

THE AVIFAUNA OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY

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This list includes the bird species recorded in Los Angeles County, California through September 2025, including 535 species known to have occurred naturally as well as fifteen introduced bird species with long-term naturalized populations in the County accepted to the CBRC's California list. It also contains eight additional introduced bird species with long-term naturalized populations in the county (but not yet accepted by the CBRC), and one species on the CBRC's supplemental list; these are not included in the totals. The list includes offshore waters within 200 miles of land for which the nearest point of land is within Los Angeles County (including San Clemente and Santa Catalina Islands). Taxonomy and nomenclature follow that of the American Ornithological Society (formerly American Ornithologists' Union), through the 66th supplement to the A.O.S. checklist (July 2025). Symbols are explained at the end of the list.

ANSERIFORMES

Anatidae - Swans, Geese, and Ducks

Black-bellied Whistling-Duck, *Dendrocygna autumnalis****#

Fulvous Whistling-Duck *Dendrocygna bicolor***#

Snow Goose *Anser caerulescens*

Ross's Goose *Anser rossii*

Greater White-fronted Goose *Anser albifrons*

Tundra Bean-Goose *Anser serrirostris****#

Cackling Goose *Branta hutchinsii*

Canada Goose *Branta canadensis*

Brant *Branta bernicla*

Trumpeter Swan *Cygnus buccinator**

Tundra Swan *Cygnus columbianus*

[Egyptian Goose *Alopochen aegyptiaca* – i]

Wood Duck *Aix sponsa*

Garganey *Spatula querquedula* ***#

Blue-winged Teal *Spatula discors*

Cinnamon Teal *Spatula cyanoptera*

Northern Shoveler *Spatula clypeata*

Gadwall *Mareca strepera*

Eurasian Wigeon *Mareca penelope**

American Wigeon *Mareca americana*

Mallard *Anas platyrhynchos*

Mexican Duck, *Anas diazi****#

Northern Pintail *Anas acuta*

Green-winged Teal *Anas crecca*

Canvasback *Aythya valisineria*
Redhead *Aythya americana*
Ring-necked Duck *Aythya collaris*
Tufted Duck *Aythya fuligula***
Greater Scaup *Aythya marila*
Lesser Scaup *Aythya affinis*
King Eider *Somateria spectabilis***#
Harlequin Duck *Histrionicus histrionicus**
Surf Scoter *Melanitta perspicillata*
White-winged Scoter *Melanitta deglandi*
Black Scoter *Melanitta americana*
Long-tailed Duck *Clangula hyemalis**
Bufflehead *Bucephala albeola*
Common Goldeneye *Bucephala clangula*
Barrow's Goldeneye *Bucephala islandica***
Hooded Merganser *Lophodytes cucullatus*
Common Merganser *Mergus merganser*
Red-breasted Merganser *Mergus serrator*
Ruddy Duck *Oxyura jamaicensis*

GALLIFORMES

Odontophoridae - New World Quail

Mountain Quail *Oreortyx pictus*
California Quail *Callipepla californica*
Gambel's Quail *Callipepla gambelii* - I

Phasianidae - Partridges, Grouse, and Turkeys

[Indian Peafowl *Pavo cristatus* - i]
Chukar *Alectoris chukar* - I

PODICIPEDIFORMES

Podicipedidae - Grebes

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

COLUMBIFORMES

Columbidae - Pigeons and Doves

Inca Dove *Columbina inca*
Common Ground Dove *Columbina passerina**
Ruddy Ground Dove *Columbina talpacoti***
White-winged Dove *Zenaida asiatica*
Mourning Dove *Zenaida macroura*

Band-tailed Pigeon *Patagioenas fasciata*
Spotted Dove *Spilopelia chinensis* - I
Eurasian Collared-Dove *Streptopelia decaocto* - I
Rock Pigeon *Columba livia* - I

CUCULIFORMES

Cuculidae - Cuckoos, Roadrunners, and Anis

Groove-billed Ani *Crotophaga sulcirostris***#
Greater Roadrunner *Geococcyx californianus*
Yellow-billed Cuckoo *Coccyzus americanus**

CAPRIMULGIFORMES

Caprimulgidae - Goatsuckers

Lesser Nighthawk *Chordeiles acutipennis*
Common Nighthawk *Chordeiles minor***
Common Poorwill *Phalaenoptilus nuttallii*
Mexican Whip-poor-will *Antrostomus arizonae**

