family Fluvicolinae

Contopus cooperi - Olive-sided Flycatcher  
Contopus virens - Eastern Wood-pewee \*  
Empidonax flaviventris - Yellow-bellied Flycatcher  
Empidonax virescens - Acadian Flycatcher \*  
Empidonax alnorum - Alder Flycatcher  
Empidonax traillii - Willow Flycatcher \*  
Empidonax minimus - Least Flycatcher \*  
Sayornis phoebe - Eastern Phoebe \*  
(Sayornis saya - Say's Phoebe)  
(Pyrocephalus rubinus - Vermilion Flycatcher)

Sub-family Tyranninae

(Myiarchus cinerascens - Ash-throated Flycatcher)  
Myiarchus crinitus - Great Crested Flycatcher \*  
Tyrannus verticalis - Western Kingbird \*  
Tyrannus tyrannus - Eastern Kingbird \*  
Tyrannus forficata - Scissor-tailed Flycatcher \*

Family Lanidae

Lanius ludovicianus - Loggerhead Shrike ST \*  
Lanius excubitor - Northern Shrike

Family Vireonidae

Vireo griseus - White-eyed Vireo \*  
Vireo bellii - Bell's Vireo WL \*  
Vireo flavifrons - Yellow-throated Vireo \*  
Vireo solitarius - Blue-headed (Solitary) Vireo \*  
Vireo gilvus - Warbling Vireo \*  
Vireo philadelphicus - Philadelphia Vireo  
Vireo olvaaceus - Red-eyed Vireo \*

Family Corvidae

(Cyanocitta stellari - Stellar's Jay)  
Cyanocitta cristata - Blue Jay \*  
(Aphelocoma californica - Western Scrub-jay)  
(Aphelocoma sp. Scrub Jay)  
(Nucifraga columbiana - Clark's Nutcracker)  
(Pica hudsonia - Black-billed Magpie)  
Corvus brachyrhynchos - American Crow \*  
Corvus ossifragus - Fish Crow \*  
Corvus corax - Common Raven X \*

Family Alaudidae

Eremophila alpestris - Horned Lark \*

Family Hirundinidae

Sub-family Hirundininae

Progne subis - Purple Martin \*  
Tachycineta bicolor - Tree Swallow \*  
(Tachycineta thalassina - Violet-green Swallow)  
Stelgidopteryx serripennis - Northern Rough-winged Swallow \*  
Riparia riparia - Bank Swallow \*

Petrochelidon pyrrhonota - Cliff Swallow \*  
 Hirundo rustica - Barn Swallow \*  
 Family Paridae  
 Poecile carolinensis - Carolina Chickadee \*  
 Poecile atricapilla - Black-capped Chickadee \*  
 Poecile hudsonica - Boreal Chickadee  
 Baeolophus bicolor - Tufted Titmouse \*  
 Family Sittidae  
 Sub-family Sittinae  
 Sitta canadensis - Red-breasted Nuthatch \*  
 Sitta carolinensis - White-breasted Nuthatch \*  
 (Sitta pusilla - Brown-headed Nuthatch)  
 Family Certhiidae  
 Certhia americana - Brown Creeper ST \*  
 Family Troglodytidae  
 Salpinctes obsoletus - Rock Wren  
 Thryothorus ludovicianus - Carolina Wren \*  
 Thryomanes bewickii - Bewick's Wren SE \*  
 Troglodytes aedon - House Wren \*  
 Troglodytes troglodytes - Winter Wren  
 Cistothorus platensis - Sedge Wren \*  
 Cistothorus palustris - Marsh Wren \*  
 Family Regulidae  
 Regulus satrapa - Golden-crowned Kinglet  
 Regulus calendula - Ruby-crowned Kinglet  
 Family Sylviidae  
 Sub-family Polioptilinae  
 Polioptila caerulea - Blue-gray Gnatcatcher \*  
 Family Turdidae  
 (Oenanthe oenanthe - Northern Wheatear)  
 Sialia sialis - Eastern Bluebird \*  
 (Sialia currucoides - Mountain Bluebird)  
 Myadestes townsendi - Townsend's Solitaire  
 Catharus fuscescens - Veery \*  
 Catharus minimus - Gray-cheeked Thrush  
 Catharus ustulatus - Swainson's Thrush  
 Catharus guttatus - Hermit Thrush  
 Hylocichla mustelina - Wood Thrush \*  
 Turdus migratorius - American Robin \*  
 Ixoreus naevius - Varied Thrush  
 Family Mimidae  
 Dumetella carolinensis - Gray Catbird \*  
 (Oreoscoptes montanus - Sage Thrasher)  
 Mimus polyglottos - Northern Mockingbird \*  
 Toxostoma rufum - Brown Thrasher \*  
 (Toxostoma curvirostre - Curve-billed Thrasher)  
 Family Sturnidae  
 Sturnus vulgaris - European Starling I \*  
 Family Motacillidae  
 Anthus rubescens - American (Water) Pipit  
 Anthus spragueii - Sprague's Pipit  
 Family Bombycillidae  
 Bombycilla garrulus - Bohemian Waxwing  
 Bombycilla cedrorum - Cedar Waxwing \*  
 Family Parulidae

