

	SP	SU	F	W
THRUSHES & ALLIES				
___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet	c	-	c	a
___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	u	-	u	u
___ California Gnatcatcher	# u	u	u	u
___ Western Bluebird	-	-	u	u
___ Swainson's Thrush	u	u	-	-
___ Hermit Thrush	c	-	c	c
___ American Robin	o	-	o	u
___ Wrentit	# c	c	c	c
THRASHERS				
___ Northern Mockingbird	u	u	u	u
___ California Thrasher	c	c	c	c
WAXWINGS & SILKY-FLYCATCHERS				
___ Cedar Waxwing	o	-	o	u
___ Phainopepla	# c	c	u	u
SHRIKES				
___ Loggerhead Shrike	-	-	o	o
STARLINGS				
___ European Starling	# u	u	u	u
VIREOS				
___ Solitary Vireo	o	-	o	-
___ Hutton's Vireo	# c	c	c	c
___ Warbling Vireo	o	-	o	-
EMBERIZIDS				
___ Orange-crowned Warbler	# a	a	c	u
___ Nashville Warbler	u	-	u	-
___ Yellow Warbler	u	u	u	-
___ Yellow-rumped Warbler	c	-	c	a
___ Black-throated Gray Warbler	u	-	u	-
___ Townsend's Warbler	u	-	u	-
___ Hermit Warbler	o	-	o	-
___ MacGillivray's Warbler	o	-	o	-
___ Common Yellowthroat	# c	c	c	c
___ Wilson's Warbler	e	-	c	-
___ Yellow-breasted Chat	u	u	-	-
___ Western Tanager	u	-	u	-

	SP	SU	F	W
___ Black-headed Grosbeak	# c	c	u	-
___ Lazuli Bunting	u	u	-	-
___ Spotted Towhee	# a	a	a	a
___ California Towhee	# a	a	a	a
___ Rufous-crowned Sparrow	# u	u	u	u
___ Chipping Sparrow	-	-	-	u
___ Black-chinned Sparrow	# u	u	u	-
___ Fox Sparrow	-	-	u	u
___ Song Sparrow	# a	a	a	a
___ Lincoln's Sparrow	o	-	u	u
___ Golden-crowned Sparrow	c	-	c	c
___ White-crowned Sparrow	c	-	a	a
___ Dark-eyed Junco	-	-	u	u
___ Brewer's Blackbird	o	o	o	o
___ Brown-headed Cowbird	# u	u	u	o
___ Hooded Oriole	u	u	-	-
___ Bullock's Oriole	# c	c	-	-
FINCHES				
___ Purple Finch	o	-	o	o
___ House Finch	# a	a	a	a
___ Pine Siskin	-	-	o	u
___ Lesser Goldfinch	# c	c	c	c
___ Lawrence's Goldfinch	o	o	-	o
___ American Goldfinch	c	o	o	o

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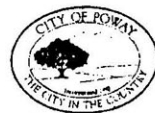
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The following symbols are used in this bird list:

SP = Spring March through May
SU = Summer June through August
F = Fall September through November
W = Winter December through February

Status/Relative Abundance

a = Abundant - Easily found in suitable habitat
c = Common - Usually found in suitable habitat
u = Uncommon - Present but more often missed than seen
o = Occasional - Seen only a few times during a season
r = Rare - Not present every year
= Breeds - Known to nest within the Reserve

FAMILIES & SPECIES

FAMILIES & SPECIES	STATUS			
	SP	SU	F	W
CORMORANTS				
___ Double-crested Cormorant	o	o	o	o
HERONS & EGRETS				
___ Great Blue Heron	o	-	-	-
___ Great Egret	o	-	-	-
___ Green Heron	o	o	o	o
DUCKS				
___ Mallard	o	o	o	o
VULTURES				
___ Turkey Vulture	c	u	c	c

EAGLES, HAWKS, FALCONS, KITES

	SP	SU	F	W
___ Osprey	o	o	o	o
___ White-tailed Kite	u	u	u	u
___ Northern Harrier	o	-	o	o
___ Sharp-shinned Hawk	o	-	u	u
___ Cooper's Hawk	# u	u	u	u
___ Red-shouldered Hawk	# c	c	c	c
___ Red-tailed Hawk	# c	c	c	c
___ Golden Eagle	o	o	o	o
___ American Kestrel	# u	u	u	u

QUAILS

___ California Quail	# c	c	c	c
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PLOVERS

___ Killdeer	o	o	o	o
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GULLS & TERNS

___ Ring-billed Gull	o	o	o	o
___ Forster's Tern	o	o	o	o

PIGEONS, DOVES

___ Rock Dove	o	o	o	o
___ Band-tailed Pigeon	-	-	-	r
___ Mourning Dove	# c	c	c	c

CUCKOOS

___ Greater Roadrunner	# u	u	u	u
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OWLS

___ Barn Owl	# o	o	o	o
___ Western Screech Owl	# c	c	c	c
___ Great Horned Owl	# c	c	c	c

GOATSUCKERS

___ Common Poorwill	u	u	u	u
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SWIFTS

___ Vaux's Swift	o	-	o	-
___ White-throated Swift	u	u	u	u

HUMMINGBIRDS

___ Black-chinned Hummingbird	# c	c	-	-
___ Anna's Hummingbird	# a	a	a	a
___ Costa's Hummingbird	# c	c	c	o

KINGFISHERS

___ Belted Kingfisher	o	o	o	o
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WOODPECKERS

___ Acorn Woodpecker	c	c	c	c
___ Nuttall's Woodpecker	# c	c	c	c
___ Downy Woodpecker	u	u	u	u
___ Northern Flicker	# c	c	c	c
___ Red-naped Sapsucker	-	-	r	r

TYRANT FLYCATCHERS

___ Olive-sided Flycatcher	o	-	o	-
___ Western Wood Pewee	c	c	-	-
___ Pacific-slope Flycatcher	# c	c	c	-
___ Black Phoebe	# c	c	c	c
___ Say's Phoebe	# c	u	c	c
___ Ash-throated Flycatcher	# c	c	-	-
___ Cassin's Kingbird	u	u	u	u
___ Western Kingbird	u	u	-	-

SWALLOWS

___ Tree Swallow	u	u	u	-
___ Violet-green Swallow	o	o	-	-
___ N. Rough-winged Swallow	u	u	-	-
___ Cliff Swallow	u	u	-	-

JAYS, CROWS, RAVENS

___ Scrub Jay	# a	a	a	a
___ American Crow	# c	c	c	c
___ Common Raven	# c	c	c	c

CHICKADEES & TITMICE

___ Mountain Chickadee	-	-	-	r
___ Oak Titmouse	# a	a	a	a

BUSHTITS

___ Bushtit	# a	a	a	a
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NUTHATCHES

___ White-breasted Nuthatch	-	-	-	o
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CREEPERS

___ Brown Creeper	-	-	r	-
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WRENS

___ Rock Wren	u	u	u	u
___ Canyon Wren	u	u	u	u
___ Bewick's Wren	# a	a	a	a
___ House Wren	# a	a	a	a

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