APODIFORMES

Apodidae - Swifts

Black Swift *Cypseloides niger*
Chimney Swift *Chaetura pelagica**
Vaux's Swift *Chaetura vauxi*
White-throated Swift *Aeronautes saxatalis*

Trochilidae - Hummingbirds

Ruby-throated Hummingbird *Archilochus colubris***#
Black-chinned Hummingbird *Archilochus alexandri*
Anna's Hummingbird *Calypte anna*
Costa's Hummingbird *Calypte costae*
Calliope Hummingbird *Selasphorus calliope*
Rufous Hummingbird *Selasphorus rufus*
Allen's Hummingbird *Selasphorus sasin*
Broad-tailed Hummingbird *Selasphorus platycercus***
Broad-billed Hummingbird *Cynanthus latirostris***
Violet-crowned Hummingbird *Ramosomyia violiceps***#

GRUIFORMES

Gruidae - Cranes

Sandhill Crane *Antigone canadensis**

Rallidae - Rails, Gallinules, and Coots

Ridgway's Rail *Rallus obsoletus**
Virginia Rail *Rallus limicola*
Purple Gallinule *Porphyrio martinicus***#
Yellow Rail *Coturnicops noveboracensis***
Black Rail *Laterallus jamaicensis***
Sora *Porzana carolina*

Common Gallinule *Gallinula galeata*
American Coot *Fulica americana*

CHARADRIIFORMES

Recurvirostridae - Stilts and Avocets

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

Haematopodidae - Oystercatchers

American Oystercatcher *Haematopus palliatus**
Black Oystercatcher *Haematopus bachmani*

Charadriidae - Plovers and Lapwings

Black-bellied Plover *Pluvialis squatarola*
American Golden-Plover *Pluvialis dominica**
Pacific Golden-Plover *Pluvialis fulva*
Killdeer *Charadrius vociferus*
Semipalmated Plover *Charadrius semipalmatus*
Piping Plover *Charadrius melodus***#
Wilson's Plover *Anarhynchus wilsonia***#
Mountain Plover *Anarhynchus montanus*
Snowy Plover *Anarhynchus nivosus*

Scolopacidae - Sandpipers

Upland Sandpiper *Bartramia longicauda***#
Whimbrel *Numenius phaeopus*
Long-billed Curlew *Numenius americanus*
Bar-tailed Godwit *Limosa lapponica***
Hudsonian Godwit *Limosa haemastica***
Marbled Godwit *Limosa fedoa*
Ruddy Turnstone *Arenaria interpres*
Black Turnstone *Arenaria melanocephala*
Red Knot *Calidris canutus*
Surfbird *Calidris virgata*
Ruff *Calidris pugnax**
Sharp-tailed Sandpiper *Calidris acuminata***
Stilt Sandpiper *Calidris himantopus**
Curlew Sandpiper *Calidris ferruginea***#
Red-necked Stint *Calidris ruficollis***#
Sanderling *Calidris alba*
Dunlin *Calidris alpina*
Rock Sandpiper *Calidris ptilocnemis***
Baird's Sandpiper *Calidris bairdii*
Little Stint *Calidris minuta* **#
Least Sandpiper *Calidris minutilla*
White-rumped Sandpiper *Calidris fuscicollis***#
Buff-breasted Sandpiper *Calidris subruficollis***
Pectoral Sandpiper *Calidris melanotos*
Semipalmated Sandpiper *Calidris pusilla*

Western Sandpiper *Calidris mauri*
Short-billed Dowitcher *Limnodromus griseus*
Long-billed Dowitcher *Limnodromus scolopaceus*
Wilson's Snipe *Gallinago delicata*
Spotted Sandpiper *Actitis macularius*
Solitary Sandpiper *Tringa solitaria*
Gray-tailed Tattler *Tringa brevipes****
Wandering Tattler *Tringa incana*
Lesser Yellowlegs *Tringa flavipes*
Willet *Tringa semipalmata*
Greater Yellowlegs *Tringa melanoleuca*
Wilson's Phalarope *Phalaropus tricolor*
Red-necked Phalarope *Phalaropus lobatus*
Red Phalarope *Phalaropus fulicarius*

Stercorariidae - Skuas

South Polar Skua *Stercorarius maccormicki*
Pomarine Jaeger *Stercorarius pomarinus*
Parasitic Jaeger *Stercorarius parasiticus*
Long-tailed Jaeger *Stercorarius longicaudus*

