

Appendix 2: Birds

Birds of the New Jersey Meadowlands.

Common name	Scientific name	References	Status
Geese			
Snow goose	<i>Anser caerulescens</i>	3,9,10	
Brant	<i>Branta bernicla</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Canada goose	<i>Branta canadensis</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Cackling goose	<i>Branta hutchinsii</i>	3,9	B
Swans			
Mute swan	<i>Cygnus olor</i>	3,9, 10	B
Tundra swan	<i>Cygnus columbianus</i>	3,9	
Dabbling Ducks			
Fulvous whistling-duck	<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>	9	
Wood duck	<i>Aix sponsa</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SGCN
Blue-winged teal	<i>Spatula discors</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Cinnamon teal	<i>Spatula cyanoptera</i>	3	
Northern shoveler	<i>Spatula clypeata</i>	2,3,9,10	
Gadwall	<i>Mareca strepera</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Eurasian wigeon	<i>Mareca penelope</i>	3,9,10	
American wigeon	<i>Mareca americana</i>	2,3,9,10	
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Black duck	<i>Anas rubripes</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	SGCN
Northern pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	1,2,3,9,10	SGCN
Green-winged teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>	1,2,3,6,9,10	B
Diving Ducks			
Canvasback	<i>Aythya valisineria</i>	1,2,3,9,10	SGCN
Redhead	<i>Aythya americana</i>	3,9	
Ring-necked duck	<i>Aythya collaris</i>	3,9,10	
Greater scaup	<i>Aythya marila</i>	2,3,9	SGCN
Lesser scaup	<i>Aythya affinis</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Long-tailed duck	<i>Clangula hyemalis</i>	3,9	SGCN
Surf scoter	<i>Melanitta perspicillata</i>	3,9	SGCN
White-winged scoter	<i>Melanitta deglandi</i>	3,9	SGCN
Bufflehead	<i>Bucephala albeola</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Common goldeneye	<i>Bucephala clangula</i>	2,3,9,10	
Hooded merganser	<i>Lophodytes cucullatus</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Common merganser	<i>Mergus merganser</i>	2,3,9,10	
Red-breasted merganser	<i>Mergus serrator</i>	2,3,9,10	

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Ruddy duck	<i>Oxyura jamaicensis</i>	1,2,3,4,9,10	B,SGCN
Wading Birds			
American bittern	<i>Botaurus lentiginosus</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	E
Least bittern	<i>Ixobrychus exilis</i>	1,2,3,4,6,9,10	B,SC
Great blue heron	<i>Ardea herodias</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	SC
Great egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	
Snowy egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	SC
Little blue heron	<i>Egretta caerulea</i>	2,3,9,10	SC
Tricolored heron	<i>Egretta tricolor</i>	3,6,9,10	SC
Cattle egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	2,3,9	T
Green heron	<i>Butorides virescens</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Black-crowned night-heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	1,2,3,4,6,9,10	T
Yellow-crowned night-heron	<i>Nyctanassa violacea</i>	2,3,4,9,10	B,T
White ibis	<i>Eudocimus albus</i>	3,9	
Glossy ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	2,3,4,9	SC
Rails and Cranes			
King rail	<i>Rallus elegans</i>	6,9	SGCN
Clapper rail	<i>Rallus crepitans</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Virginia rail	<i>Rallus limicola</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Sora	<i>Porzana carolina</i>	2,3,9	SGCN
Common gallinule	<i>Gallinula galeata</i>	1,2,3,4,9	B,SGCN
American coot	<i>Fulica americana</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SGCN
Yellow rail	<i>Coturnicops noveboracensis</i>	11	
Sandhill crane	<i>Antigone canadensis</i>	3	
Shorebirds			
Black-necked stilt	<i>Himantopus mexicanus</i>	3,9,10	
American avocet	<i>Recurvirostra americana</i>	3,9	
Black-bellied plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	3,9,10	
American golden-plover	<i>Pluvialis dominica</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Killdeer	<i>Charadrius vociferus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Semipalmated plover	<i>Charadrius semipalmatus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Upland sandpiper	<i>Bartramia longicauda</i>	9	E
Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>	3,9	SC
Hudsonian godwit	<i>Limosa haemastica</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Marbled godwit	<i>Limosa fedoa</i>	3,9	SGCN
Ruddy turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	3,9	

