

	PF	M	SA		PF	M	SA
<b>Waxwings &amp; Old World Sparrows &amp; Pipits</b>							
<input type="checkbox"/> Bohemian Waxwing		W		<input type="checkbox"/> Bullock's Oriole	B	B	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cedar Waxwing	B	B	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Red-winged Blackbird	R	R	M
<input type="checkbox"/> House Sparrow	R	R		<input type="checkbox"/> Brown-headed Cowbird	B	B	V
<input type="checkbox"/> American Pipit	M	M	B	<input type="checkbox"/> Rusty Blackbird	V		
<b>Finches</b>				<input type="checkbox"/> Brewer's Blackbird	M	B	V
<input type="checkbox"/> Brambling	V			<input type="checkbox"/> Common Grackle	B	B	
<input type="checkbox"/> Evening Grosbeak	M	M	B	<input type="checkbox"/> Great-tailed Grackle		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Grosbeak		W	R	<b>Wood Warblers</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch		W	W	<input type="checkbox"/> Ovenbird	V	B	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Rosy-Finch		W	W	<input type="checkbox"/> Worm-eating Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Brown-capped Rosy-Finch		W	R	<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Waterthrush	M		
<input type="checkbox"/> House Finch	R	R		<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-winged Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Finch	V			<input type="checkbox"/> Black-and-white Warbler	V	V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cassin's Finch		R	R	<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Redpoll		W		<input type="checkbox"/> Prothonotary Warbler		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Red Crossbill		R	R	<input type="checkbox"/> Tennessee Warbler	V		B
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Crossbill		W		<input type="checkbox"/> Orange-crowned Warbler	M	M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Siskin	M	R	R	<input type="checkbox"/> Nashville Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Goldfinch	B	B	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Virginia's Warbler	B	B	V
<input type="checkbox"/> American Goldfinch	R	R	V	<input type="checkbox"/> MacGillivray's Warbler	B	B	M
<b>Longspurs &amp; Towhees, Sparrows</b>				<input type="checkbox"/> Common Yellowthroat	B	B	V
<input type="checkbox"/> Lapland Longspur		V		<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick-billed Longspur	V			<input type="checkbox"/> American Redstart	B	M	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cassin's Sparrow	V	V		<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Parula	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Grasshopper Sparrow		V		<input type="checkbox"/> Magnolia Warbler		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Sparrow	M	M	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Bay-breasted Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Bunting	M	V	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Blackburnian Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Chipping Sparrow	B	B	B	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Warbler	B	B	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Clay-colored Sparrow	M			<input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut-sided Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Field Sparrow		V		<input type="checkbox"/> Blackpoll Warbler	M	V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Brewer's Sparrow	M	M		<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Blue Warbler		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fox Sparrow		M	B	<input type="checkbox"/> Palm Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Sparrow	W	W		<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Warbler		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dark-eyed Junco	R	R	B	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-rumped Warbler	M	B	B
<input type="checkbox"/> White-crowned Sparrow	M	M	B	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-Throated Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-crowned Sparrow	V	V		<input type="checkbox"/> Prairie Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Harris's Sparrow	W	V		<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Gray Warbler	V	V	
<input type="checkbox"/> White-throated Sparrow	W	V		<input type="checkbox"/> Townsend's Warbler	M	M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Sagebrush Sparrow	V	V		<input type="checkbox"/> Hermit Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Vesper Sparrow	B	B	M	<input type="checkbox"/> Black-throated Green Warbler	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Savannah Sparrow	B	B	M	<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Warbler		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Song Sparrow	R	R	M	<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Warbler	M	B	B
<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln's Sparrow	M	B	B	<b>Tanagers, Cardinals, Allies</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Swamp Sparrow		V		<input type="checkbox"/> Summer Tanager	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-tailed Towhee	B	B	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Tanager	V		
<input type="checkbox"/> Spotted Towhee	B	B	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Tanager	B	B	M
<b>Chat &amp; Blackbirds</b>				<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Cardinal	V	V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-breasted Chat	B			<input type="checkbox"/> Rose-breasted Grosbeak	M	V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-headed Blackbird	M	M		<input type="checkbox"/> Black-headed Grosbeak	B	B	V
<input type="checkbox"/> Bobolink	V	V		<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Grosbeak		M	
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Meadowlark	B	B	V	<input type="checkbox"/> Lazuli Bunting	B	B	
<input type="checkbox"/> Orchard Oriole	M			<input type="checkbox"/> Indigo Bunting	B	B	
				<input type="checkbox"/> Painted Bunting		V	

## Bear Creek Watershed Bird Checklist

This bird checklist includes those species found in the Bear Creek Watershed during all seasons of the year in three elevation zones. A map of the watershed can be found at <http://www.evergreenaudubon.org>, under "Nature & Conservation, Local Birding." Data for this checklist are derived from Evergreen Audubon monitoring projects, group bird walks, and individual birders' observations, including those in eBird.org. It is organized by families and reflects the taxonomic sequence of the Checklist of North American Birds, 7th edition, American Ornithological Society (1998) updated through the 63<sup>rd</sup> Supplement (2022).