Alcidae - Auks, Murres, and Puffins

Common Murre *Uria aalge*
Thick-billed Murre *Uria lomvia****
Pigeon Guillemot *Cephus columba*
Marbled Murrelet *Brachyramphus marmoratus**
Scripps's Murrelet *Synthliboramphus scrippsi*
Guadalupe Murrelet *Synthliboramphus hypoleucus**
Craveri's Murrelet *Synthliboramphus craveri*
Ancient Murrelet *Synthliboramphus antiquus**
Cassin's Auklet *Ptychoramphus aleuticus*
Parakeet Auklet *Aethia psittacula***
Rhinoceros Auklet *Cerorhinca monocerata*
Horned Puffin *Fratercula corniculata***
Tufted Puffin *Fratercula cirrhata* **

Laridae - Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers

Sooty Tern *Onychoprion fuscatus* ***# [pending CBRC acceptance]
Least Tern *Sternula antillarum*
Gull-billed Tern *Gelochelidon nilotica***
Caspian Tern *Hydroprogne caspia*
Black Tern *Chlidonias niger*
Common Tern *Sterna hirundo*
Arctic Tern *Sterna paradisaea*
Forster's Tern *Sterna forsteri*
Royal Tern *Thalasseus maximus*
Sandwich Tern *Thalasseus sandvicensis****
Elegant Tern *Thalasseus elegans*
Black Skimmer *Rynchops niger*

Swallow-tailed Gull *Creagrus furcatus****#
Black-legged Kittiwake *Rissa tridactyla**
Sabine's Gull *Xema sabini*
Bonaparte's Gull *Chroicocephalus philadelphia*
Black-headed Gull *Chroicocephalus ridibundus****#
Little Gull *Hydrocoloeus minutus***
Laughing Gull *Leucophaeus atricilla**
Franklin's Gull *Leucophaeus pipixcan*
Black-tailed Gull, *Larus crassirostris****#
Heermann's Gull *Larus heermanni*
Short-billed Gull *Larus brachyrhynchus*
Ring-billed Gull *Larus delawarensis*
Western Gull *Larus occidentalis*
Yellow-footed Gull *Larus livens***
California Gull *Larus californicus*
Herring Gull *Larus argentatus*
Iceland Gull *Larus glaucoides*
Lesser Black-backed Gull *Larus fuscus*
Slaty-backed Gull *Larus schistisagus***
Glaucous-winged Gull *Larus glaucescens*
Glaucous Gull *Larus hyperboreus**
Kelp Gull *Larus dominicanus****#

PHAETHONTIFORMES

Phaethontidae - Tropicbirds

Red-billed Tropicbird *Phaethon aethereus*
Red-tailed Tropicbird *Phaethon rubricauda****#

GAVIIFORMES

Gaviidae - Loons

Red-throated Loon *Gavia stellata*
Arctic Loon *Gavia arctica****#
Pacific Loon *Gavia pacifica*
Common Loon *Gavia immer*
Yellow-billed Loon *Gavia adamsii***

PROCELLARIIFORMES

Diomedeidae - Albatrosses

Laysan Albatross *Phoebastria immutabilis**
Black-footed Albatross *Phoebastria nigripes*
Short-tailed Albatross *Phoebastria albatrus****#

Oceanitidae – Southern Storm-Petrels

Wilson's Storm-Petrel *Oceanites oceanicus***

Hydrobatidae – Northern Storm-Petrels

Fork-tailed Storm-Petrel *Hydrobates furcata**
Leach's Storm-Petrel *Hydrobates leucorhous*
Townsend's Storm-Petrel *Hydrobates socorroensis*
Ashy Storm-Petrel *Hydrobates homochroa*
Wedge-rumped Storm-Petrel, *Hydrobates tethys***#
Black Storm-Petrel *Hydrobates melania*
Least Storm-Petrel *Hydrobates microsoma*

Procellariidae - Shearwaters and Petrels

Northern Fulmar *Fulmarus glacialis*
Murphy's Petrel *Pterodroma ultima***
Hawaiian Petrel *Pterodroma sandwichensis***
Cook's Petrel *Pterodroma cookii*
Wedge-tailed Shearwater *Ardenna pacifica***#
Buller's Shearwater *Ardenna bulleri*
Short-tailed Shearwater *Ardenna tenuirostris**
Sooty Shearwater *Ardenna grisea*
Pink-footed Shearwater *Ardenna creatopus*
Flesh-footed Shearwater *Ardenna carneipes**
Manx Shearwater *Puffinus puffinus**
Black-vented Shearwater *Puffinus opisthomelas*

