

Bird Species Occurring on or near Willapa National Wildlife Refuge

COMMON NAME/SCIENTIFIC NAME

Key: T = Threatened Species, E = Endangered Species, * = Known to nest in checklist area.

Loons

Red throated loon *Gavia stellata*
Pacific loon *Gavia pacifica*
Common loon *Gavia immer*

Grebes

Red-necked grebe *Podiceps grisegena*
Horned grebe *Podiceps auritus*
* Pied-billed grebe *Podilymbus podiceps*
Western grebe *Aechmophorus occidentalis*

Shearwaters

Black-footed albatross *Phoebastria nigripes*
Northern fulmar *Fulmarus glacialis*
Buller's shearwater *Puffinus bulleri*
Pink-footed shearwater *Puffinus creatopus*
Manx shearwater *Puffinus puffinus*
Short-tailed shearwater *Puffinus tenuirostris*
Sooty shearwater *Puffinus griseus*

Storm-petrels

Leach's storm-petrel *Oceanodroma leucorhoa*
Fork-tailed storm petrel *Oceanodroma furcata*

Pelicans and cormorants

Brown pelican *Pelecanus occidentalis*
* Double-crested cormorant *Phalacrocorax auritus*
* Pelagic cormorant *Phalacrocorax pelagicus*
* Brandt's cormorant *Phalacrocorax penicillatus*

Bitterns, herons and egrets

* American bittern *Botaurus lentiginosus*
* Great blue heron *Ardea herodias*
Great egret *Ardea alba*
* Green heron *Butorides virescens*

Ducks, geese and swans

Trumpeter swan *Cygnus buccinator*
Tundra swan *Cygnus columbianus*
* Canada goose *Branta canadensis*
Cackling goose *Branta hutchinsii*
Brant *Branta bernicla*
Greater white-fronted goose *Anser albifrons*
Emperor goose *Chen canagica*
Ross's goose *Chen rossii*
Snow goose *Chen caerulescens*
* Wood duck *Aix sponsa*
* Mallard *Anas platyrhynchos*
Gadwall *Anas strepera*
Northern pintail *Anas acuta*
American wigeon *Anas americana*
Eurasian wigeon *Anas penelope*
Northern shoveler *Anas clypeata*
* Cinnamon teal *Anas cyanoptera*
Blue-winged teal *Anas discors*
Green-winged teal *Anas crecca*
Canvasback *Aythya valisineria*

Ring-necked duck *Aythya collaris*
Greater scaup *Aythya marila*
Lesser scaup *Aythya affinis*
Harlequin duck *Histrionicus histrionicus*
Long-tailed duck *Clangula hyemalis*
Surf scoter *Melanitta perspicillata*
Black scoter *Melanitta americana*
White-winged scoter *Melanitta fusca*
Common goldeneye *Bucephala clangula*
Bufflehead *Bucephala albeola*
* Hooded merganser *Lophodytes cucullatus*
* Common merganser *Mergus merganser*
Red-breasted merganser *Mergus serrator*
Ruddy duck *Oxyura jamaicensis*

Vultures

* Turkey vulture *Cathartes aura*

Kites, hawks, eagles, and osprey

* Northern harrier *Circus cyaneus*
* White-tailed kite *Elanus leucurus*
Sharp-shinned hawk *Accipiter striatus*
* Cooper's hawk *Accipiter cooperii*
Northern goshawk *Accipiter gentilis*
Red-shouldered hawk *Buteo lineatus*
* Red-tailed hawk *Buteo jamaicensis*
Rough-legged hawk *Buteo lagopus*
* Bald eagle *Haliaeetus leucocephalus*
* Osprey *Pandion haliaetus*

Falcons

* Merlin *Falco columbarius*
American kestrel *Falco sparverius*
Gyr Falcon *Falco rusticolus*
* Peregrine falcon *Falco peregrinus*

Gallinaceous birds

* Northern bobwhite *Colinus virginianus*
* Ring-necked pheasant *Phasianus colchicus*
* Sooty grouse *Dendragapus fuliginosus*
* Ruffed grouse *Bonasa umbellus*
Wild turkey *Meleagris gallopavo*

Rails

American coot *Fulica americana*
* Virginia rail *Rallus limicola*
Sora *Porzana Carolina*

Plovers

Black-bellied plover *Pluvialis squatarola*
Pacific golden-plover *Pluvialis fulva*
American golden-plover *Pluvialis dominica*
Semipalmated plover *Charadrius semipalmatus*
(T) * Western snowy plover *Charadrius nivosus*
* Killdeer *Charadrius vociferous*

