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Checklist of Florida Birds

* Birds that are exceedingly rare, sometimes having only one verified record in Florida. Sightings should be reported to the Florida Ornithological Society at www.fosbirds.org

^E Birds that are *exotic*, or not native to Florida

^I Birds extirpated from Florida and reintroduced as experimental populations

^X Birds thought to be extinct in Florida, but not yet removed from the Endangered Species List

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LOONS (GAVIIDAE)

- Red-throated Loon
- Pacific Loon
- Common Loon

GREBES (PODICIPEDIDAE)

- Least Grebe *
- Pied-billed Grebe
- Horned Grebe
- Red-necked Grebe*
- Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe *

ALBATROSSES (DIOMEDEIDAE)

- Yellow-nosed Albatross*

PETRELS (PROCELLARIIDAE)

- Black-capped Petrel
- Cory's Shearwater
- Greater Shearwater
- Sooty Shearwater
- Short-tailed Shearwater *
- Manx Shearwater *
- Audubon's Shearwater

STORM PETRELS (HYDROBATIDAE)

- Wilson's Storm-Petrel
- Leach's Storm-Petrel
- Band-rumped Storm-Petrel

TROPICBIRDS (PHAETHONTIDAE)

- White-tailed Tropicbird
- Red-billed Tropicbird *

BOOBIES (SULIDAE)

- Masked Booby
- Brown Booby
- Red-footed Booby
- Northern Gannet

PELICANS (PELECANIDAE)

- American White Pelican
- Brown Pelican

CORMORANTS (PHALACROCORACIDAE)

- Double-crested Cormorant
- Great Cormorant

ANHINGAS (ANHINGIDAE)

- Anhinga

FRIGATEBIRDS (FREGATIDAE)

- Magnificent Frigatebird

HERONS & EGRETS (ARDEIDAE)

- American Bittern
- Least Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret
- Little Blue Heron
- Tricolored Heron
- Reddish Egret
- Cattle Egret
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-Heron
- Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

IBISES (THRESKIORNITHIDAE)

- White Ibis
- Glossy Ibis
- White-faced Ibis *
- Roseate Spoonbill

STORKS (CICONIIDAE)

- Wood Stork

VULTURES (CATHARTIDAE)

- Black Vulture
- Turkey Vulture

FLAMINGOES (PHOENICOPTERIDAE)

- Greater Flamingo

DUCKS, GEESE & SWANS (ANATIDAE)

- Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Snow Goose
- Ross's Goose *
- Brant
- Cackling Goose *
- Canada Goose
- Tundra Swan
- Muscovy Duck ^E
- Wood Duck
- Gadwall
- Eurasian Wigeon
- American Wigeon
- American Black Duck
- Mallard
- Mottled Duck
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- White-cheeked Pintail *
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- King Eider *
- Common Eider
- Harlequin Duck
- Surf Scoter
- White-winged Scoter
- Black Scoter
- Long-tailed Duck
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser *
- Red-breasted Merganser
- Masked Duck *

- Ruddy Duck

HAWKS, KITES & EAGLES (ACCIPITRIDAE)

- Osprey
- Swallow-tailed Kite
- White-tailed Kite
- Snail Kite
- Mississippi Kite
- Bald Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Northern Goshawk *
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Short-tailed Hawk
- Swainson's Hawk
- Zone-tailed hawk *
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Ferruginous Hawk *
- Rough-legged Hawk *
- Golden Eagle

FALCONS (FALCONIDAE)

- Crested Caracara
- Eurasian Kestrel *
- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Peregrine Falcon

TURKEY & QUAIL (PHASIANIDAE)

- Wild Turkey
- Northern Bobwhite

RAILS (RALLIDAE)

- Yellow Rail
- Black Rail
- Clapper Rail
- King Rail
- Virginia Rail
- Sora
- Purple Gallinule
- Common Moorhen
- American Coot

LIMPKINS (ARAMIDAE)

- Limpkin

CRANES (GRUIDAE)

- Sandhill Crane
- Whooping Crane ^I

PLOVERS (CHARADRIIDAE)

- Northern Lapwing *
- Black-bellied Plover
- American Golden-Plover

- Snowy Plover
- Wilson's Plover
- Semipalmated Plover
- Piping Plover
- Killdeer
- Mountain Plover *

OYSTERCATCHERS (HAEMATOPODIDAE)

- American Oystercatcher

STILTS (RECURVIROSTRIDAE)

- Black-necked Stilt
- American Avocet

SANDPIPERS (SCOLOPACIDAE)

- Greater Yellowlegs
- Lesser Yellowlegs
- Solitary Sandpiper
- Willet
- Spotted Sandpiper
- Upland Sandpiper
- Whimbrel
- Long-billed Curlew
- Black-tailed Godwit *
- Hudsonian Godwit
- Bar-tailed Godwit *
- Marbled Godwit
- Ruddy Turnstone
- Surfbird *
- Red Knot
- Sanderling
- Semipalmated Sandpiper
- Western Sandpiper
- Least Sandpiper
- White-rumped Sandpiper
- Baird's Sandpiper
- Pectoral Sandpiper
- Sharp-tailed Sandpiper *
- Purple Sandpiper
- Dunlin
- Curlew Sandpiper
- Stilt Sandpiper
- Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- Ruff
- Short-billed Dowitcher
- Long-billed Dowitcher
- Wilson's Snipe
- American Woodcock
- Wilson's Phalarope
- Red-necked Phalarope
- Red Phalarope