### Elevation Zones

**PF** (plains/foothills) - generally below 7,000' dominated by grasses, junipers, and shrubs; deciduous trees present in riparian areas.

**M** (montane) - between 7,000' and 9,500' dominated by Ponderosa Pine, Douglas Fir, and Lodgepole Pine (at higher elevations); aspen stands, willow shrubs, and meadows.

**SA** (subalpine/alpine) - areas above 9,500' dominated by Lodgepole Pine, Engelman Spruce, Subalpine Fir, and Bristlecone Pine; willow shrubs transition to alpine dwarf shrubs, forbs, and herbs; rock talus slopes.

### Seasonal Status

B - known or suspected breeding

M - regular spring or fall migrant

R - resident throughout the year

W - present in winter

V - irregular visitant during any season

As of 1 December 2024, 336 species have been recorded in the Bear Creek Watershed

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### Ducks, Geese, Swans

	PF	M	SA
<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Goose		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ross's Goose		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater White-fronted Goose		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cackling Goose		M	
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Goose	R	B	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Trumpeter Swan		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tundra Swan		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Duck		B	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Teal		M	B
<input type="checkbox"/> Cinnamon Teal		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shoveler		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Gadwall		B	M
<input type="checkbox"/> American Wigeon		M	V
<input type="checkbox"/> Mallard	R	R	B
<input type="checkbox"/> Mexican Duck		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Pintail		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-winged Teal		M	B
<input type="checkbox"/> Canvasback		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Redhead		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Duck		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Scaup		M	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Scaup		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Surf Scoter		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Scoter		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Scoter		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bufflehead		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Goldeneye		W	W
<input type="checkbox"/> Barrow's Goldeneye		W	W
<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Merganser		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Merganser		W	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Merganser		M	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruddy Duck		M	M
<b>Quail, Turkeys, Ptarmigan, &amp; Grouse</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Bobwhite (Release?)		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Wild Turkey		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> White-tailed Ptarmigan			R
<input type="checkbox"/> Dusky Grouse		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Pheasant		R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chukar (Release?)		V	V
<b>Grebes, Pigeons &amp; Doves</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Pied-billed Grebe		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Grebe		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-necked Grebe		V	
<input type="checkbox"/> Eared Grebe		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Grebe		M	M
<input type="checkbox"/> Clark's Grebe		M	
<input type="checkbox"/> Rock Pigeon		R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Band-tailed Pigeon			R
<input type="checkbox"/> Eurasian Collared-Dove		R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Dove		B	B

	PF	M	SA		PF	M	SA
<b>Cuckoos, Roadrunners &amp; Nightjars</b>				Franklin's Gull	M	M	
Greater Roadrunner	V			Ring-billed Gull	R	M	V
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	V			California Gull	M	M	V
Black-billed Cuckoo	V			Herring Gull	M		
Common Nighthawk	B	M		Iceland Gull	V		
Common Poorwill	B			Great Black-backed Gull	V		
<b>Swifts &amp; Hummingbirds</b>				Black Tern		M	
Black Swift			M	Common Tern	V		
Chimney Swift	V			Forster's Tern	M	M	
White-throated Swift	B	M		<b>Loons &amp; Cormorants &amp; Pelicans</b>			
Blue-throated Mountain-gem		V		Red-throated Loon		V	
Black-chinned Hummingbird	B	M		Pacific Loon	V		
Costa's Hummingbird			V	Common Loon	M	M	
Calliope Hummingbird	M	M	M	Double-crested Cormorant	M	M	M
Rufous Hummingbird	M	M	M	American White Pelican	M	M	
Broad-tailed Hummingbird	B	B	B	<b>Bitterns, Herons &amp; Ibis</b>			
<b>Rails, Coots &amp; Cranes</b>				American Bittern	M	M	
Virginia Rail	R	B		Great Blue Heron	R	M	V
Sora	R	B	V	Great Egret	M	M	
American Coot	R	M	M	Snowy Egret	M		
Sandhill Crane	M	M		Little Blue Heron		V	
<b>Shorebirds</b>				Cattle Egret	M		
Black-necked Stilt	M	M		Green Heron	V		
American Avocet	M	M		Black-crowned Night-Heron	B	M	
Black-bellied Plover	V			Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	V		
Killdeer	B	B		White-faced Ibis	M	M	
Semipalmated Plover	V			<b>Vultures &amp; Osprey &amp; Hawks, Eagles</b>			
Long-billed Curlew	V	V		Turkey Vulture	B	M	
Hudsonian Godwit	V			Osprey	M	M	M
Marbled Godwit		M		Golden Eagle	M	R	R
Stilt Sandpiper	V			Northern Harrier	M	M	M
Sanderling	M			Sharp-shinned Hawk	M	B	B
Baird's Sandpiper	M	M	M	Cooper's Hawk	B	M	V
Least Sandpiper	M	M		Northern Goshawk	M	W	R
White-rumped Sandpiper	V			Bald Eagle	W	M	V
Pectoral Sandpiper	V			Mississippi Kite		V	
Semipalmated Sandpiper	V			Broad-winged Hawk	M		
Western Sandpiper	M	M		Swainson's Hawk	B	M	
Long-billed Dowitcher	M	M		Red-tailed Hawk	R	R	B
Wilson's Snipe	B	B		Rough-legged Hawk	W	W	
Spotted Sandpiper	B	B	M	Ferruginous Hawk	W	W	M
Solitary Sandpiper	M	M		<b>Barn Owls &amp; Typical Owls</b>			
Lesser Yellowlegs	M	M		Barn Owl	B		
Willet	M	M	V	Flammulated Owl		B	
Greater Yellowlegs	M	M		Western Screech-Owl		V	
Wilson's Phalarope	M	M	V	Eastern Screech-Owl	R		
Red-necked Phalarope	V		V	Great Horned Owl	R	R	R
<b>Alcids &amp; Gulls, Terns</b>				Northern Pygmy-Owl	R	R	
Ancient Murrelet	V			Burrowing Owl	M		
Sabine's Gull			V	Long-eared Owl	B	V	
Bonaparte's Gull		M		Short-eared Owl	W	W	
Laughing Gull	V			Boreal Owl	M	B	

