KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Cowley County, KS

WHISTLING-DUCKS
____ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck

GEESE, SWANS
____ Greater White-fronted Goose
____ Snow Goose
____ Ross's Goose
____ Cackling Goose
____ Canada Goose*
____ Trumpeter Swan
____ Tundra Swan

DUCKS
____ Wood Duck*
____ Gadwall
____ American Wigeon
____ American Black Duck
____ Mallard*
____ Blue-winged Teal*
____ Cinnamon Teal
____ Northern Shoveler*
____ Northern Pintail
____ Green-winged Teal
____ Canvasback
____ Redhead
____ Ring-necked Duck
____ Greater Scaup
____ Lesser Scaup*
____ Surf Scoter
____ White-winged Scoter
____ Black Scoter
____ Bufflehead
____ Common Goldeneye
____ Barrow's Goldeneye
____ Hooded Merganser
____ Common Merganser
____ Red-breasted Merganser
____ Ruddy Duck

QUAIL
____ Northern Bobwhite*

PHEASANT
____ Ring-necked Pheasant*

GROUSE
____ Greater Prairie-Chicken*

TURKEY
____ Wild Turkey*

GREBES
____ Pied-billed Grebe
____ Horned Grebe
____ Red-necked Grebe
____ Eared Grebe
____ Western Grebe

PIGEONS, DOVES
____ Rock Pigeon*
____ Eurasian Collared-Dove*
____ Inca Dove
____ Common Ground-Dove
____ White-winged Dove
____ Mourning Dove*

CUCKOOS
____ Yellow-billed Cuckoo*
____ Black-billed Cuckoo
____ Greater Roadrunner*
____ Groove-billed Ani

NIGHTJARS
____ Common Nighthawk*
____ Common Poorwill*
____ Chuck-will's-widow*
____ Eastern Whip-poor-will

SWIFTS
____ Chimney Swift*
____ White-throated Swift†

HUMMINGBIRDS
____ Magnificent Hummingbird†
____ Ruby-throated Hummingbird*
____ Black-chinned Hummingbird
____ Anna's Hummingbird†
____ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
____ Rufous Hummingbird

RAILS, GALLINULES
____ King Rail*
____ Virginia Rail
____ Sora
____ American Coot

CRANES
____ Sandhill Crane
____ Whooping Crane

STILTS, AVOCETS
____ American Avocet

PLOVERS
____ Black-bellied Plover
____ American Golden-Plover
____ Snowy Plover
____ Semipalmated Plover
____ Piping Plover
____ Killdeer*

SANDPIPERS
____ Upland Sandpiper*
____ Whimbrel
____ Long-billed Curlew
____ Hudsonian Godwit
____ Marbled Godwit
____ Ruddy Turnstone
____ Stilt Sandpiper
____ Sanderling
____ Dunlin
____ Baird's Sandpiper
____ Least Sandpiper
____ White-rumped Sandpiper
____ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
____ Pectoral Sandpiper
____ Semipalmated Sandpiper
____ Western Sandpiper
____ Long-billed Dowitcher
____ Wilson's Snipe
____ American Woodcock
____ Spotted Sandpiper
____ Solitary Sandpiper
____ Greater Yellowlegs
____ Willet
____ Lesser Yellowlegs
____ Wilson's Phalarope

JAEGERS
____ Pomarine Jaeger†

GULLS
____ Sabine's Gull
____ Bonaparte's Gull
____ Laughing Gull
____ Franklin's Gull
____ Ring-billed Gull
____ California Gull
____ Herring Gull
____ Thayer's Gull
____ Lesser Black-backed Gull
____ Glaucous Gull
____ Great Black-backed Gull

TERNS
____ Least Tern
____ Caspian Tern
____ Black Tern
____ Common Tern
____ Forster's Tern

LOONS
____ Red-throated Loon
____ Pacific Loon
____ Common Loon

CORMORANTS
____ Neotropic Cormorant
____ Double-crested Cormorant

PELICANS
____ American White Pelican

HERONS
____ American Bittern
____ Great Blue Heron*
____ Great Egret*
____ Snowy Egret
____ Little Blue Heron*
____ Tricolored Heron
____ Cattle Egret
____ Green Heron*

____ Black-crowned Night-Heron
____ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron*

IBISES
____ White-faced Ibis

VULTURES
____ Black Vulture
____ Turkey Vulture*

OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES
____ Osprey
____ Mississippi Kite*
____ Bald Eagle*
____ Northern Harrier*
____ Sharp-shinned Hawk*
____ Cooper's Hawk*
____ Northern Goshawk
____ Harris's Hawk†
____ Red-shouldered Hawk
____ Broad-winged Hawk
____ Swainson's Hawk*
____ Red-tailed Hawk*
____ Rough-legged Hawk
____ Ferruginous Hawk
____ Golden Eagle

BARN OWLS
____ Barn Owl*

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

KINGFISHERS
____ Belted Kingfisher*

WOODPECKERS
____ Red-headed Woodpecker*
____ Red-bellied Woodpecker*
____ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
____ Downy Woodpecker*
____ Hairy Woodpecker*
____ Northern Flicker*
____ Pileated Woodpecker*

FALCONS
____ American Kestrel*
____ Merlin
____ Peregrine Falcon
____ Prairie Falcon