CICONIIFORMES

Ciconiidae - Storks

Wood Stork *Mycteria americana***#

SULIFORMES

Fregatidae - Frigatebirds

Magnificent Frigatebird *Fregata magnificens**

Sulidae - Boobies and Gannets

Masked Booby *Sula dactylatra**
Nazca Booby *Sula granti**
Blue-footed Booby *Sula nebouxii* *
Cocos [Brewster's] Booby *Sula brewsteri**
Red-footed Booby *Sula sula* *

Phalacrocoracidae - Cormorants

Brandt's Cormorant *Urile penicillatus*
Pelagic Cormorant *Urile pelagicus*
Double-crested Cormorant *Nannopterum auritum*
Neotropic Cormorant *Nannopterum brasilianum*

PELECANIFORMES

Threskiornithidae - Ibises and Spoonbills

Glossy Ibis *Plegadis falcinellus***#
White-faced Ibis *Plegadis chihi*
Roseate Spoonbill *Platalea ajaja***#

Pelecanidae - Pelicans

American White Pelican *Pelecanus erythrorhynchos*
Brown Pelican *Pelecanus occidentalis*

Ardeidae - Bitterns and Herons

American Bittern *Botaurus lentiginosus**
Least Bittern *Botaurus exilis*
Little Blue Heron *Egretta caerulea**
Tricolored Heron *Egretta tricolor* **
Reddish Egret *Egretta rufescens**
Snowy Egret *Egretta thula*
Yellow-crowned Night Heron *Nyctanassa violacea*
Black-crowned Night Heron *Nycticorax nycticorax*
Green Heron *Butorides virescens*
Great Egret *Ardea alba*
Western Cattle-Egret *Ardea ibis*`
Great Blue Heron *Ardea Herodias*

CATHARTIFORMES

Cathartidae - New World Vultures

California Condor *Gymnogyps californianus* E
Turkey Vulture *Cathartes aura*

ACCIPITRIFORMES

Pandionidae - Osprey

Osprey *Pandion haliaetus*

Accipitridae - Kites, Eagles, Hawks, and Allies

White-tailed Kite *Elanus leucurus*
Swallow-tailed Kite *Elanoides forficatus***#
Golden Eagle *Aquila chrysaetos*
Sharp-shinned Hawk *Accipiter striatus*
Cooper's Hawk *Astur cooperii*
American Goshawk *Astur atricapillus***
Northern Harrier *Circus hudsonius*
Bald Eagle *Haliaeetus leucocephalus*
Mississippi Kite *Ictinia mississippiensis***
Harris's Hawk *Parabuteo unicinctus***
Red-shouldered Hawk *Buteo lineatus*
Broad-winged Hawk *Buteo platypterus**
Swainson's Hawk *Buteo swainsoni*
Zone-tailed Hawk *Buteo albonotatus**
Red-tailed Hawk *Buteo jamaicensis*
Ferruginous Hawk *Buteo regalis*
Rough-legged Hawk *Buteo lagopus**