Vermivora pinus - Blue-winged Warbler \*  
Vermivora chrysoptera - Golden-winged Warbler WL \*  
Vermivora peregrina - Tennessee Warbler  
Vermivora celata - Orange-crowned Warbler  
Vermivora ruficapilla - Nashville Warbler \*  
Parula americana - Northern Parula \*  
Dendroica petechia - Yellow Warbler \*  
Dendroica pensylvanica - Chestnut-sided Warbler \*  
Dendroica magnolia - Magnolia Warbler  
Dendroica tigrina - Cape May Warbler  
Dendroica caerulescens - Black-throated Blue Warbler  
Dendroica coronata - Yellow-rumped Warbler  
(Dendroica nigrescens - Black-throated Gray Warbler)  
Dendroica virens - Black-throated Green Warbler  
(Dendroica townsendi - Townsend's Warbler)  
Dendroica fusca - Blackburnian Warbler  
Dendroica dominica - Yellow-throated Warbler \*  
Dendroica pinus - Pine Warbler \*  
Dendroica kirtlandii - Kirtland's Warbler FE  
Dendroica discolor - Prairie Warbler \*  
Dendroica palmarum - Palm Warbler  
Dendroica castanea - Bay-breasted Warbler  
Dendroica striata - Blackpoll Warbler  
Dendroica cerulea - Cerulean Warbler WL \*  
Mniotilta varia - Black-and-white Warbler \*  
Setophaga ruticilla - American Redstart \*  
Protonotaria citrea - Prothonotary Warbler \*  
Helmitheros vermivorus - Worm-eating Warbler \*  
Limnithlypis swainsonii - Swainson's Warbler SE \*  
Seiurus aurocapillus - Ovenbird \*  
Seiurus noveboracensis - Northern Waterthrush  
Seiurus motacilla - Louisiana Waterthrush \*  
Oporornis formosus - Kentucky Warbler \*  
Oporornis agilis - Connecticut Warbler  
Oporornis philadelphia - Mourning Warbler \*  
(Oporornis tolmiei - MacGillivray's Warbler)  
Geothlypis trichas - Common Yellowthroat \*  
Wilsonia citrina - Hooded Warbler \*  
Wilsonia pusilla - Wilson's Warbler  
Wilsonia canadensis - Canada Warbler \*  
Icteria virens - Yellow-breasted Chat \*

#### Family Thraupidae

(Piranga flava - Hepatic Tanager)  
Piranga rubra - Summer Tanager \*  
Piranga olivacea - Scarlet Tanager \*  
Piranga ludoviciana - Western Tanager

