

# KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Osage County, KS

## GEESE, SWANS

- \_\_\_ Greater White-fronted Goose
- \_\_\_ Snow Goose
- \_\_\_ Ross's Goose
- \_\_\_ Cackling Goose
- \_\_\_ Canada Goose\*
- \_\_\_ 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
- \_\_\_ Long-tailed Duck
- \_\_\_ Bufflehead
- \_\_\_ Common Goldeneye
- \_\_\_ Hooded Merganser
- \_\_\_ Common Merganser
- \_\_\_ Red-breasted Merganser
- \_\_\_ Ruddy Duck

## PHEASANTS

- \_\_\_ Ring-necked Pheasant

## GROUSE

- \_\_\_ Greater Prairie-Chicken\*

## TURKEYS

- \_\_\_ Wild Turkey\*

## QUAIL

- \_\_\_ Northern Bobwhite\*

## LOONS

- \_\_\_ Pacific Loon
- \_\_\_ Common Loon

## GREBES

- \_\_\_ Pied-billed Grebe\*
- \_\_\_ Horned Grebe
- \_\_\_ Red-necked Grebe
- \_\_\_ Eared Grebe
- \_\_\_ Western Grebe

## PELICANS

- \_\_\_ American White Pelican

## CORMORANTS

- \_\_\_ Double-crested Cormorant

## HERONS

- \_\_\_ American Bittern
- \_\_\_ Least Bittern\*
- \_\_\_ Great Blue Heron\*
- \_\_\_ Great Egret
- \_\_\_ Snowy Egret
- \_\_\_ Little Blue Heron
- \_\_\_ Cattle Egret
- \_\_\_ Green Heron\*
- \_\_\_ Black-crowned Night-Heron
- \_\_\_ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

## IBISES

- \_\_\_ Roseate Spoonbill†

## VULTURES

- \_\_\_ Turkey Vulture\*

## HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- \_\_\_ Osprey
- \_\_\_ Mississippi Kite
- \_\_\_ Bald Eagle
- \_\_\_ Northern Harrier
- \_\_\_ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- \_\_\_ Cooper's Hawk
- \_\_\_ Northern Goshawk
- \_\_\_ Red-shouldered Hawk
- \_\_\_ Swainson's Hawk
- \_\_\_ Red-tailed Hawk\*
- \_\_\_ Ferruginous Hawk
- \_\_\_ Rough-legged Hawk
- \_\_\_ Golden Eagle

## FALCONS

- \_\_\_ American Kestrel\*
- \_\_\_ Merlin
- \_\_\_ Gyrfalcon†
- \_\_\_ Peregrine Falcon
- \_\_\_ Prairie Falcon

## RAILS, GALLINULES

- \_\_\_ Yellow Rail
- \_\_\_ Black Rail
- \_\_\_ King Rail
- \_\_\_ Virginia Rail
- \_\_\_ Sora
- \_\_\_ Common Moorhen
- \_\_\_ American Coot

## CRANES

- \_\_\_ Sandhill Crane

## PLOVERS

- \_\_\_ Black-bellied Plover
- \_\_\_ American Golden-Plover
- \_\_\_ Snowy Plover
- \_\_\_ Semipalmated Plover
- \_\_\_ Piping Plover
- \_\_\_ Killdeer\*

## STILTS, AVOCETS

- \_\_\_ American Avocet

## SANDPIPERS

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

## GULLS

- \_\_\_ Franklin's Gull
- \_\_\_ Black-headed Gull†
- \_\_\_ Bonaparte's Gull
- \_\_\_ Ring-billed Gull
- \_\_\_ Herring Gull
- \_\_\_ Thayer's Gull
- \_\_\_ Iceland Gull†
- \_\_\_ Glaucous Gull
- \_\_\_ Sabine's Gull

## TERNs

- \_\_\_ Least Tern
- \_\_\_ Caspian Tern
- \_\_\_ Black Tern
- \_\_\_ Common Tern
- \_\_\_ Forster's Tern

## JAEGERS

- \_\_\_ Pomarine Jaeger†

## PIGEONS, DOVES

- \_\_\_ Rock Pigeon\*
- \_\_\_ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- \_\_\_ Mourning Dove\*

## CUCKOOS

- \_\_\_ Yellow-billed Cuckoo\*
- \_\_\_ Black-billed Cuckoo\*

**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

**GOATSUCKERS**

\_\_\_ Common Nighthawk\*  
 \_\_\_ Chuck-will's-widow  
 \_\_\_ Whip-poor-will\*

**SWIFTS**

\_\_\_ Chimney Swift\*

**HUMMINGBIRDS**

\_\_\_ Ruby-throated Hummingbird\*

**KINGFISHERS**

\_\_\_ Belted Kingfisher\*

**WOODPECKERS**

\_\_\_ Red-headed Woodpecker\*  
 \_\_\_ Red-bellied Woodpecker\*  
 \_\_\_ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker  
 \_\_\_ Downy Woodpecker\*  
 \_\_\_ Hairy Woodpecker\*  
 \_\_\_ Northern Flicker\*  
 \_\_\_ Pileated Woodpecker