STRIGIFORMES

Tytonidae - Barn Owls

American Barn Owl *Tyto furcata*

Strigidae - Typical Owls

Flammulated Owl *Psiloscoptes flammeolus*

Western Screech-Owl *Megascops kennicottii*

Great Horned Owl *Bubo virginianus*

Northern Pygmy-Owl *Glaucidium gnoma*

Elf Owl *Micrathene whitneyi***#

Burrowing Owl *Athene cunicularia*

Spotted Owl *Strix occidentalis**

Long-eared Owl *Asio otus*

Short-eared Owl *Asio flammeus*

Northern Saw-whet Owl *Aegolius acadicus*

CORACIIFORMES

Alcedinidae - Kingfishers

Belted Kingfisher *Megasceryle alcyon*

PICIFORMES

Picidae - Woodpeckers and Allies

Eurasian Wryneck *Jynx torquilla***#

Lewis's Woodpecker *Melanerpes lewis*

Red-headed Woodpecker *Melanerpes erythrocephalus***#

Acorn Woodpecker *Melanerpes formicivorus*

Gila Woodpecker *Melanerpes uropygialis***

Williamson's Sapsucker *Sphyrapicus thyroideus*

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker *Sphyrapicus varius*

Red-naped Sapsucker *Sphyrapicus nuchalis*

Red-breasted Sapsucker *Sphyrapicus ruber*

Downy Woodpecker *Dryobates pubescens*

Nuttall's Woodpecker *Dryobates nuttallii*

Ladder-backed Woodpecker *Dryobates scalaris*

Hairy Woodpecker *Dryobates villosus*

White-headed Woodpecker *Dryobates albolarvatus*

Northern Flicker *Colaptes auratus*

Pileated Woodpecker *Dryocopus pileatus***

FALCONIFORMES

Falconidae - Caracaras and Falcons

Crested Caracara *Caracara plancus***#

American Kestrel *Falco sparverius*

Merlin *Falco columbarius*

Peregrine Falcon *Falco peregrinus*

Prairie Falcon *Falco mexicanus*

PSITTACIFORMES

Psittacidae – African and New World Parrots

Nanday Parakeet *Aratinga nenday* - I
Mitred Parakeet *Psittacara mitratus* - I
Red-masked Parakeet *Psittacara erythrogenys* - I
Yellow-chevroned Parakeet *Brotogeris chiriri* - I
Red-crowned Amazon *Amazona viridigenalis* - I
Lilac-crowned Amazon *Amazona finschi*- I
[Red-lore Amazon *Amazona autumnalis* - i]
[Yellow-headed Amazon *Amazona oratrix*- i]

Psittaculidae – Lories, Lovebirds, and Indo-Malayan and Papua-Australian Parrots

[Rose-ringed Parakeet *Psittacula krameri* – i]

PASSERIFORMES

Tyrannidae - Tyrant Flycatchers

Dusky-capped Flycatcher *Myiarchus tuberculifer**
Ash-throated Flycatcher *Myiarchus cinerascens*
Great Crested Flycatcher *Myiarchus crinitus***
Brown-crested Flycatcher *Myiarchus tyrannulus***
Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher *Myiodynastes luteiventris***#
Tropical Kingbird *Tyrannus melancholicus*
Cassin's Kingbird *Tyrannus vociferans*
Thick-billed Kingbird *Tyrannus crassirostris***#
Western Kingbird *Tyrannus verticalis*
Eastern Kingbird *Tyrannus tyrannus**
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher *Tyrannus forficatus**
Olive-sided Flycatcher *Contopus cooperi*
Greater Pewee *Contopus pertinax***#
Western Wood-Pewee *Contopus sordidulus*
Eastern Wood-Pewee *Contopus virens***#
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher *Empidonax flaviventris***#
Alder Flycatcher *Empidonax alnorum***#
Willow Flycatcher *Empidonax traillii*
Least Flycatcher *Empidonax minimus**
Hammond's Flycatcher *Empidonax hammondii*
Gray Flycatcher *Empidonax wrightii*
Dusky Flycatcher *Empidonax oberholseri*
Western Flycatcher *Empidonax difficilis*
Black Phoebe *Sayornis nigricans*
Eastern Phoebe *Sayornis phoebe**
Say's Phoebe *Sayornis saya*
Vermilion Flycatcher *Pyrocephalus rubinus*

Vireonidae - Vireos

White-eyed Vireo *Vireo griseus***
Bell's Vireo *Vireo bellii*
Gray Vireo *Vireo vicinior**

Hutton's Vireo *Vireo huttoni*
Yellow-throated Vireo *Vireo flavifrons**
Cassin's Vireo *Vireo cassinii*
Blue-headed Vireo *Vireo solitarius**
Plumbeous Vireo *Vireo plumbeus*
Philadelphia Vireo *Vireo philadelphicus**
Western Warbling-Vireo *Vireo swainsoni*
Red-eyed Vireo *Vireo olivaceus**
Yellow-green Vireo *Vireo flavoviridis**

Laniidae - Shrikes

Loggerhead Shrike *Lanius ludovicianus*
Northern Shrike *Lanius borealis***

Corvidae - Jays, Magpies, and Crows

Pinyon Jay *Gymnorhinus cyanocephalus***
Steller's Jay *Cyanocitta stelleri*
California Scrub-Jay *Aphelocoma californica*
Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay *Aphelocoma woodhouseii***
Clark's Nutcracker *Nucifraga columbiana*
American Crow *Corvus brachyrhynchos*
Common Raven *Corvus corax*