#### Family Emberizidae

(Pipilo chlorurus - Green-tailed Towhee)  
(Pipilo maculatus - Spotted Towhee)  
Pipilo erythrophthalmus - Eastern Towhee \*  
(Aimophila cassinii - Cassin's Sparrow)  
Aimophila aestivalis - Bachman's Sparrow \*  
Spizella arborea - American Tree Sparrow  
Spizella passerina - Chipping Sparrow \*  
Spizella pallida - Clay-colored Sparrow \*  
(Spizella breweri - Brewer's Sparrow)

Spizella pusilla - Field Sparrow \*  
Pooecetes gramineus - Vesper Sparrow \*  
Chondestes grammacus - Lark Sparrow \*  
Calamospiza melanocorys - Lark Bunting  
(Amphispiza bilineata - Black-throated Sparrow)  
Passerculus sandwichensis - Savannah Sparrow \*  
Ammodramus savannarum - Grasshopper Sparrow \*  
Ammodramus henslowii - Henslow's Sparrow SE \*  
Ammodramus leconteii - Le Conte's Sparrow \*  
Ammodramus nelsoni - Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow  
Passerella iliaca - Fox Sparrow  
Melospiza melodia - Song Sparrow \*  
Melospiza lincolnii - Lincoln's Sparrow  
Melospiza georgiana - Swamp Sparrow \*  
Zonotrichia albicollis - White-throated Sparrow  
Zonotrichia querula - Harris's Sparrow  
Zonotrichia leucophrys - White-crowned Sparrow  
(Zonotrichia atricapilla - Golden-crowned Sparrow)  
Junco hyemalis - Dark-eyed Junco  
Calcarius lapponicus - Lapland Longspur  
Calcarius pictus - Smith's Longspur  
Calcarius ornatus - Chestnut-collared Longspur  
Plectrophenax nivalis - Snow Bunting

#### Family Cardinalidae

Cardinalis cardinalis - Northern Cardinal \*  
Pheucticus ludovicianus - Rose-breasted Grosbeak \*  
Pheucticus melanocephalus - Black-headed Grosbeak  
Passerina caerulea - Blue Grosbeak \*  
(Passerina amoena - Lazuli Bunting)  
Passerina cyanea - Indigo Bunting \*  
(Passerina amoena - Painted Bunting)  
Spiza americana - Dickcissel \*

#### Family Icteridae

Dolichonyx oryzivorus - Bobolink WL \*  
Agelaius phoeniceus - Red-winged Blackbird \*  
Sturnella magna - Eastern Meadowlark \*  
Sturnella neglecta - Western Meadowlark \*  
Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus - Yellow-headed Blackbird SE \*  
Euphagus carolinus - Rusty Blackbird  
Euphagus cyanocephalus - Brewer's Blackbird \*  
Quiscalus quiscula - Common Grackle \*  
(Quiscalus mexicanus - Great-tailed Grackle)  
Molothrus ater - Brown-headed Cowbird \*  
Icterus spurius - Orchard Oriole \*  
Icterus galbula - Baltimore Oriole \*  
(Icterus parisorum - Scott's Oriole)

#### Family Fringillidae

##### Sub-family Carduelinae

(Leucoosticte Tephrocotis - Gray-crowned Rosy-finch)  
Pinicola enucleator - Pine Grosbeak  
Carpodacus purpureus - Purple Finch  
Carpodacus mexicanus - House Finch I \*  
Loxia curvirostra - Red Crossbill \*  
Loxia leucoptera - White-winged Crossbill  
Carduelis flammea - Common Redpoll  
Carduelis hornemanni - Hoary Redpoll

Carduelis pinus - Pine Siskin \*  
Carduelis tristis - American Goldfinch \*  
Coccothraustes vespertinus - Evening Grosbeak  
Family Passeridae  
Passer montanus - Eurasian Tree Sparrow I \*  
Passer domesticus - House Sparrow I \*

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(†) = Extinct  
FE = Federally Endangered  
FT = Federally Threatened  
X = Extirpated from Illinois  
SE = Illinois State Endangered  
ST = Illinois State Threatened  
WL = Illinois Watch List  
( ) = Very Rare Vagrant  
\* = Confirmed Breeding in Illinois  
I = Introduced