	PF	M	SA		PF	M	SA
Northern Saw-whet Owl		R	R	American Crow	R	R	B
<b>Kingfishers &amp; Woodpeckers</b>				Chihuahuan Raven	V		
Belted Kingfisher	R	R		Common Raven	B	R	R
Lewis's Woodpecker	V	V		<b>Larks &amp; Swallows</b>			
Red-headed Woodpecker	V	V		Horned Lark		M	B
Williamson's Sapsucker		B	V	Bank Swallow	B	B	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	M	M		Tree Swallow	B	B	M
Red-naped Sapsucker	M	B	B	Violet-green Swallow	B	B	B
Am. Three-toed Woodpecker			R	N. Rough-winged Swallow	B	B	V
Downy Woodpecker	R	R	V	Barn Swallow	B	B	V
Hairy Woodpecker	R	R	R	Cliff Swallow	B	B	
Northern Flicker	R	R	B	<b>Chickadees &amp; Bushtits &amp; Nuthatches</b>			
<b>Falcons</b>				Black-capped Chickadee	R	R	B
American Kestrel	B	B	M	Mountain Chickadee	R	R	R
Merlin	M	M	M	Juniper Titmouse	V		
Peregrine Falcon	M	M	B	Bushtit	B		
Prairie Falcon	B	M	B	Red-breasted Nuthatch	M	R	R
<b>Flycatchers</b>				White-breasted Nuthatch	R	R	R
Ash-throated Flycatcher	V			Pygmy Nuthatch	W	R	
Cassin's Kingbird	V	V		<b>Creepers &amp; Wrens</b>			
Western Kingbird	B	M	V	Brown Creeper	M	R	R
Eastern Kingbird	B	M		Rock Wren	B	B	B
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	V			Canyon Wren	B		
Olive-sided Flycatcher	M	B	B	House Wren	B	B	B
Western Wood-Pewee	B	B	B	Pacific Wren	V		
Willow Flycatcher	M		V	Winter Wren	M	M	
Least Flycatcher	M			Marsh Wren	B	B	
Hammond's Flycatcher	M	B	M	Bewick's Wren	V		
Gray Flycatcher	V			<b>Gnatcatchers &amp; Dippers &amp; Kinglets</b>			
Dusky Flycatcher	B	B	B	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	B	V	
Cordilleran Flycatcher	B	B	B	American Dipper	R	R	B
Black Phoebe	V			Golden-crowned Kinglet	B	B	
Eastern Phoebe	M			Ruby-crowned Kinglet	M	B	B
Say's Phoebe	B		B	<b>Thrushes</b>			
<b>Shrikes &amp; Vireos</b>				Eastern Bluebird	M		
Loggerhead Shrike	M	M		Western Bluebird		B	M
Northern Shrike	W	W		Mountain Bluebird	B	B	B
White-eyed Vireo	V			Townsend's Solitaire	W	R	B
Gray Vireo	V			Veery	V		
Cassin's Vireo	M			Gray-cheeked Thrush	V		
Blue-headed Vireo	V			Swainson's Thrush	M	B	
Plumbeous Vireo	B	B		Hermit Thrush	M	B	B
Warbling Vireo	B	B	M	Wood Thrush	V		
Red-eyed Vireo	B	B		American Robin	R	R	B
<b>Jays, Magpies, Crows</b>				Varied Thrush	M	V	
Canada Jay			R	<b>Mockingbirds, Thrashers &amp; Starlings</b>			
Pinyon Jay		V	V	Gray Catbird	B	B	
Steller's Jay	R	R	R	Curve-billed Thrasher	V		
Blue Jay	R	V		Brown Thrasher	V	V	V
Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay	R	V		Sage Thrasher	M		
Clark's Nutcracker			R	Northern Mockingbird	M	B	
Black-billed Magpie	R	R		European Starling	R	R	