#### **Checklist for Birds of the Granite Mountains**

#### **UPLAND GAME BIRDS**

R	! Chukar	Alectoris chukar
R	Mountain Quail	Oreortyx pictus
R	* Gambel's Quail	Callipepla gambelii

#### **DIURNAL RAPTORS**

SR		Turkey Vulture	Cathartes aura
M		Osprey	Pandion haliaetus
M		Northern Harrier	Circus cyaneus
WR		Sharp-shinned Hawk	Accipiter striatus
R		Cooper's Hawk	Accipiter cooperii
M		Swainson's Hawk	Buteo swainsoni
SR	*	Zone-tailed Hawk	Buteo albonotatus
R	*	Red-tailed Hawk	Buteo jamaicensis
WR		Ferruginous Hawk	Buteo regalis
WR		Rough-legged Hawk	Buteo lagopus
R	*	Golden Eagle	Aquila chrysaetos
R	*	American Kestrel	Falco sparverius
M		Peregrine Falcon	Falco peregrinus
R		Prairie Falcon	Falco mexicanus

### **PIGEONS & DOVES**

R	! Rock Pigeon	Columba livia
V	Band-tailed Pigeon	Patagioenas fasciata
SR	White-winged Dove	Zenaida asiatica
R	* Mourning Dove	Zenaida macroura
R	! Eurasion Collared Dove	Streptopelia decaocto

#### **CUCKOOS & RELATIVES**

Geococcyx californianus R \* Greater Roadrunner

# OWLS Barn Owl

	OWES	
R	Barn Owl	Tyto alba
R	* Western Screech-Owl	Megascops kennicottii
R	* Great Horned Owl	Bubo virginianus
R	Burrowing Owl	Athene cunicularia
R	Long-eared Owl	Asio otus
V	Northern Saw-whet Owl	Aegolius acadicus
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#### **GOATSUCKERS**

SR	Lesser Nighthawk	Chordeiles acutipennis
R	Common Poorwill	Phalaenoptilus nuttallii

# HUMMINGBIRDS & SWIFTS Vaux's Swift Ch

M	Vaux's Swift	Chaetura vauxi
R	* White-throated Swift	Aeronautes saxatalis
M	Black-chinned Hummingbird	Archilochus alexandri
SR	Anna's Hummingbird	Calypte anna
SR	* Costa's Hummingbird	Calypte costae
M	Calliope Hummingbird	Stellula calliope
V	Broad-tailed Hummingbird	Selasphorus platycercus
M	Rufous Hummingbird	Selasphorus rufus

#### WOODPECKERS

V	Lewis's Woodpecker	Melanerpes lewis
V	Acorn Woodpecker	Melanerpes formicivorus
V	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Sphyrapicus varius
M	Red-naped Sapsucker	Sphyrapicus nuchalis

M	Red-breasted Sapsucker	Sphyrapicus ruber
R	* Ladder-backed Woodpecker	Picoides scalaris
WR	Northern Flicker	Colaptes auratus

#### TYRANT FLYCATCHERS

M	Olive-sided Flycatcher	Contopus cooperi
M	Western Wood-Pewee	Contopus sordidulus
M	Willow Flycatcher	Empidonax traillii
M	Hammond's Flycatcher	Empidonax hammondii
M	Gray Flycatcher	Empidonax wrightii
M	Dusky Flycatcher	Empidonax oberholseri
M	Pacific-slope Flycatcher	Empidonax difficilis
R	Black Phoebe	Sayornis nigricans
R	* Say's Phoebe	Sayornis saya
V	Vermilion Flycatcher	Pyrocephalus rubinus
SR	* Ash-throated Flycatcher	Myiarchus cinerascens
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SR \* Cassin's Kingbird Tyrannus vociferans Western Kingbird Tyrannus verticalis

#### **SHRIKES & VIREOS**

R	* Loggerhead Shrike	Lanius ludovicianus
SR	Gray Vireo	Vireo vicinior
M	Plumbeous Vireo	Vireo plumbeus
M	Cassin's Vireo	Vireo cassinii
M	Warbling Vireo	Vireo gilvus
V	Philadelphia Vireo	Vireo philadelphicus

# JAYS, CROWS, & RAVENS

WR	Steller's Jay	Cyanocitta stelleri
R	* Western Scrub-Jay	Aphelocoma californica
R	Pinyon Jay	Gymnorhinus cyanocephalus
V	Clark's Nutcracker	Nucifraga columbiana
R	* Common Raven	Corvus corax

### LARKS & SWALLOWS

R	Horned Lark	Eremophila alpestris
SR	* Violet-green Swallow	Tachycineta thalassina
M	Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica

## CHICKADEES & RELATIVES

R	Mountain Chickadee	Poecile gambeli
R	* Juniper Titmouse	Baeolophus ridgwayi
R	* Verdin	Auriparus flaviceps
R	Bushtit	Psaltriparus minimus
WR	Red-breasted Nuthatch	Sitta canadensis

#### WDENC

	WRENS	
R	* Cactus Wren	Campylorhynchus brunneicapillus
R	* Rock Wren	Salpinctes obsoletus
R	* Canyon Wren	Catherpes mexicanus
R	* Bewick's Wren	Thryomanes bewickii
M	House Wren	Troglodytes aedon

