
Appendix C
Wildlife Information

Common Reptile and Amphibian Species in Mower County, MN

Western Chorus Frog	<i>Pseudacris triseriata</i>
Pickereel Frog	<i>Rana palustris</i>
Northern Leopard Frog	<i>Rana pipiens</i>
Green Frog	<i>Rana clamitans</i>
American Toad	<i>Bufo americanus</i>
Blanding's Turtle	<i>Emydoidea blandingii</i>
Painted Turtle	<i>Chrysemys picta</i>
Spiny Softshell Turtle	<i>Apalone spinifera</i>
Snapping Turtle	<i>Chelydra serpentina</i>
Blue-spotted Salamander	<i>Ambystoma laterale</i>
Tiger Salamander	<i>Ambystoma tigrinum</i>
Plains Garter Snake	<i>Thamnophis radix</i>
Common Garter Snake	<i>Thamnophis sirtalis</i>
Smooth Green Snake	<i>Opheodrys vernalis</i>
Red Belly Snake	<i>Storeria occipitomoaculata</i>
Brown Snake	<i>Storeria dekayi</i>
Western Foxsnake	<i>Elaphe vulpina</i>

Source: Tekielka 2003

Bird Species in Mower County, MN

Pied-billed Grebe	House Wren
Great Blue Heron	Long-billed Marsh Wren
Northern Green Heron	Short-Billed Marsh Wren
Great Egret	Gray Catbird
Least Bittern	Brown Thrasher
Turkey Vulture	American Robin
Red-Tailed Hawk	Wood Thrush
Red-Shouldered Hawk	Eastern Bluebird
American Kestrel	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Bobwhite	Cedar Waxwing
Killdeer	Starling
Spotted Sandpiper	Bell's Vireo
Upland Sandpiper	Yellow-throated Vireo
Black Tern	Red-eyed Vireo
Rock Dove	Warbling Vireo
Mourning Dove	Blue-winged Warbler
Screech Owl	Yellow Warbler
Great-Horned Owl	Common Yellowthroat
Barred Owl	American Redstart
Chimney Swift	House Sparrow
Ruby-Throated Hummingbird	Bobolink
Belted Kingfisher	Eastern Meadowlark
Common Flicker	Yellow-headed Blackbird
Pileated Woodpecker	Red-winged Blackbird
Red-bellied Woodpecker	Northern Oriole
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Common Grackle
Hairy Woodpecker	Brown-headed Cowbird
Downy Woodpecker	Scarlet Tanager

Eastern Kingbird
Great Crested Flycatcher
Eastern Phoebe
Alder Flycatcher
Willow Flycatcher
Least Flycatcher
Eastern Wood Pewee
Horned Lark
Tree Swallow
Barn Swallow
Rough-Winged Swallow
Bank Swallow
Cliff Swallow
Purple Martin
Blue Jay
Common Crow
Black-Capped Chickadee
White Breasted Nuthatch
Ring-necked Pheasant
Gray Partridge
Sora
Common Snipe

Source: Henderson, 1979

Cardinal
Rose-Breasted Grosbeak
Indigo Bunting
Dickcissel
American Goldfinch
Rufous-sided Towhee
Savannah Sparrow
Grasshopper Sparrow
Vesper Sparrow
Chipping Sparrow
Field Sparrow
Swamp Sparrow
Song Sparrow
Canada Goose
Mallard
Bluewinged Teal
Wood Duck
Redhead
Ruffed Grouse

Common Mammals in Mower County, MN

Big Brown Bat
Little Brown Bat
Silver-Haired Bat
Eastern Red Bat
Hoary Bat
Badger
Beaver
Chipmunk
Eastern Cottontail
Spotted Skunk
Striped Skunk
Mink
Muskrat
Fox Squirrel
Ground Squirrel
Gray Squirrel

Source: DNR

Pocket Gopher
Pocket Mouse
Raccoon
Red Fox
Coyote
Shrew
Thirteen-lined ground squirrel
Opposum
White-tailed deer
White-tailed Jack Rabbit
Woodchuck
Woodland Deer Mouse
White-footed Mouse
Weasel
Meadow Vole