Remizidae - Penduline Tits and Verdins

Verdin *Auriparus flaviceps*

Paridae - Chickadees and Titmice

Mountain Chickadee *Poecile gambeli*
Oak Titmouse *Baeolophus inornatus*

Alaudidae - Larks

Horned Lark *Eremophila alpestris*

Hirundinidae - Swallows

Bank Swallow *Riparia riparia*
Tree Swallow *Tachycineta bicolor*
Violet-green Swallow *Tachycineta thalassina*
Northern Rough-winged Swallow *Stelgidopteryx serripennis*
Purple Martin *Progne subis*
Barn Swallow *Hirundo rustica*
Cliff Swallow *Petrochelidon pyrrhonota*
Cave Swallow *Petrochelidon fulva***#

Aegithalidae - Long-tailed Tits and Bushtits

Bushtit *Psaltiriparus minimus*

Phylloscopidae - Leaf warblers

Wood Warbler *Phylloscopus sibilatrix***#
Dusky Warbler *Phylloscopus fuscatus***#
Arctic/Kamchatka Leaf Warbler *Phylloscopus borealis/examinandus***#

Pycnonotidae – Bulbuls

Red-whiskered Bulbul *Pycnonotus jocosus* – I

Sylviid Warblers

Wrentit *Chamaea fasciata*

[White-eyes]

[Swinhoe's White-eye *Zosterops simplex* - i]

Regulidae - Kinglets

Ruby-crowned Kinglet *Corthylio calendula*

Golden-crowned Kinglet *Regulus satrapa*

Bombycillidae - Waxwings

Bohemian Waxwing *Bombycilla garrulus***

Cedar Waxwing *Bombycilla cedrorum*

Ptiliognathidae - Silky-flycatchers

Phainopepla *Phainopepla nitens*

Sittidae - Nuthatches

Red-breasted Nuthatch *Sitta canadensis*

White-breasted Nuthatch *Sitta carolinensis*

Pygmy Nuthatch *Sitta pygmaea*

Certhiidae - Creepers

Brown Creeper *Certhia americana*

Poliophtilidae - Gnatcatchers

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher *Poliophtila caerulea*

Black-tailed Gnatcatcher *Poliophtila melanura* **

California Gnatcatcher *Poliophtila californica*

Troglodytidae - Wrens

Rock Wren *Salpinctes obsoletus*

Canyon Wren *Catherpes mexicanus*

Cactus Wren *Campylorhynchus brunneicapillus*

Bewick's Wren *Thryomanes bewickii*

Northern House Wren *Troglodytes aedon*

Pacific Wren *Troglodytes pacificus*

Winter Wren *Troglodytes hiemalis***#

Sedge Wren *Cistothorus stellaris***#

Marsh Wren *Cistothorus palustris*

Mimidae - Mockingbirds and Thrashers

[Blue Mockingbird *Melanotis caerulescens* – S#]

Gray Catbird *Dumetella carolinensis**

Curve-billed Thrasher *Toxostoma curvirostre***#

Brown Thrasher *Toxostoma rufum**

Bendire's Thrasher *Toxostoma bendirei***

California Thrasher *Toxostoma redivivum*

LeConte's Thrasher *Toxostoma lecontei*

Sage Thrasher *Oreoscoptes montanus*

Northern Mockingbird *Mimus polyglottos*

Sturnidae - Starlings

European Starling *Sturnus vulgaris* - I

Cinclidae - Dippers

American Dipper *Cinclus mexicanus*

Turdidae – Thrushes

Western Bluebird *Sialia mexicana*
Mountain Bluebird *Sialia currucoides*
Townsend's Solitaire *Myadestes townsendi*
Gray-cheeked Thrush *Catharus minimus**#*
Swainson's Thrush *Catharus ustulatus*
Hermit Thrush *Catharus guttatus*
Wood Thrush *Hylocichla mustelina**#*
American Robin *Turdus migratorius*
Varied Thrush *Ixoreus naevius*

Muscicapidae – Old World chats

Bluethroat *Luscinia svecica**#*
Red-flanked Bluetail *Tarsiger cyanurus**#*
Asian Stonechat *Saxicola maurus**#*
Northern Wheatear *Oenanthe oenanthe**#*

[Ploceidae – Weavers]

[Northern Red Bishop *Euplectes franciscanus* - i]

[Viduidae – Widowbirds and Whydahs]