Oystercatchers

Black oystercatcher *Haematopus bachmani*

Shorebirds

Greater yellowlegs *Tringa melanoleuca*
Lesser yellowlegs *Tringa flavipes*
Willet *Tringa semipalmata*
Spotted sandpiper *Actitis macularius*
Whimbrel *Numenius phaeopus*
Long-billed curlew *Numenius americanus*
Bar-tailed godwit *Limosa lapponica*
Marbled godwit *Limosa fedoa*
Ruddy turnstone *Arenaria interpres*
Black turnstone *Arenaria melanocephala*
Wandering tattler *Tringa incana*
Surfbird *Aphriza virgata*
Rock sandpiper *Calidris ptilocnemis*
Red knot *Calidris canutus*
Sanderling *Calidris alba*
Dunlin *Calidris alpina*
Pectoral sandpiper *Calidris melanotos*
Sharp-tailed sandpiper *Calidris acuminata*
Baird's sandpiper *Calidris bairdii*
Western sandpiper *Calidris mauri*
Semipalmated sandpiper *Calidris pusilla*
Least sandpiper *Calidris minutilla*
Ruff *Philomachus pugnax*
Stilt sandpiper *Calidris himantopus*
Long-billed dowitcher *Limnodromus scolopaceus*
Short-billed dowitcher *Limnodromus griseus*
Buff-breasted sandpiper *Tryngites subruficollis*
Wilson's snipe *Gallinago delicata*

Phalaropes

Wilson's phalarope *Phalaropus tricolor*
Red-necked phalarope *Phalaropus lobatus*
Red phalarope *Phalaropus fulicarius*

Jaegers

Long-tailed jaeger *Stercorarius longicaudus*
Parasitic jaeger *Stercorarius parasiticus*
Pomarine jaeger *Stercorarius pomarinus*

Gulls and terns

Bonaparte's gull *Chroicocephalus philadelphia*
Mew gull *Larus canus*
* Ring-billed gull *Larus delawarensis*
California gull *Larus californicus*
Herring gull *Larus argentatus*
Thayer's gull *Larus thayeri*
Glaucous gull *Larus hyperboreus*
* Glaucous-winged gull *Larus glaucescens*
* Western gull *Larus occidentalis*
Heermann's gull *Larus heermanni*
Sabine's gull *Xema sabini*
Black-legged kittiwake *Rissa tridactyla*

* Caspian tern *Hydroprogne caspia*
Common tern *Sterna hirundo*
Arctic tern *Sterna paradisaea*

Alcids

Common murre *Uria aalge*
* Pigeon guillemot *Cephus columba*
(T) * Marbled murrelet *Brachyramphus marmoratus*
Cassin's auklet *Ptychoramphus aleuticus*
Rhinoceros auklet *Cerorhinca monocerata*
Tufted puffin *Fratercula cirrhata*

Doves

* Rock dove *Columba livia*
* Band-tailed pigeon *Patagioenas fasciata*
Eurasian collared-dove *Streptopelia decaocto*
Mourning dove *Zenaida macroura*

Owls

* Barn owl *Tyto alba*
* Western screech owl *Megascops kennicottii*
* Great horned owl *Bubo virginianus*
Snowy owl *Bubo scandiacus*
* Northern pygmy-owl *Glaucidium gnoma*
(T) Northern spotted owl *Strix occidentalis caurina*
* Barred owl *Strix varia*
Short-eared owl *Asio flammeus*
* Northern saw-whet owl *Aegolius acadicus*

Nighthawks

* Common nighthawk *Chordeiles minor*

Swifts

* Vaux's swift *Chaetura vauxi*

Hummingbirds

Anna's hummingbird *Calypte anna*
* Rufous hummingbird *Selasphorus rufus*

Kingfishers

* Belted kingfisher *Megaceryle alcyon*

Piciformes (woodpeckers)

* Red-breasted sapsucker *Sphyrapicus ruber*
* Downy woodpecker *Picoides pubescens*
* Hairy woodpecker *Picoides villosus*
* Northern flicker *Colaptes auratus*
* Pileated woodpecker *Dryocopus pileatus*

Flycatchers

* Olive-sided flycatcher *Contopus cooperi*
* Western wood-pewee *Contopus sordidulus*
* Willow flycatcher *Empidonax traillii*
Hammond's flycatcher *Empidonax hammondi*
* Pacific-slope flycatcher *Empidonax difficilis*
Ash-throated flycatcher *Myiarchus cinerascens*

