

# South Carolina Bird List [November 2002]

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## South Carolina Bird Records Committee

Lex Glover, Chair

### List Categories:

**Definitive:** A specimen, photograph, or sound recording of the species has been archived by the South Carolina Bird Records Committee.

**Provisional I (bold):** Documentation of at least one accepted sight record of the species has been archived by the SCBRC.

**Provisional II (bold and brackets):** Documentation of at least one accepted sight record of the species has been archived by the SCBRC, but the wild origin of the individual(s) reported is questionable.

**Hypothetical (brackets and bold, H):** Any reports of the species in the state have not been documented.

### Review Categories:

**Full (F or bold):** A report of any sighting of the species should be sent to the South Carolina Bird Records Committee.

**Inland only (I):** A report of any sighting of the species more than 30 miles inland should be sent to the SCBRC.

**North American Birds Report Species (NAB):** A report with details should be sent to the Regional Editor of *North American Birds*.

**North American Birds Report Species, Inland Only (NABI):** A report with details of any sighting of the species more than 30 miles inland should be sent to the Regional Editor of *North American Birds*.

Red-throated Loon		Band-rumped Storm-Petrel	F
<b>Pacific Loon</b>		White-tailed Tropicbird	F
Common Loon		Red-billed Tropicbird	F
Pied-billed Grebe		Masked Booby	F
Horned Grebe		Brown Booby	F
Red-necked Grebe	F	Red-footed Booby	F
Eared Grebe		Northern Gannet	I
Western Grebe	F	American White Pelican	I
Northern Fulmar	F	Brown Pelican	I
Black-capped Petrel	I	Double-crested Cormorant	
Cory's Shearwater	I	Great Cormorant	I
Greater Shearwater	I	Anhinga	
Sooty Shearwater	F	Magnificent Frigatebird	I
Manx Shearwater	F	American Bittern	
Audubon's Shearwater	I	Least Bittern	
Little Shearwater	F	Great Blue Heron	
Wilson's Storm-Petrel	I	Great Egret	
Leach's Storm-Petrel	F	Snowy Egret	

Little Blue Heron		Surf Scoter	
Tricolored Heron		White-winged Scoter	I
Reddish Egret	I	Black Scoter	I
Cattle Egret		Long-tailed Duck	
Green Heron		Bufflehead	
Black-crowned Night-Heron		Common Goldeneye	
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron		Hooded Merganser	
White Ibis		Common Merganser	F
<b>[Scarlet Ibis]</b>		Red-breasted Merganser	
Glossy Ibis		Ruddy Duck	
Roseate Spoonbill	I	Osprey	
Wood Stork		Swallow-tailed Kite	
Black Vulture		White-tailed Kite	F
Turkey Vulture		Mississippi Kite	
<b>[Greater Flamingo] H</b>		Bald Eagle	
Fulvous Whistling-Duck	F	Northern Harrier	
Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	F	Sharp-shinned Hawk	
Greater White-fronted Goose		Cooper's Hawk	
Snow Goose		<b>Northern Goshawk</b>	
Ross's Goose	F	Red-shouldered Hawk	
Canada Goose		Broad-winged Hawk	
Brant	F	<b>[Short-tailed Hawk] H</b>	
<b>[Barnacle Goose]</b>		<b>Swainson's Hawk</b>	
<b>[Mute Swan]</b>		Red-tailed Hawk	
<b>[Trumpeter Swan]</b>		<b>Rough-legged Hawk</b>	
Tundra Swan		Golden Eagle	
Wood Duck		<b>[Crested Caracara]</b>	
Gadwall		American Kestrel	
Eurasian Wigeon	F	Merlin	
American Wigeon		Peregrine Falcon	
American Black Duck		<b>[Prairie Falcon]</b>	
Mallard		<b>[Ring-necked Pheasant]</b>	
Mottled Duck	I	Ruffed Grouse	
Blue-winged Teal		Wild Turkey	
Cinnamon Teal	F	Northern Bobwhite	
Northern Shoveler		Yellow Rail	F
Northern Pintail		Black Rail	I
Green-winged Teal		Clapper Rail	
Canvasback		King Rail	
Redhead		Virginia Rail	
Ring-necked Duck		Sora	
Greater Scaup		Purple Gallinule	
Lesser Scaup		Common Moorhen	
King Eider	F	American Coot	
Common Eider	I	Limpkin	F
<b>Harlequin Duck</b>		Sandhill Crane	