[Pin-tailed Whydah *Vidua macroura* – i]

Estrildidae - Estrildid Finches

Scaly-breasted Munia *Lonchura punctulata* – I

Passeridae - Old World Sparrows

House Sparrow *Passer domesticus* - I

Motacillidae - Wagtails and Pipits

Eastern Yellow Wagtail *Motacilla tschutschensis**#*
White Wagtail *Motacilla alba* **
Red-throated Pipit *Anthus cervinus**
American Pipit *Anthus rubescens*
Siberian Pipit *Anthus japonicus**#*
Sprague's Pipit *Anthus spragueii***

Fringillidae - Finches and Allies

Brambling *Fringilla montifringilla**#*
Evening Grosbeak *Coccothraustes vespertinus**
House Finch *Haemorhous mexicanus*
Purple Finch *Haemorhous purpureus*
Cassin's Finch *Haemorhous cassinii*
Red Crossbill *Loxia curvirostra*
Redpoll *Acanthis flammea***
Pine Siskin *Spinus pinus*
Lesser Goldfinch *Spinus psaltria*
Lawrence's Goldfinch *Spinus lawrencei*
American Goldfinch *Spinus tristis*

Calcariidae - Longspurs

Thick-billed Longspur *Rhynchophanes mccownii**
Lapland Longspur *Calcarius lapponicus*
Chestnut-collared Longspur *Calcarius ornatus*
Smith's Longspur *Calcarius pictus**#*

Snow Bunting *Plectrophenax nivalis***

Passerellidae - New World sparrows

Cassin's Sparrow *Peucaea cassinii***

Grasshopper Sparrow *Ammodramus savannarum**

Black-throated Sparrow *Amphispiza bilineata*

Lark Sparrow *Chondestes grammacus*

Lark Bunting *Calamospiza melanocorys**

Chipping Sparrow *Spizella passerina*

Clay-colored Sparrow *Spizella pallida*

Black-chinned Sparrow *Spizella atrogularis*

Field Sparrow *Spizella pusilla***#

Brewer's Sparrow *Spizella breweri*

Fox Sparrow *Passerella iliaca*

American Tree Sparrow *Spizelloides arborea***

Dark-eyed Junco *Junco hyemalis*

White-crowned Sparrow *Zonotrichia leucophrys*

Golden-crowned Sparrow *Zonotrichia atricapilla*

Harris's Sparrow *Zonotrichia querula**

White-throated Sparrow *Zonotrichia albicollis*

Sagebrush Sparrow *Artemisiospiza nevadensis*

Bell's Sparrow *Artemisiospiza belli*

Vesper Sparrow *Pooecetes gramineus*

LeConte's Sparrow *Ammospiza leconteii***#

Nelson's Sparrow *Ammospiza nelsoni***

Savannah Sparrow *Passerculus sandwichensis*

Song Sparrow *Melospiza melodia*

Lincoln's Sparrow *Melospiza lincolnii*

Swamp Sparrow *Melospiza georgiana**

California Towhee *Melospiza crissalis*

Rufous-crowned Sparrow *Aimophila ruficeps*

Green-tailed Towhee *Pipilo chlorurus*

Spotted Towhee *Pipilo maculatus*

Icteriidae – Yellow-breasted Chats

Yellow-breasted Chat *Icteria virens*

Icteridae - Blackbirds and Allies

Yellow-headed Blackbird *Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus*

Bobolink *Dolichonyx oryzivorus**

Western Meadowlark *Sturnella neglecta*

Orchard Oriole *Icterus spurius**

Hooded Oriole *Icterus cucullatus*

Baltimore Oriole *Icterus galbula**

Bullock's Oriole *Icterus bullockii*

Scott's Oriole *Icterus parisorum*

Red-winged Blackbird *Agelaius phoeniceus*

Tricolored Blackbird *Agelaius tricolor*

Bronzed Cowbird *Molothrus aeneus***
Brown-headed Cowbird *Molothrus ater*
Rusty Blackbird *Euphagus carolinus**
Brewer's Blackbird *Euphagus cyanocephalus*
Common Grackle *Quiscalus quiscula***#
Great-tailed Grackle *Quiscalus mexicanus*