#### **OLD WORLD WARBLERS & GNATCATHERS**

WR	Golden-crowned Kinglet	Regulus satrapa
WR	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	Regulus calendula
SR	* Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Polioptila caerulea
R	* Black-tailed Gnatcatcher	Polioptila melanura
M	Western Bluebird	Sialia mexicana

M	Townsend's Solitaire	Myadestes townsendi
M	Swainson's Thrush	Catharus ustulatus
M	Hermit Thrush	Catharus guttatus
M	American Robin	Turdus migratorius
V	Varied Thrush	Ixoreus naevius
	THRASHERS & MOCKING	GBIRDS
R	* Northern Mockingbird	Mimus polyglottos
M	Sage Thrasher	Oreoscoptes montanus
SR	* Bendire's Thrasher	Toxostoma bendirei
R	* Crissal Thrasher	Toxostoma crissale
R	* Le Conte's Thrasher	Toxostoma lecontei
	STARLINGS	
R	! European Starling	Sturnus vulgaris
	PIPITS	
M	American Pipit	Anthus rubescens
	WAXWINGS	
M	Cedar Waxwing	Bombycilla cedrorum
	SILKY-FLYCATCHERS	
R	* Phainopepla	Phainopepla nitens
	WOOD-WARBLERS	
M	Orange-crowned Warbler	Vermivora celata
M	Nashville Warbler	Vermivora ruficapilla
M	Virginia's Warbler	Vermivora virginiae
V	Northern Parula	Parula americana
M	Yellow Warbler	Dendroica petechia
M	Yellow-rumped Warbler	Dendroica coronata
SR	* Black-throated Gray Warbler	Dendroica nigrescens
M	Townsend's Warbler	Dendroica townsendi
M	Hermit Warbler	Dendroica occidentalis
V	Blackburnian Warbler	Dendroica fusca
V	Prothonotary Warbler	Protonotaria citrea
M	MacGillivray's Warbler	Oporornis tolmiei
M	Common Yellowthroat	Geothlypis trichas
M	Wilson's Warbler	Wilsonia pusilla
V M	Painted Redstart Yellow-breasted Chat	Myioborus pictus Icteria virens
V	TANAGERS, GROSBEAKS Hepatic Tanager	, & RELATIVES  Piranga flava
M	Summer Tanager	r tranga jiava Piranga rubra
M	Western Tanager	Piranga ludoviciana
V	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	Pheucticus ludovicianus
SR	Black-headed Grosbeak	Pheucticus melanocephalus
M	Lazuli Bunting	Passerina amoena
V	Indigo Bunting	Passerina cyanea
	SPARROWS, TOWHEES, &	RELATIVES
M	Green-tailed Towhee	Pipilo chlorurus
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M	Green-tailed Towhee	Pipilo chlorurus
M	Spotted Towhee	Pipilo maculatus
M	Rufous-crowned Sparrow	Aimophila ruficeps
SR	Chipping Sparrow	Spizella passerina
SR	Brewer's Sparrow	Spizella breweri
SR	* Black-chinned Sparrow	Spizella atrogularis

Μ Lark Sparrow Chondestes grammacus R Black-throated Sparrow Amphispiza bilineata WR Sage Sparrow Amphispiza belli Μ Savannah Sparrow Passerculus sandwichensis V Grasshopper Sparrow Ammodramus savannarum M Fox Sparrow Passerella iliaca M Lincoln's Sparrow Melospiza lincolnii V White-throated Sparrow Zonotrichia albicollis WR White-crowned Sparrow Zonotrichia leucophrys M Golden-crowned Sparrow Zonotrichia atricapilla WR Junco hyemalis Dark-eyed Junco

#### ORIOLES, BLACKBIRDS, & RELATIVES

V Red-winged Blackbird Agelaius phoeniceus M Western Meadowlark Sturnella neglecta V Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus Yellow-headed Blackbird V Brewer's Blackbird Euphagus cyanocephalus V Great-tailed Grackle Quiscalus mexicanus SRBrown-headed Cowbird Molothrus ater SR Hooded Oriole Icterus cucullatus SRBullock's Oriole Icterus bullockii SR Scott's Oriole Icterus parisorum

#### FINCHES & OLD WORLD SPARROWS

V Carpodacus cassinii Cassin's Finch R \* House Finch Carpodacus mexicanus WR Pine Siskin Carduelis pinus R \* Lesser Goldfinch Carduelis psaltria M Lawrence's Goldfinch Carduelis lawrencei M American Goldfinch Carduelis tristis V **Evening Grosbeak** Coccothraustes vespertinus

R ! House Sparrow Passer domesticus

Resident (R) = present all year, breeds in the Granites (or area); Summer Resident (SR) = present in summer (spring-fall) and breeds in the Granites; Winter Resident (WR) = consistent presence in winter; Non-breeding Migrant (M) = present seasonally (inconsistent or for short duration), does not breed in Granites; Vagrant (V) = accidental, very unusual, presence is not predictable, or historic records only. (!) = non-native to area; (\*) = direct evidence has been observed for nesting/breeding in the Granites