Whooping Crane	F	Red-necked Phalarope	NABI
<b>Northern Lapwing</b>		Red Phalarope	I
Black-bellied Plover		skua species	F
American Golden-Plover		<b>[South Polar Skua] H</b>	
Snowy Plover	F	Pomarine Jaeger	I
Wilson's Plover	I	Parasitic Jaeger	I
Semipalmated Plover		<b>Long-tailed Jaeger</b>	
Piping Plover	NABI	Laughing Gull	
Killdeer		Franklin's Gull	F
American Oystercatcher		<b>Little Gull</b>	
Black-necked Stilt		Black-headed Gull	F
American Avocet		Bonaparte's Gull	
Greater Yellowlegs		Ring-billed Gull	
Lesser Yellowlegs		Herring Gull	
<b>[Spotted Redshank] H</b>		Iceland Gull	F
Solitary Sandpiper		Lesser Black-backed Gull	NABI
Willet	NABI	Glaucous Gull	I
Spotted Sandpiper		Great Black-backed Gull	NABI
Upland Sandpiper		Sabine's Gull	F
<b>Eskimo Curlew</b>		Black-legged Kittiwake	I
Whimbrel		Gull-billed Tern	
Long-billed Curlew	NAB	Caspian Tern	
<b>[Black-tailed Godwit] H</b>		Royal Tern	I
Hudsonian Godwit	F	Sandwich Tern	I
Marbled Godwit	NABI	<b>Roseate Tern</b>	
Ruddy Turnstone		Common Tern	I
Red Knot		<b>Arctic Tern</b>	
Sanderling		Forster's Tern	
Semipalmated Sandpiper		Least Tern	
Western Sandpiper		Bridled Tern	I
Least Sandpiper		Sooty Tern	I
White-rumped Sandpiper		White-winged Tern	F
Baird's Sandpiper	F	Black Tern	
Pectoral Sandpiper		Brown Noddy	F
<b>Sharp-tailed Sandpiper</b>		Black Skimmer	
Purple Sandpiper	I	Dovekie	F
Dunlin		<b>Common Murre</b>	
Curlew Sandpiper	F	Thick-billed Murre	F
Stilt Sandpiper		Razorbill	F
Buff-breasted Sandpiper		Black Guillemot	F
Ruff	F	Long-billed Murrelet	F
Short-billed Dowitcher	NABI	Rock Dove	
Long-billed Dowitcher	NABI	Band-tailed Pigeon	F
Wilson's Snipe		Eurasian Collared-Dove	
American Woodcock		White-winged Dove	NAB
Wilson's Phalarope		Mourning Dove	

Passenger Pigeon		Eastern Phoebe	
Common Ground-Dove		<b>Say's Phoebe</b>	
<b>[Budgerigar]</b>		Vermilion Flycatcher	F
<b>[Monk Parakeet]</b>		<b>[Ash-throated Flycatcher] H</b>	
Carolina Parakeet		Great Crested Flycatcher	
<b>[Green Parakeet]</b>		Western Kingbird	
Black-billed Cuckoo		Eastern Kingbird	
Yellow-billed Cuckoo		Gray Kingbird	I
<b>Smooth-billed Ani</b>		Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	NAB
Groove-billed Ani	F	Fork-tailed Flycatcher	F
Barn Owl		Loggerhead Shrike	
Eastern Screech-Owl		White-eyed Vireo	
Great Horned Owl		Bell's Vireo	F
Snowy Owl	F	Yellow-throated Vireo	
Burrowing Owl	F	Blue-headed Vireo	
Barred Owl		Warbling Vireo	NAB
Long-eared Owl	F	Philadelphia Vireo	
Short-eared Owl		Red-eyed Vireo	
Northern Saw-whet Owl	F	Blue Jay	
Common Nighthawk		American Crow	
Chuck-will's-widow		Fish Crow	
Whip-poor-will		Common Raven	
Chimney Swift		Horned Lark	
<b>Broad-billed Hummingbird</b>		Purple Martin	
<b>Blue-throated Hummingbird</b>		Tree Swallow	
Ruby-throated Hummingbird		Northern Rough-winged Swallow	
Black-chinned Hummingbird	F	Bank Swallow	
Calliope Hummingbird	F	Cliff Swallow	
Rufous Hummingbird		Cave Swallow	F
Belted Kingfisher		Barn Swallow	
Red-headed Woodpecker		Carolina Chickadee	
Red-bellied Woodpecker		<b>[Black-capped Chickadee] H</b>	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		Tufted Titmouse	
Downy Woodpecker		<b>[Bushtit] H</b>	
Hairy Woodpecker		Red-breasted Nuthatch	
Red-cockaded Woodpecker		White-breasted Nuthatch	
Northern Flicker		Brown-headed Nuthatch	
Pileated Woodpecker		Brown Creeper	
Ivory-billed Woodpecker		Carolina Wren	
Olive-sided Flycatcher		Bewick's Wren	F
Eastern Wood-Pewee		House Wren	
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	NAB	Winter Wren	
Acadian Flycatcher		Sedge Wren	
<b>[Alder Flycatcher] H</b>		Marsh Wren	
Willow Flycatcher		Golden-crowned Kinglet	
Least Flycatcher		Ruby-crowned Kinglet	