Red knot	<i>Calidris canutus</i>	3,9	T
Ruff	<i>Calidris pugnax</i>	3,9	
Stilt sandpiper	<i>Calidris himantopus</i>	3,9	
Curlew sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	3,9	
Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>	3,9	SC
Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Baird's sandpiper	<i>Calidris bairdii</i>	3,9	
Least sandpiper	<i>Calidris minutilla</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
White-rumped sandpiper	<i>Calidris fuscicollis</i>	2,3,9,10	
Buff-breasted sandpiper	<i>Calidris subruficollis</i>	3,9	
Pectoral sandpiper	<i>Calidris melanotos</i>	2,3,9,10	
Semipalmated sandpiper	<i>Calidris pusilla</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SC
Western sandpiper	<i>Calidris mauri</i>	3,9,10	
Short-billed dowitcher	<i>Limnodromus griseus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SGCN
Long-billed dowitcher	<i>Limnodromus scolopaceus</i>	3,9	
American woodcock	<i>Scolopax minor</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SGCN
Wilson's snipe	<i>Gallinago delicata</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Spotted sandpiper	<i>Actitis macularius</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B,SC
Solitary sandpiper	<i>Tringa solitaria</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SGCN
Lesser yellowlegs	<i>Tringa flavipes</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SGCN
Willet	<i>Tringa semipalmata</i>	3,9	SGCN
Greater yellowlegs	<i>Tringa melanoleuca</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SGCN
Wilson's phalarope	<i>Phalaropus tricolor</i>	3,4,9,10	SGCN
Red-necked phalarope	<i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>	3,9	
Red phalarope	<i>Phalaropus fulicaria</i>	3,9	
Gulls and Terns			
Bonaparte's gull	<i>Chroicocephalus philadelphia</i>	3,9,10	
Black-headed gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	9	
Laughing gull	<i>Leucophaeus atricilla</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Franklin's gull	<i>Leucophaeus pipixcan</i>	3	
Ring-billed gull	<i>Larus delawarensis</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Herring gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Iceland gull	<i>Larus glaucoides</i>	2,3,9	
Lesser black-backed gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	2,3,9,10	
Glaucous gull	<i>Larus hyperboreus</i>	2,3,9,10	
Great black-backed gull	<i>Larus marinus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Least tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	1,3,2,4,9,10	B,E
Gull-billed tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>	3,9	SC

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Caspian tern	<i>Hydroprogne caspia</i>	3,9,10	SC
Black tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>	3,9	
Roseate tern	<i>Sterna dougallii</i>	3,9	E*
Common tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	3,9,10	SC
Forster's tern	<i>Sterna forsteri</i>	2,9,10	SGCN
Royal tern	<i>Thalasseus maximus</i>	3,9	SGCN
Black skimmer	<i>Rynchops niger</i>	1,3,4,9,10	E
Other Waterbirds			
Red-throated loon	<i>Gavia stellata</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Common loon	<i>Gavia immer</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Great cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	2,3,10	
Double-crested cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax auritus</i>	1,2,3,6,9,10	B
American white pelican	<i>Pelecanus erythrorhynchos</i>	3	
Pied-billed grebe	<i>Podilymbus podiceps</i>	2,4,9,10	B,E
Horned grebe	<i>Podiceps auritus</i>	2,3,9	SGCN
Red-necked grebe	<i>Podiceps grisegena</i>	3,9	
Raptors			
Black vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>	3	
Turkey vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>	2,3,9,10	
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B,T
Swallow-tailed kite	<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>	3	
Golden eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	8	SGCN
Northern harrier	<i>Circus hudsonius</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B,E
Sharp-shinned hawk	<i>Accipiter striatus</i>	2,3,5,6,9,10	SC
Cooper's hawk	<i>Accipiter cooperii</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SC
Northern goshawk	<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>	2,3,6,9,10	E
Bald eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	3,8,9,10	E
Red-shouldered hawk	<i>Buteo lineatus</i>	2,3,6,9	E
Broad-winged hawk	<i>Buteo platypterus</i>	3,9,10	SC
Red-tailed hawk	<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B
Rough-legged hawk	<i>Buteo lagopus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
American kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>	2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B,T
Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	2,3,9,10	B,E
Barn owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>	3,9	B,SC
Eastern screech owl	<i>Megascops asio</i>	3,9	
Great horned owl	<i>Bubo virginianus</i>	3,9	B
Snowy owl	<i>Nyctea scandiacus</i>	3,9	

