

Abundance Key		Season Key	
R	Rarely seen	SP	March-May
O	Occasionally seen	S	June-August
P	Usually present	F	Sept.-Nov.
C	Common	W	Dec.-Feb.

	SP	S	F	W
Waterfowl				
___ Snow Goose			O	O
___ Canada Goose	C	C	C	C
___ Trumpeter Swan			O	O
___ Wood Duck	O	O	O	
___ Eurasian Wigeon	O		O	O
___ American Wigeon	C	O	C	C
___ Gadwall	C	C	C	C
___ Green-winged Teal	C		C	C
___ Mallard	C	C	C	C
___ Blue-winged Teal	R		R	
___ Northern Shoveler	C	O	P	C
___ Redhead			R	R
___ Ring-necked Duck	P			P
___ Greater Scaup	C		C	C
___ Lesser Scaup	C	O	C	C
___ Common Goldeneye				O
___ Bufflehead	C			C
___ Hooded Merganser	P			P
___ Common Merganser	C		C	C
___ Red-breasted Merg.	O		O	
Game Birds				
___ California Quail	O	O	O	O
___ Ring-necked Pheasant	O	O	O	O
Loons, Grebes				
___ Pied-billed Grebe	O	O	O	O
Hérons and Allies				
___ Great Blue Heron	C	C	C	C
___ Green Heron	R	R	R	R

	SP	S	F	W
___ American Bittern	O	O	O	O
___ Double-crested Cormorant	C	C	C	C
Raptors				
___ Osprey	O	O		
___ Bald Eagle	C	C	C	C
___ Northern Harrier	C	C	C	C
___ Sharp-shinned Hawk	O	O	O	O
___ Cooper's Hawk	O	O	O	O
___ Red-tailed Hawk	C	C	C	C
___ Merlin				R
___ Peregrine Falcon	O	O	O	O
Marsh Birds				
___ Virginia Rail	O	O	O	O
___ Sora	R	R		
___ American Coot	C	C	C	C
Shorebirds and Gulls				
___ Killdeer	C	C	C	C
___ Wilson's Snipe			O	O
___ Spotted Sandpiper	R	R		
___ Mew Gull	C		C	C
___ Ring-billed Gull	C		C	C
___ California Gull			O	O
___ Glaucous-winged Gull	C	C	C	C
Pigeons and Doves				
___ Rock Dove	C	C	C	C
___ Band-tailed Pigeon	O	O	O	
___ Mourning Dove	O	O	O	O
Owls				
___ Barn Owl	P	P	P	P
___ Great Horned Owl	P	P	P	P
Swifts and Hummingbirds				
___ Vaux Swift	O		O	
___ Anna's Hummingbird	P	P	P	P
___ Rufous Hummingbird	C	C		
Kingfishers and Woodpeckers				
___ Belted Kingfisher	C	C	C	C
___ Red-breasted Sapsucker	O	O	O	O
___ Downy Woodpecker	C	C	C	C

	SP	S	F	W
___ Hairy Woodpecker	C	C	C	C
___ Northern Flicker	C	C	C	C
Jays and Crows				
___ Steller's Jay	C	C	C	C
___ American Crow	C	C	C	C
___ Common Raven	C	C	C	C
Swallows				
___ Tree Swallow	C	C		
___ Violet-green Swallow	C	C		
___ Cliff Swallow	O	O		
___ Barn Swallow	C	C		
___ Northern Rough-winged Swallow	O	O		
Perching Birds				
___ Pacific Slope Flycatcher	C	C		
___ Willow Flycatcher	P	P		
___ Western Wood-pewee	P	P		
___ Warbling Vireo	C	C		
___ Black-capped Chickadee	C	C	C	C
___ Chestnut-backed Chickadee	C	C	C	C
___ Red-breasted Nuthatch	P	P	P	P
___ Brown Creeper	C	C	C	C
___ Bewick's Wren	C	C	C	C
___ Marsh Wren	C	C	C	C
___ Golden-crowned Kinglet	C	O	C	C
___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet	C		C	C
___ Townsend's Solitaire	R			
___ Swainson's Thrush		C		
___ American Robin	C	C	C	C
___ Varied Thrush	O	R	O	C
___ European Starling	C	C	C	C
___ Cedar Waxwing	C	C	C	
___ Dark-eyed Junco	C	C	C	C
___ Orange-crowned Warbler	C	C		
___ Yellow Warbler	C	C		
___ Yellow-rumped Warbler	C	C	C	O
___ Common Yellowthroat Warbler	C	C	C	
___ Wilson's Warbler	C	C		
___ Song Sparrow	C	C	C	C

	SP	S	F	W
___ Savannah Sparrow	C	C	C	
___ Fox Sparrow			O	O
___ Lincoln's Sparrow	O	O	O	O
___ White-crowned Sparrow	C	C	C	C
___ Golden-crowned Sparrow			C	C
___ House Sparrow	C	C	C	C
___ Black-headed Grosbeak	C	C		
___ Lazuli Bunting	O	O		
___ Red-winged Blackbird	C	C	C	C
___ Western Meadowlark			O	O
___ Spotted Towhee	C	C	C	C
___ Brewer's Blackbird	C	C	C	C
___ Brown-headed Cowbird	C	C	C	O
___ Bullock's Oriole	O	O		
___ Purple Finch	C	C	C	C
___ House Finch	C	C	C	C
___ Bushtit	O	O	O	O
___ Pine Siskin	C	C	C	C
___ American Goldfinch	C	C	C	O
___ Northern Shrike	O			O
___ Western Tanager	P	P		
___ Red Crossbill	O	O	O	O



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The City of Snohomish welcomes you to

Riverview Wildlife Refuge, a mile of riverside paths for walking and wildlife viewing. This sanctuary is valuable for its riparian (waterside) habitat and its location on the Pacific Flyway which is traveled by millions of migrating birds every year. The wetland just north of the sanctuary supports an especially wide variety of birds.

Unusual birds seen over the years include **American Black Duck, American Avocet, Black Tern, Northern Mockingbird** and **Swamp Sparrow**.

Given ongoing development in the watershed, these species may not be found here again but you have a very good chance of seeing many species listed in this brochure.

The famous **Milwaukee Railroad** ran through this property in the early 20th century, connecting Snohomish to Chicago. After the **Graafstra** farm operated here for generations, levees were constructed to build the city's first sewage lagoon in the 1950s. Those levees are the paths we walk today and served Snohomish sewage needs for about fifty years. The triangular area at the northwest corner is a capped and pipe-vented remediation site where stormwater catch-basin sediments containing heavy metals were once dumped. The lagoon was decommissioned when improved technology decreased the treatment area to the four much smaller ponds visible east of the sanctuary. Waterfowl flock to these ponds, effectively enlarging the "habitat" available to our wild birds!

We hope you enjoy and respect this special place. Please do not feed the wildlife. To help the birds of

Riverview Wildlife Refuge, donations of time and money would be appreciated by the City of Snohomish and the Pilchuck Audubon Society for further habitat restoration. If you see a bird species not listed, please contact Pilchuck Audubon through the website address listed.



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Bird Checklist



Red-tailed Hawk by Cathy Clark



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