# BIRDS SIGHTED AT THE MORGAN CITY WASTEWATER LAGOONS

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#### LOONS

r Pacific Loon Common Loon

#### **GREBES**

\* Pied-Billed Grebe Eared Grebe Western Grebe

r Clark's Grebe

## PELICANS & CORMORANTS

r American White Pelican Double-crested Cormorant

## **BITTERNS & HERONS**

r American Bittern

\* Great Blue Heron Snowy Egret

Cattle Egret r Green Heron

Black-crowned Night-Heron

#### **IBISES & SPOONBILLS**

White-Faced Ibis

## **SWANS, GEESE & DUCKS**

r Tundra Swan Snow Goose r Ross' Goose

\* Canada Goose

r White-fronted Goose

Wood Duck

Green-winged Teal

\* Mallard

Northern Pintail Blue-winged Teal

\* Cinnamon Teal

Northern Shoveler

Gadwall

American Wigeon

Canvasback

Redhead

Ring-necked Duck

Lesser Scaup

Common Goldeneye

Barrow's Goldeneye

Bufflehead

Common Merganser

r Red-breasted Merganser

r Surf Scoter

Ruddy Duck

## HAWKS, FALCONS & VULTURES

Turkey Vulture

Osprey

Bald Eagle

Northern Harrier

Sharp-Shinned Hawk

Cooper's Hawk

Northern Goshawk

\* Red-tailed Hawk

r Rough-legged Hawk

\* American Kestrel

Merlin

r Peregrine Falcon

r Prairie Falcon

# GROUSE, PHEASANTS, TURKEYS & QUAIL

r Gray (Hungarian) Partridge Ring-necked Pheasant

r Blue Grouse

\* California Quail

## CRANES, RAILS, GALLINULES & COOTS

\* Sora

r Virgina Rail

\* American Coot

\* Sandhill Crane

## PLOVERS & SANDPIPERS

r Snowy Plover

Semipalmated Plover

\* Killdeer

Black-necked Stilt

\* American Avocet

Greater Yellowlegs

Lesser Yellowlegs

Solitary Sandpiper

Willet

\* Spotted Sandpiper

r Long-Billed Curlew

r Marbled Godwit

r Sanderling

Semipalmated Sandpiper

Western Sandpiper

Least Sandpiper

r Baird's Sandpiper

r Pectoral Sandpiper

Long-Billed Dowitcher

Common Snipe

Wilson's Phalarope

Red-necked Phalarope

## **GULLS, TERNS & ALCIDS**

Franklin's Gull

Bonaparte's Gull

Ring-billed Gull

California Gull

Forester's Tern

Black Tern

# PIGEONS & DOVES

Rock Dove

\* Mourning Dove

r Ruddy Ground-Dove (female 9/18/05)

#### <u>OWLS</u>

\* Great Horned Owl

r Saw Whet Owl

#### **GOATSUCKERS**

Common Nighthawk

## HUMMINGBIRDS

r Calliope Hummingbird Black-chinned Hummingbird Broad-tailed Hummingbird

## **KINGFISHERS**

\* Belted Kingfisher

## WOODPECKERS

- \* Downy Woodpecker
- r Hairy Woodpecker
- \* Red-shafted Flicker
- r Red-naped Sapsucker

#### **FLYCATCHER**

- \* Western Wood Peewee
- r Willow Flycatcher Dusky Flycatcher
- r Gray Flycatcher
- r Say's Phoebe

Western Kingbird

r Eastern Kingbird

## **LARKS**

Horned Lark

## **SWALLOWS**

\* Tree Swallow

Violet-green Swallow

Northern Rough-winged Swallow

Bank Swallow

Cliff Swallow

Barn Swallow

## JAYS & CROWS

Western Scrub Jay

- r Steller's Jay
- \* Black-billed Magpie

American Crow

Common Raven

# TITMICE, VERDIN & BUSHTITS

- \* Black-capped Chickadee
- r Mountain Chickadee

#### **WRENS**

\* House Wren

Marsh Wren

## **KINGLETS & GNATCATCHERS**

Ruby-crowned Kinglet

## **THRUSHES**

Mountain Bluebird

Townsend's Solitaire

Hermit Thrush

\* American Robin

## **THRASHERS**

- r Sage Thrasher
- r Gray Catbird

## **PIPITS**

American Pipit

## **WAXWINGS & PHAINOPEPLA**

\* Cedar Waxwing

# **SHRIKES**

Northern Shrike

## STARLINGS

\* European Starling

## **VIREOS**

Warbling Vireo

#### WARBLERS

Orange-crowned Warbler

\* Yellow Warbler

Yellow-rumped Warbler (Audubon)

Yellow-rumped Warbler (Myrtle's)

MacGillivray's Warbler

- \* Common Yellowthroat
- r American Redstart

Wilson's Warbler

## **TANAGERS**

Western Tanager

# **GROSBEAKS & SPARROWS**

\* Black-headed Grosbeak

Lazuli Bunting

Green-tailed Towhee

Spotted Towhee

American Tree Sparrow

Chipping Sparrow

Vesper Sparrow

Lark Sparrow

Savannah Sparrow

r Fox Sparrow (Taiga)

Fox Sparrow (Interior West)

- \* Song Sparrow
- r Swamp Sparrow
- r White-throated Sparrow

White-crowned Sparrow

Harris' Sparrow

Dark-eyed Junco (Oregon)

Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)

Dark-eyed Junco (Gray-headed)

r Snow Bunting

## **BLACKBIRDS & ORIOLES**

\* Red-winged Blackbird

Western Meadowlark

Yellow-headed Blackbird

Brewer's Blackbird

- r Rusty Blackbird
- r Great-tailed Grackle
- \* Brown-headed Cowbird
- \* Bullock's Oriole

## **FINCHES**

House Finch

Casian's Finch

Pine Siskin

Lesser Goldfinch

\* American Goldfinch

r Evening Grosbeak

# **WEAVER FINCHES**

\* House (English) Sparrow

- \* Bird species have nested at the wastewater lagoons sometime since 1970
- r Rare, this bird species has been seen at the wastewater lagoons less than 3 times since 1970

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