GULLS & TERNS (LARIDAE)

- South Polar Skua *
- Pomarine Jaeger
- Parasitic Jaeger
- Long-tailed Jaeger
- Laughing Gull
- Franklin's Gull
- Little Gull *
- Black-headed Gull *
- Bonaparte's Gull
- Heermann's Gull *
- Ring-billed Gull
- California Gull *
- Herring Gull
- Thayer's Gull *
- Iceland Gull *
- Lesser Black-backed Gull
- Slaty-backed Gull *
- Glaucous Gull
- Great Black-backed Gull
- Sabine's Gull
- Black-legged Kittiwake
- Gull-billed Tern
- Caspian Tern
- Royal Tern
- Elegant Tern *
- Sandwich Tern
- Roseate Tern
- Common Tern
- Arctic Tern
- Forster's Tern
- Least Tern
- Bridled Tern
- Sooty Tern
- Black Tern
- Brown Noddy
- Black Noddy
- Black Skimmer

ALCIDS (ALCIDAE)

- Dovekie
- Thick-billed Murre *
- Razorbill *
- Long-billed Murrelet *
- Atlantic Puffin *

DOVES (COLUMBIDAE)

- Rock Dove (e)
- Scaly-naped Pigeon *
- White-crowned Pigeon
- Band-tailed Pigeon *
- European Turtle-Dove *

- Eurasian Collared-Dove (e)
- White-winged Dove
- Zenaida Dove *
- Mourning Dove
- Common Ground-Dove
- White-tipped Dove *
- Key West Quail-Dove
- Ruddy Quail-Dove *

PARROTS (PSITTACIDAE)

- Budgerigar ^E
- Monk Parakeet ^E
- Black-hooded Parakeet ^E
- White-winged Parakeet ^E

CUCKOOS (CUCULIDAE)

- Black-billed Cuckoo
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- Mangrove Cuckoo
- Smooth-billed Ani
- Groove-billed Ani

OWLS (TYTONIDAE)

- Barn Owl
- Flammulated Owl *
- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Great Horned Owl
- Snowy Owl *
- Burrowing Owl
- Barred Owl
- Long-eared Owl *
- Short-eared Owl
- Northern Saw-whet Owl *

NIGHTJARS (CAPRIMULGIDAE)

- Lesser Nighthawk
- Common Nighthawk
- Antillean Nighthawk
- Chuck-will's-widow
- Whip-poor-will

SWIFTS (APODIDAE)

- White-collared Swift *
- Chimney Swift
- Vaux's Swift *
- Antillean Palm-Swift *

HUMMINGBIRDS (TROCHILIDAE)

- Broad-billed Hummingbird *
- Buff-bellied Hummingbird
- Bahama Woodstar *
- Black-chinned Hummingbird
- Anna's Hummingbird *
- Calliope Hummingbird *
- Broad-tailed Hummingbird *

- Rufous Hummingbird
- Allen's Hummingbird *

KINGFISHERS (ALCEDINIDAE)

- Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS (PICIDAE)

- Red-headed Woodpecker
- Golden-fronted Woodpecker *
- Red-bellied Woodpecker
- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Hairy Woodpecker
- Red-cockaded Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker
- Pileated Woodpecker
- Ivory-billed Woodpecker ^X

FLYCATCHERS (TYRANNIDAE)

- Olive-sided Flycatcher
- Western Wood-Pewee *
- Eastern Wood-Pewee
- Cuban Pewee *
- Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- Acadian Flycatcher
- Alder Flycatcher
- Willow Flycatcher
- Least Flycatcher
- Black Phoebe *
- Eastern Phoebe
- Say's Phoebe *
- Vermilion Flycatcher
- Ash-throated Flycatcher
- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Brown-crested Flycatcher
- La Sagra's Flycatcher
- Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher *
- Tropical Kingbird *
- Cassin's Kingbird *
- Western Kingbird
- Eastern Kingbird
- Gray Kingbird
- Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
- Fork-tailed Flycatcher

SHRIKES (LANIIDAE)

- Loggerhead Shrike

VIREOS (VIREONIDAE)

- White-eyed Vireo
- Thick-billed Vireo *
- Bell's Vireo
- Yellow-throated Vireo
- Blue-headed Vireo

- Warbling Vireo
- Philadelphia Vireo
- Red-eyed Vireo
- Yellow-green Vireo *
- Black-whiskered Vireo

CROWS & JAYS (CORVIDAE)

- Blue Jay
- Florida Scrub-Jay
- American Crow
- Fish Crow

LARKS (ALAUDIDAE)

- Horned Lark

MARTINS & SWALLOWS (HIRUNDINIDAE)