**FLYCATCHERS**

\_\_\_ Olive-sided Flycatcher  
 \_\_\_ Eastern Wood-Pewee\*  
 \_\_\_ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher  
 \_\_\_ Acadian Flycatcher\*  
 \_\_\_ Alder Flycatcher  
 \_\_\_ Least Flycatcher  
 \_\_\_ Eastern Phoebe\*  
 \_\_\_ 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  
 \_\_\_ Warbling Vireo\*  
 \_\_\_ Philadelphia Vireo  
 \_\_\_ Red-eyed Vireo\*

**JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS**

\_\_\_ Blue Jay\*  
 \_\_\_ Black-billed Magpie  
 \_\_\_ American Crow\*

**LARKS**

\_\_\_ Horned Lark\*

**SWALLOWS**

\_\_\_ Purple Martin\*  
 \_\_\_ Tree Swallow\*  
 \_\_\_ N. Rough-winged Swallow\*  
 \_\_\_ Bank Swallow  
 \_\_\_ Cliff Swallow  
 \_\_\_ Barn Swallow\*

**CHICKADEES, TITMICE**

\_\_\_ Black-capped Chickadee\*  
 \_\_\_ Tufted Titmouse\*

**NUTHATCHES**

\_\_\_ Red-breasted Nuthatch  
 \_\_\_ White-breasted Nuthatch\*

**CREEPERS**

\_\_\_ Brown Creeper

**WRENS**

\_\_\_ Rock Wren  
 \_\_\_ Carolina Wren\*  
 \_\_\_ Bewick's Wren\*  
 \_\_\_ House Wren\*  
 \_\_\_ Winter Wren  
 \_\_\_ Sedge Wren  
 \_\_\_ Marsh Wren

**KINGLETS**

\_\_\_ Golden-crowned Kinglet  
 \_\_\_ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

**GNATCATCHERS**

\_\_\_ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher\*

**THRUSHES**

\_\_\_ Eastern Bluebird\*  
 \_\_\_ Mountain Bluebird  
 \_\_\_ Townsend's Solitaire  
 \_\_\_ Veery  
 \_\_\_ Gray-cheeked Thrush  
 \_\_\_ Swainson's Thrush  
 \_\_\_ Hermit Thrush  
 \_\_\_ Wood Thrush\*  
 \_\_\_ American Robin\*

**THRASHERS**

\_\_\_ Gray Catbird\*  
 \_\_\_ Northern Mockingbird\*  
 \_\_\_ Brown Thrasher\*

**STARLINGS**

\_\_\_ European Starling\*

**PIPITS**

\_\_\_ American Pipit  
 \_\_\_ Sprague's Pipit

**WAXWINGS**

\_\_\_ Cedar Waxwing\*

**WARBLERS**

\_\_\_ Blue-winged Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Tennessee Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Orange-crowned Warbler

\_\_\_ Nashville Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Northern Parula\*  
 \_\_\_ Yellow Warbler\*  
 \_\_\_ Chestnut-sided Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Magnolia Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Yellow-rumped Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Black-throated Green Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Blackburnian Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Yellow-throated Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Palm Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Bay-breasted Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Blackpoll Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Black-and-White Warbler\*  
 \_\_\_ American Redstart  
 \_\_\_ Prothonotary Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Ovenbird  
 \_\_\_ Northern Waterthrush  
 \_\_\_ Louisiana Waterthrush  
 \_\_\_ Kentucky Warbler\*  
 \_\_\_ Mourning Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Common Yellowthroat\*  
 \_\_\_ Wilson's Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Canada Warbler  
 \_\_\_ Yellow-breasted Chat

**TANAGERS**

\_\_\_ Summer Tanager\*  
 \_\_\_ Scarlet Tanager

**SPARROWS**

\_\_\_ Spotted Towhee  
 \_\_\_ Eastern Towhee\*  
 \_\_\_ American Tree Sparrow  
 \_\_\_ Chipping Sparrow\*  
 \_\_\_ Clay-colored Sparrow  
 \_\_\_ Field Sparrow\*  
 \_\_\_ Vesper Sparrow  
 \_\_\_ Lark Sparrow\*  
 \_\_\_ Lark Bunting  
 \_\_\_ Savannah Sparrow  
 \_\_\_ Grasshopper Sparrow\*  
 \_\_\_ Henslow's Sparrow\*  
 \_\_\_ Le Conte's Sparrow  
 \_\_\_ Nelson's Sharp-tailed 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  
 \_\_\_ Lapland Longspur  
 \_\_\_ Smith's Longspur  
 \_\_\_ Chestnut-collared Longspur  
 \_\_\_ Snow Bunting

**GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS**

\_\_\_ Northern Cardinal\*  
 \_\_\_ Rose-breasted 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\*

#### **NORTHERN FINCHES**

- \_\_\_ Purple Finch
- \_\_\_ House Finch\*
- \_\_\_ Red Crossbill
- \_\_\_ Common Redpoll
- \_\_\_ Pine Siskin
- \_\_\_ American Goldfinch\*
- \_\_\_ Evening Grosbeak

#### **OLD WORLD SPARROWS**

- \_\_\_ House Sparrow\*

† Fewer than ten Kansas records

[ ] Hypothetical species

\* Documented breeding species, meeting the requirements for a Probable or Confirmed Breeder as defined by the Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project.

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More information on reporting rare birds can be found at the KBRC home page on the Kansas Ornithological Society's Web site at:

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