Shrikes

Northern shrike *Lanius excubitor*

Vireos

Cassin's Vireo *Vireo cassinii*

* Hutton's vireo *Vireo huttoni*

* Warbling vireo *Vireo gilvus*

Jays and crows

* Gray jay *Perisoreus canadensis*

* Steller's jay *Cyanocitta stelleri*

* Western scrub-jay *Aphelocoma californica*

* American crow *Corvus brachyrhynchos*

* Common raven *Corvus corax*

Larks

* Streaked horned lark *Eremophila alpestris strigata*

Swallows

* Purple martin *Progne subis*

* Tree swallow *Tachycineta bicolor*

* Violet-green swallow *Tachycineta thalassina*

* Northern rough-winged swallow *Stelgidopteryx serripennis*

* Cliff swallow *Petrochelidon pyrrhonota*

* Barn swallow *Hirundo rustica*

Chickadees and allies

* Black-capped chickadee *Poecile atricapillus*

* Chestnut-backed chickadee *Poecile rufescens*

* Bushtit *Psaltriparus minimus*

Nuthatches and creepers

* Red-breasted nuthatch *Sitta canadensis*

* Brown creeper *Certhia americana*

Wrens

* Bewick's wren *Thryomanes bewickii*

* Pacific wren *Troglodytes pacificus*

* Marsh wren *Cistothorus palustris*

Kinglets

* Golden-crowned kinglet *Regulus satrapa*

Ruby-crowned kinglet *Regulus calendula*

Bluebirds and thrushes

Western bluebird *Sialia mexicana*

Townsend's solitaire *Myadestes townsendi*

* Swainson's thrush *Catharus ustulatus*

Hermit thrush *Catharus guttatus*

* American robin *Turdus migratorius*

* Varied thrush *Ixoreus naevius*

Starlings and mynas

* European starling *Sturnus vulgaris*

Wagtails and pipits

American pipit *Anthus rubescens*

Waxwings

* Cedar waxwing *Bombycilla cedrorum*

Warblers

* Orange-crowned warbler *Oreothlypis celata*

* Yellow warbler *Dendroica petechia*

* Yellow-rumped warbler *Dendroica coronata*

* Black-throated gray warbler *Dendroica nigrescens*

Townsend warbler *Dendroica townsendi*

Hermit warbler *Dendroica occidentalis*

Palm warbler *Dendroica palmarum*

Macgillivray's warbler *Oporornis tolmiei*

* Common yellowthroat *Geothlypis trichas*

* Wilson's warbler *Wilsonia pusilla*

Tanagers

* Western tanager *Piranga ludoviciana*

Towhees and sparrows

* Spotted towhee *Pipilo maculatus*

Chipping sparrow *Spizella passerina*

* Savannah sparrow *Passerculus sandwichensis*

Fox sparrow *Passerella iliaca*

* Song sparrow *Melospiza melodia*

Lincoln's sparrow *Melospiza lincolnii*

White-throated sparrow *Zonotrichia albicollis*

Golden-crowned sparrow *Zonotrichia atricapilla*

* White-crowned sparrow *Zonotrichia leucophrys*

* Dark-eyed junco *Junco hyemalis*

Lapland longspur *Calcarius lapponicus*

Snow bunting *Plectrophenax nivalis*

Grosbeaks and buntings

* Black-headed grosbeak *Pheucticus melanocephalus*

Blackbirds, meadowlarks and orioles

* Red-winged blackbird *Agelaius phoeniceus*

* Western meadowlark *Sturnella neglecta*

* Brewer's blackbird *Euphagus cyanocephalus*

* Brown-headed cowbird *Molothrus ater*

Finches

Evening grosbeak *Coccothraustes vespertinus*

* Purple finch *Carpodacus purpureus*

* House finch *Carpodacus mexicanus*

* Red crossbill *Loxia curvirostra*

* Pine siskin *Carduelis pinus*

* American goldfinch *Spinus tristis*

Old world sparrows

* House sparrow *Passer domesticus*

Birds Recorded in the Willapa National Wildlife Refuge Area Five Times or Less and considered Accidentals.

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Laysan albatross *Phoebastria immutabilis*
Flesh-footed shearwater *Puffinus carneipes*
Magnificent frigatebird *Fregata magnificens*
Snowy egret *Egretta thula*
Cattle egret *Bubulcus ibis*
Falcated duck *Anas falcata*
Redhead *Aythya americana*
Tufted duck *Aythya fuligula*
Barrow's goldeneye *Bucephala islandica*
Hudsonian godwit *Limosa haemastica*
Ancient murrelet *Synthliboramphus antiquus*
Horned puffin *Fratercula corniculata*
Long-eared owl *Asio otus*
Eastern phoebe *Sayornis phoebe*
Mountain bluebird *Sialia currucoides*
Rose-breasted grosbeak *Pheucticus ludovicianus*