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher		Prothonotary Warbler	
<b>[Northern Wheatear] H</b>		Worm-eating Warbler	
Eastern Bluebird		Swainson's Warbler	
<b>Townsend's Solitaire</b>		Ovenbird	
Veery		Northern Waterthrush	
Gray-cheeked Thrush		Louisiana Waterthrush	
Bicknell's Thrush	F	Kentucky Warbler	
Swainson's Thrush		Connecticut Warbler	NAB
Hermit Thrush		Mourning Warbler	F
Wood Thrush		Common Yellowthroat	
American Robin		Hooded Warbler	
Varied Thrush	F	Wilson's Warbler	
Gray Catbird		Canada Warbler	
Northern Mockingbird		Yellow-breasted Chat	
Brown Thrasher		Summer Tanager	
European Starling		Scarlet Tanager	
White Wagtail	F	Western Tanager	F
American Pipit		Green-tailed Towhee	F
Sprague's Pipit	F	Spotted Towhee	F
Cedar Waxwing		Eastern Towhee	
Bachman's Warbler	F	Bachman's Sparrow	
Blue-winged Warbler		American Tree Sparrow	F
Golden-winged Warbler		Chipping Sparrow	
Tennessee Warbler		Clay-colored Sparrow	NAB
Orange-crowned Warbler		Field Sparrow	
Nashville Warbler		Vesper Sparrow	
Northern Parula		Lark Sparrow	NAB
Yellow Warbler		Lark Bunting	F
Chestnut-sided Warbler		Savannah Sparrow	
Magnolia Warbler		Grasshopper Sparrow	
Cape May Warbler		Henslow's Sparrow	
Black-throated Blue Warbler		Le Conte's Sparrow	
Yellow-rumped Warbler		Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow	I
Black-throated Gray Warbler	F	Saltmarsh Sharp-tailed Sparrow	I
Black-throated Green Warbler		Seaside Sparrow	
Blackburnian Warbler		Fox Sparrow	
Yellow-throated Warbler		Song Sparrow	
Pine Warbler		Lincoln's Sparrow	
Kirtland's Warbler	F	Swamp Sparrow	
Prairie Warbler		White-throated Sparrow	
Palm Warbler		Harris's Sparrow	F
Bay-breasted Warbler		White-crowned Sparrow	
Blackpoll Warbler		<b>Golden-crowned Sparrow</b>	
Cerulean Warbler		Dark-eyed Junco	
Black-and-white Warbler		Lapland Longspur	NAB
American Redstart		Smith's Longspur	F

Snow Bunting	NAB	Boat-tailed Grackle	I
Northern Cardinal		Shiny Cowbird	F
Rose-breasted Grosbeak		Brown-headed Cowbird	
Black-headed Grosbeak	F	Orchard Oriole	
Blue Grosbeak		Baltimore Oriole	
Lazuli Bunting	F	Bullock's Oriole	F
Indigo Bunting		<b>Pine Grosbeak</b>	
Painted Bunting		Purple Finch	
Dickcissel		House Finch	
Bobolink		Red Crossbill	NAB
Red-winged Blackbird		White-winged Crossbill	F
Eastern Meadowlark		Common Redpoll	F
Western Meadowlark	F	Pine Siskin	
Yellow-headed Blackbird	NAB	American Goldfinch	
Rusty Blackbird		Evening Grosbeak	
Brewer's Blackbird		House Sparrow	
Common Grackle			

#### **Status of Birds not ABA-Valid**

Chilean Flamingo  
 Caribbean Coot  
 Ringed Turtle-Dove  
 Cuban Emerald  
 Tropical/Couch's Kingbird  
 House Crow  
 Red-crested Cardinal  
 Troupial  
 Village Weaver

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