- Purple Martin
- Cuban Martin *
- Southern Martin *
- Tree Swallow
- Mangrove Swallow *
- Bahama Swallow *
- Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- Bank Swallow
- Cliff Swallow
- Cave Swallow
- Barn Swallow

CHICKADEES (PARIDAE)

- Carolina Chickadee
- Tufted Titmouse

NUTHATCHES (SITTIDAE)

- Red-breasted Nuthatch
- White-breasted Nuthatch
- Brown-headed Nuthatch

CREEPERS (CERTHIIDAE)

- Brown Creeper

WRENS (TROGLODYTIDAE)

- Rock Wren *
- Carolina Wren
- Bewick's Wren *
- House Wren
- Winter Wren
- Sedge Wren
- Marsh Wren

BULBULS (PYCNONOTIDAE)

- Red-whiskered Bulbul ^E

KINGLETS (REGULIDAE)

- Golden-crowned Kinglet
- Ruby-crowned Kinglet

GNATCATCHERS (SYLVIIDAE)

- Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

THRUSHES (TURDIDAE)

- Northern Wheatear *
- Eastern Bluebird
- Mountain Bluebird *
- Veery
- Gray-cheeked Thrush
- Bicknell's Thrush
- Swainson's Thrush
- Hermit Thrush
- Wood Thrush
- American Robin
- Varied Thrush *

MIMID THRUSHES (MIMIDAE)

- Gray Catbird
- Northern Mockingbird
- Bahama Mockingbird
- Sage Thrasher *
- Brown Thrasher
- Curve-billed Thrasher *

STARLINGS (STURNIDAE)

- European Starling ^E

PIPITS (MOTACILLIDAE)

- American Pipit
- Sprague's Pipit

WAXWINGS (BOMBYCILLIDAE)

- Cedar Waxwing

WARBLERS (PARULIDAE)

- Bachman's Warbler ^X
- Blue-winged Warbler
- Golden-winged Warbler
- Tennessee Warbler
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Nashville Warbler
- Northern Parula
- Yellow Warbler
- Chestnut-sided Warbler
- Magnolia Warbler
- Cape May Warbler
- Black-throated Blue Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Black-throated Gray Warbler
- Golden-cheeked Warbler *
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Townsend's Warbler
- Blackburnian Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Pine Warbler
- Kirtland's Warbler *
- Prairie Warbler
- Palm Warbler

- Bay-breasted Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- Cerulean Warbler
- Black-and-white Warbler
- American Redstart
- Prothonotary Warbler
- Worm-eating Warbler
- Swainson's Warbler
- Ovenbird
- Northern Waterthrush
- Louisiana Waterthrush
- Kentucky Warbler
- Connecticut Warbler
- Mourning Warbler
- MacGillivray's Warbler *
- Common Yellowthroat
- Hooded Warbler
- Wilson's Warbler
- Canada Warbler
- Yellow-breasted Chat

BANANAQUITS (COEREBIDAE)

- Bananaquit

TANAGERS (THRAUPIDAE)

- Summer Tanager
- Scarlet Tanager
- Western Tanager
- Western Spindalis

SPARROWS & ALLIES (EMBERIZIDAE)

- Yellow-faced Grassquit *
- Black-faced Grassquit *
- Green-tailed Towhee *
- Spotted Towhee *
- Eastern Towhee
- Bachman's Sparrow
- American Tree Sparrow *
- Chipping Sparrow
- Clay-colored Sparrow
- Field Sparrow
- Vesper Sparrow
- Lark Sparrow
- Black-throated Sparrow *
- Lark Bunting *
- Savannah Sparrow
- Grasshopper Sparrow
- Henslow's Sparrow
- Le Conte's Sparrow
- Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow
- Saltmarsh Sharp-tailed Sparrow
- Seaside Sparrow

- Fox Sparrow
- Song Sparrow
- Lincoln's Sparrow
- Swamp Sparrow
- White-throated Sparrow
- Harris's Sparrow *
- White-crowned Sparrow
- Dark-eyed Junco
- Lapland Longspur
- Chestnut-collared Longspur *
- Snow Bunting

GROSBEAKS & BUNTINGS (CARDINALIDAE)

- Northern Cardinal
- Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- Black-headed Grosbeak
- Blue Grosbeak
- Lazuli Bunting *
- Indigo Bunting
- Painted Bunting
- Dickcissel

BLACKBIRDS & ORIOLES (ICTERIDAE)

- Bobolink
- Red-winged Blackbird
- Tawny-shouldered Blackbird *
- Eastern Meadowlark
- Western Meadowlark *
- Yellow-headed Blackbird
- Rusty Blackbird
- Brewer's Blackbird
- Common Grackle
- Boat-tailed Grackle
- Shiny Cowbird
- Bronzed Cowbird
- Brown-headed Cowbird
- Orchard Oriole
- Hooded Oriole *
- Bullock's Oriole *
- Spot-breasted Oriole ^E
- Baltimore Oriole

FINCHES (FRINGILLIDAE)

- Purple Finch
- House Finch ^E
- Red Crossbill *
- Pine Siskin
- American Goldfinch
- Evening Grosbeak

OLD WORLD SPARROWS (PASSERIDAE)

- House Sparrow ^E