Parulidae - Wood-Warblers

Ovenbird *Seiurus aurocapilla**
Worm-eating Warbler *Helmitheros vermivorum**
Northern Waterthrush *Parkesia noveboracensis**
Golden-winged Warbler *Vermivora chrysoptera***#
Blue-winged Warbler *Vermivora cyanoptera***#
Black-and-white Warbler *Mniotilta varia*
Prothonotary Warbler *Protonotaria citrea**
Tennessee Warbler *Leiothlypis peregrina*
Orange-crowned Warbler *Leiothlypis celata*
Lucy's Warbler *Leiothlypis luciae**
Nashville Warbler *Leiothlypis ruficapilla*
Virginia's Warbler *Leiothlypis virginiae*
Connecticut Warbler *Oporornis agilis***
MacGillivray's Warbler *Geothlypis tolmiei*
Mourning Warbler *Geothlypis philadelphia***
Kentucky Warbler *Geothlypis formosus***
Common Yellowthroat *Geothlypis trichas*
Hooded Warbler *Setophaga citrina**
American Redstart *Setophaga ruticilla*
Cape May Warbler *Setophaga tigrina**
Cerulean Warbler *Setophaga cerulea***#
Northern Parula *Setophaga americana**
Tropical Parula *Setophaga pitiayumi***#
Magnolia Warbler *Setophaga magnolia**
Bay-breasted Warbler *Setophaga castanea**
Blackburnian Warbler *Setophaga fusca**
Yellow Warbler *Setophaga petechia*
Chestnut-sided Warbler *Setophaga pensylvanica**
Blackpoll Warbler *Setophaga striata**
Black-throated Blue Warbler *Setophaga caerulescens**
Palm Warbler *Setophaga palmarum*
Pine Warbler *Setophaga pinus**
Yellow-rumped Warbler *Setophaga coronata*
Yellow-throated Warbler *Setophaga dominica**
Prairie Warbler *Setophaga discolor**
Grace's Warbler *Setophaga graciae**
Black-throated Gray Warbler *Setophaga nigrescens*
Townsend's Warbler *Setophaga townsendi*
Hermit Warbler *Setophaga occidentalis*

Black-throated Green Warbler *Setophaga virens**

Canada Warbler *Cardellina canadensis**

Wilson's Warbler *Cardellina pusilla*

Red-faced Warbler *Cardellina rubrifrons***#

Painted Redstart *Myioborus pictus**

Cardinalidae - Cardinals and Allies

Hepatic Tanager *Piranga flava**

Summer Tanager *Piranga rubra*

Scarlet Tanager *Piranga olivacea**

Western Tanager *Piranga ludoviciana*

[Northern Cardinal *Cardinalis cardinalis* – i]

Pyrrhuloxia *Cardinalis sinuatus***#

Rose-breasted Grosbeak *Pheucticus ludovicianus*

Black-headed Grosbeak *Pheucticus melanocephalus*

Blue Grosbeak *Passerina caerulea*

Lazuli Bunting *Passerina amoena*

Indigo Bunting *Passerina cyanea*

Varied Bunting *Passerina versicolor***#

Painted Bunting *Passerina ciris**

Dickcissel *Spiza americana**

Totals

550 species on the main list -- 535 native species, plus 14 CBRC-accepted introduced species and a locally well-established introduced population of one other species (Gambel's Quail)

8 additional established introduced populations listed in [brackets], not yet accepted by CBRC to the California State List), plus an introduction of one species which has occurred naturally in other parts of California (Northern Cardinal).

1 additional species (Blue Mockingbird) placed on the CBRC "Supplemental List" (identification accepted, natural occurrence likely but uncertain)

Explanation of Symbols

I = introduced, accepted to California list by CBRC (or, in the case of Gambel's Quail, native to other areas of California)

E = original wild populations extirpated from County (current population of California Condor is reintroduced)

* = county rarity (generally of annual or near annual occurrence, but <5 individuals per year)

** = casual or accidental in the county (generally ten or fewer records overall)

= on CBRC review list; please submit details of sightings to CBRC

[S] = species in brackets on California Bird Records Committee [CBRC] "Supplemental List" (natural occurrence uncertain)

[i] = introduced species in brackets (with lower case "i") are not counted in checklist

total because (a) they are not yet accepted by CBRC as established exotics in California, (b) their former Los Angeles County populations are now gone and perhaps never established (Ring-necked Pheasant), or (c) the species is native to California but the populations in Los Angeles County are introduced and not well-established (Northern Cardinal). Many additional species have small, recently established or ephemeral breeding populations in Los Angeles County but are not included on the list above.