Barred owl	<i>Strix varia</i>	9	T
Long-eared owl	<i>Asio otus</i>	2,3,9	T
Short-eared owl	<i>Asio flammeus</i>	2,3,4,9,10	E
Northern saw-whet owl	<i>Aegolius acadicus</i>	3	SGCN
Galliform Birds			
Northern bobwhite	<i>Colinus virginianus</i>	3,10	SGCN
Wild turkey	<i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>	3,8,9,10	
Ring-necked pheasant	<i>Phasianus colchicus</i>	2,3,4,9,10	B
Other Birds			
(Nonpasserines)			
Monk parakeet	<i>Myiopsitta monachus</i>	3,8	B
Mourning dove	<i>Zenaida macroura</i>	3,6,9,10	B
Rock pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	3,6,9,10	B
Ruby-throated hummingbird	<i>Archilochus colubris</i>	2,3,9,10	
Common nighthawk	<i>Chordeiles minor</i>	3,9	SC
Eastern whip-poor-will	<i>Antrostomus vociferus</i>	11	SC
Belted kingfisher	<i>Megasceryle alcyon</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Black-billed cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus erythrophthalmus</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Yellow-billed cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus americanus</i>	3,9	B,SGCN
Red-headed woodpecker	<i>Melanerpes erythrocephalus</i>	3,9	T
Red-bellied woodpecker	<i>Melanerpes carolinus</i>	3,10	B
Yellow-bellied sapsucker	<i>Sphyrapicus varius</i>	2,3,9,10	
Downy woodpecker	<i>Dryobates pubescens</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B
Hairy woodpecker	<i>Dryobates villosus</i>	3,9,10	B
Northern flicker	<i>Colaptes auratus</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SGCN
Pileated woodpecker	<i>Dryocopus pileatus</i>	3	
Chimney swift	<i>Chaetura pelagica</i>	2,3,8,9,10	b,SGCN
Passerines			
Great crested flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus crinitus</i>	2,3,9,10	b,SGCN
Eastern kingbird	<i>Tyrannus tyrannus</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Western kingbird	<i>Tyrannus verticalis</i>	2,9	
Eastern wood-pewee	<i>Contopus virens</i>	2,3,9,10	b,SGCN
Yellow-bellied flycatcher	<i>Empidonax flaviventris</i>	3,9	SGCN
Acadian flycatcher	<i>Empidonax virescens</i>	3,9	SGCN
Alder flycatcher	<i>Empidonax alnorum</i>	2,3	
Willow flycatcher	<i>Empidonax traillii</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	SGCN
Least flycatcher	<i>Empidonax minimus</i>	3,9,10	SC
Eastern phoebe	<i>Sayornis phoebe</i>	2,3,9,10	B

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White-eyed vireo	<i>Vireo griseus</i>	3,9	
Yellow-throated vireo	<i>Vireo flavifrons</i>	3	SGCN
Blue-headed vireo	<i>Vireo solitarius</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SC
Philadelphia vireo	<i>Vireo philadelphicus</i>	3	
Warbling vireo	<i>Vireo gilvus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B
Red-eyed vireo	<i>Vireo olivaceus</i>	2,3,9,10	B
Loggerhead shrike	<i>Lanius ludovicianus</i>	9	E
Northern shrike	<i>Lanius borealis</i>	2,3,9	
Blue jay	<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>	2,3,9,10	B
American crow	<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>	2,3,9,10	B
Fish crow	<i>Corvus ossifragus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	b
Common raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>	3,9,10	B
Black-capped chickadee	<i>Poecile atricapillus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B
Tufted titmouse	<i>Baeolophus bicolor</i>	2,3,9,10	B
Horned lark	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>	2,3,4,9,10	B,T
Bank swallow	<i>Riparia riparia</i>	2,3,6,9,10	SGCN
Tree swallow	<i>Tachycineta bicolor</i>	2,3,5,6,9,10	B
Northern rough-winged swallow	<i>Stelgidopteryx serripennis</i>	2,3,6,8,9,10	B
Cliff swallow	<i>Petrochelidon pyrrhonota</i>	3,9,10	SC
Purple martin	<i>Progne subis</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Barn swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Ruby-crowned kinglet	<i>Regulus calendula</i>	2,3,9,10	
Golden-crowned kinglet	<i>Regulus satrapa</i>	2,3,9,10	
Cedar waxwing	<i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>	2,3,9,10	
Red-breasted nuthatch	<i>Sitta canadensis</i>	3,9	
White-breasted nuthatch	<i>Sitta carolinensis</i>	3,9,10	B
Brown creeper	<i>Certhia americana</i>	2,3,9,10	
Blue-gray gnatcatcher	<i>Polioptila caerulea</i>	2,3,9,10	
House wren	<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>	2,3,9,10	B
Winter wren	<i>Troglodytes hiemalis</i>	2,3,8,9,10	SC
Sedge wren	<i>Cistothorus platensis</i>	3,6,7,9	E
Marsh wren	<i>Cistothorus palustris</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Carolina wren	<i>Thryothorus ludovicianus</i>	3,9,10	B
Gray catbird	<i>Dumetella carolinensis</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Brown thrasher	<i>Toxostoma rufum</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Northern mockingbird	<i>Mimus polyglottos</i>	3,4,9,10	B
European starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B
Eastern bluebird	<i>Sialia sialis</i>	2,3,10	B