FLYCATCHERS
____ Olive-sided Flycatcher
____ Eastern Wood-Pewee*
____ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
____ Acadian Flycatcher*
____ Alder Flycatcher
____ Willow Flycatcher
____ Least Flycatcher
____ Eastern Phoebe*
____ Vermilion Flycatcher
____ Great Crested Flycatcher*
____ Western Kingbird*
____ Eastern Kingbird*
____ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher*

SHRIKES
____ Loggerhead Shrike*
____ Northern Shrike

VIREOS
____ White-eyed Vireo
____ Bell's Vireo*
____ Yellow-throated Vireo
____ Blue-headed Vireo
____ Philadelphia Vireo
____ Warbling Vireo*
____ Red-eyed Vireo*

JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS
____ Blue Jay*
____ Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay
____ Black-billed Magpie
____ American Crow*
____ Fish Crow
____ Chihuahuan Raven

LARKS
____ Horned Lark*

SWALLOWS
____ Purple Martin*
____ Tree Swallow*
____ N. Rough-winged Swallow*
____ Bank Swallow*
____ Cliff Swallow*
____ Barn Swallow*

CHICKADEES, TITMICE
____ Carolina Chickadee*
____ Black-capped Chickadee*
____ Tufted Titmouse*

NUTHATCHES
____ Red-breasted Nuthatch*
____ White-breasted Nuthatch*

CREEPERS
____ Brown Creeper

WRENS
____ Rock Wren
____ House Wren*
____ Winter Wren
____ Sedge Wren
____ Marsh Wren
____ Carolina Wren*
____ Bewick's Wren*

GNATCATCHERS
____ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher*

KINGLETS
____ Golden-crowned Kinglet
____ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

THRUSHES
____ Eastern Bluebird*
____ Mountain Bluebird
____ Townsend's Solitaire
____ Veery
____ Gray-cheeked Thrush
____ Swainson's Thrush
____ Hermit Thrush
____ Wood Thrush*
____ American Robin*
____ Varied Thrush

THRASHERS
____ Gray Catbird*
____ Curve-billed Thrasher
____ Brown Thrasher*
____ Northern Mockingbird*

STARLINGS
____ European Starling*

WAXWINGS
____ Bohemian Waxwing
____ Cedar Waxwing*

OLD WORLD SPARROWS
____ House Sparrow*

PIPITS
____ American Pipit
____ Sprague's Pipit

FINCHES
____ House Finch*
____ Purple Finch
____ Red Crossbill
____ White-winged Crossbill
____ Common Redpoll
____ Pine Siskin*
____ Lesser Goldfinch*
____ American Goldfinch*
____ Evening Grosbeak

LONGSPURS
____ Lapland Longspur
____ Chestnut-collared Longspur
____ Smith's Longspur
____ Snow Bunting

WARBLERS
____ Ovenbird
____ Worm-eating Warbler
____ Louisiana Waterthrush*
____ Northern Waterthrush
____ Golden-winged Warbler
____ Blue-winged Warbler
____ Black-and-white Warbler*

____ Prothonotary Warbler*
____ Tennessee Warbler
____ Orange-crowned Warbler
____ Nashville Warbler
____ MacGillivray's Warbler
____ Mourning Warbler
____ Kentucky Warbler*
____ Common Yellowthroat*
____ Hooded Warbler
____ American Redstart
____ Cape May Warbler
____ Cerulean Warbler
____ Northern Parula*
____ Magnolia Warbler
____ Bay-breasted Warbler
____ Blackburnian Warbler
____ Yellow Warbler*
____ Chestnut-sided Warbler
____ Blackpoll Warbler
____ Black-throated Blue Warbler
____ Palm Warbler
____ Pine Warbler
____ Yellow-rumped Warbler
____ Yellow-throated Warbler
____ Prairie Warbler*
____ Black-throated Green Warbler
____ Canada Warbler
____ Wilson's Warbler
____ Yellow-breasted Chat*

SPARROWS

____ Spotted Towhee
____ Eastern Towhee
____ American Tree Sparrow
____ Chipping Sparrow*
____ Clay-colored Sparrow
____ Field Sparrow*
____ Vesper Sparrow
____ Lark Sparrow*
____ Black-throated Sparrow†
____ Lark Bunting
____ Savannah Sparrow
____ Grasshopper Sparrow*
____ Baird's Sparrow
____ Henslow's Sparrow
____ Le Conte's Sparrow
____ Fox Sparrow
____ Song Sparrow*
____ Lincoln's Sparrow
____ Swamp Sparrow
____ White-throated Sparrow
____ Harris's Sparrow
____ White-crowned Sparrow
____ Golden-crowned Sparrow
____ Dark-eyed Junco

GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

____ Summer Tanager*
____ Scarlet Tanager*
____ Western Tanager
____ Northern Cardinal*
____ Rose-breasted Grosbeak*
____ Black-headed Grosbeak
____ Blue Grosbeak*
____ Lazuli Bunting
____ Indigo Bunting*
____ Painted Bunting*
____ Dickcissel*

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

____ Bobolink
____ Red-winged Blackbird*
____ Eastern Meadowlark*
____ Western Meadowlark*
____ Yellow-headed Blackbird
____ Rusty Blackbird
____ Brewer's Blackbird
____ Common Grackle*
____ Great-tailed Grackle*
____ Brown-headed Cowbird*
____ Orchard Oriole*
____ Baltimore Oriole*

† Fewer than ten Kansas records
[ ] Hypothetical species
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