Veery	<i>Catharus fuscescens</i>	2,3,9,10	SC
Gray-cheeked thrush	<i>Catharus minimus</i>	3,9	SC
Swainson's thrush	<i>Catharus ustulatus</i>	2,3,9	
Hermit thrush	<i>Catharus guttatus</i>	2,3,9,10	
Wood thrush	<i>Hylocichla mustelina</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SC
American robin	<i>Turdus migratorius</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Northern wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	3	
House sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	3,9,10	B
American pipit	<i>Anthus rubescens</i>	2,3,9,10	
House finch	<i>Haemorhous mexicanus</i>	3,9,10	B
Purple finch	<i>Haemorhous purpureus</i>	2,3,9	SGCN
Common redpoll	<i>Acanthis flammea</i>	3,9	
Red crossbill	<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>	3	
Pine siskin	<i>Spinus pinus</i>	3,9,10	
American goldfinch	<i>Spinus tristis</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Lapland longspur	<i>Calcarius lapponicus</i>	2,3,9	
Snow bunting	<i>Plectrophenax nivalis</i>	2,3,9,10	
Grasshopper sparrow	<i>Ammodramus savannarum</i>	2,3,10	B,T
Lark sparrow	<i>Chondestes grammacus</i>	2,3	
Chipping sparrow	<i>Spizella passerina</i>	2,3,9,10	b
Clay-colored sparrow	<i>Spizella pallida</i>	2,3	
Field sparrow	<i>Spizella pusilla</i>	2,3,9,10	B,SGCN
Fox sparrow	<i>Passerella iliaca</i>	2,3,9,10	
American tree sparrow	<i>Spizelloides arborea</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Dark-eyed junco	<i>Junco hyemalis</i>	2,3,9,10	
White-crowned sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia leucophrys</i>	2,3,9,10	
White-throated sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia albicollis</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Vesper sparrow	<i>Poocetes gramineus</i>	2,3,9	E
LeConte's sparrow	<i>Ammodramus leconteii</i>	2,3	
Seaside sparrow	<i>Ammodramus maritima</i>	3,4,9,10	B,SGCN
Saltmarsh sparrow	<i>Ammodramus caudacuta</i>	2,3,4,9,10	B,SC
Henslow's sparrow	<i>Centronyx henslowii</i>	2,3	E
Savannah sparrow	<i>Passerculus sandwichensis</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B,T
Song sparrow	<i>Melospiza melodia</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Lincoln's sparrow	<i>Melospiza lincolni</i>	2,3,9,10	
Swamp sparrow	<i>Melospiza georgiana</i>	2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Eastern towhee	<i>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Yellow-breasted chat	<i>Icteria virens</i>	3,9	SGCN

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Yellow-headed blackbird	<i>Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus</i>	9	
Bobolink	<i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i>	2,3,6,9,10	T
Eastern meadowlark	<i>Sturnella magna</i>	2,3,9,10	SC
Orchard oriole	<i>Icterus spurius</i>	2,3,9,10	
Baltimore oriole	<i>Icterus galbula</i>	2,3,6,9,10	B,SGCN
Red-winged blackbird	<i>Agelaius phoeniceus</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Brown-headed cowbird	<i>Molothrus ater</i>	2,3,9,10	B
Rusty blackbird	<i>Euphagus carolinus</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Common grackle	<i>Quiscalus quiscula</i>	2,3,5,9,10	B
Boat-tailed grackle	<i>Quiscalus major</i>	3,9,10	
Ovenbird	<i>Seiurus aurocapilla</i>	3,9,10	
Worm-eating warbler	<i>Helmitheros vermivora</i>	3	SC
Louisiana waterthrush	<i>Parkesia motacilla</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Northern waterthrush	<i>Parkesia noveboracensis</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Golden-winged warbler	<i>Vermivora chrysoptera</i>	9	E
Blue-winged warbler	<i>Vermivora cyanoptera</i>	3,9,10	
Black-and-white warbler	<i>Mniotilta varia</i>	2,3,8,9,10	SGCN
Prothonotary warbler	<i>Protonotaria citrea</i>	3	SGCN
Tennessee warbler	<i>Leiothlypis peregrina</i>	2,3,9	
Orange-crowned warbler	<i>Leiothlypis celata</i>	2,3,9,10	
Nashville warbler	<i>Leiothlypis ruficapilla</i>	2,3,9,10	
Connecticut warbler	<i>Oporornis agilis</i>	3,9	
Mourning warbler	<i>Geothlypis philadelphia</i>	3,9	
Kentucky warbler	<i>Geothlypis formosus</i>	3	SC
Common yellowthroat	<i>Geothlypis trichas</i>	1,2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Hooded warbler	<i>Setophaga citrina</i>	3	SC
American redstart	<i>Setophaga ruticilla</i>	2,3,9,10	
Cape May warbler	<i>Setophaga tigrina</i>	3,9	
Cerulean warbler	<i>Setophaga cerulea</i>	11	SC
Northern parula	<i>Setophaga americana</i>	2,3,9,10	SGCN
Magnolia warbler	<i>Setophaga magnolia</i>	2,3,9,10	
Bay-breasted warbler	<i>Setophaga castanea</i>	2,3,9	SGCN
Blackburnian warbler	<i>Setophaga fusca</i>	3,9	SC
Yellow warbler	<i>Setophaga petechia</i>	2,3,4,5,6,9,10	B
Chestnut-sided warbler	<i>Setophaga pensylvanica</i>	2,3,9,10	B
Blackpoll warbler	<i>Setophaga striata</i>	2,3,9,10	
Black-throated blue warbler	<i>Setophaga caerulescens</i>	2,3,9,10	SC

Palm warbler	<i>Setophaga palmarum</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Pine warbler	<i>Setophaga pinus</i>	2,3,10	
Yellow-rumped warbler	<i>Setophaga coronata</i>	2,3,6,9,10	
Yellow-throated warbler	<i>Setophaga dominica</i>	3	
Prairie warbler	<i>Setophaga discolor</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Black-throated green warbler	<i>Setophaga virens</i>	2,3,9,10	SC
Wilson's warbler	<i>Cardellina pusilla</i>	2,3,8,9	
Canada warbler	<i>Cardellina canadensis</i>	2,3,9,10	SC
Scarlet tanager	<i>Piranga olivacea</i>	3,9,10	SGCN
Summer tanager	<i>Piranga rubra</i>	3	SGCN
Northern cardinal	<i>Cardinalis cardinalis</i>	3,9,10	B
Rose-breasted grosbeak	<i>Pheucticus ludovicianus</i>	2,3,9	SGCN
Blue grosbeak	<i>Passerina caerulea</i>	3,4,9,10	B
Indigo bunting	<i>Passerina cyanea</i>	2,3,4,6,9,10	B
Dickcissel	<i>Spiza americana</i>	9	SGCN

Note: B (breeding on record); b (highly probable species is breeding); State status, E (Endangered), T (Threatened), SC (Special Concern); SGCN (Species of Greatest Conservation Need) include E, T, SC among other criteria and are "those species that through a combination of low and/or declining populations or vulnerability to threats, particularly anthropogenic threats, are considered to be at risk of becoming extinct, extirpated, endangered, or threatened." See New Jersey's Wildlife Action Plan (NJDEP 2018a) for further explanation of criteria used to designate species as SGCN.

*Refers to federal listing as well as state

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