

# INDIANA DIVISION OF FISH & WILDLIFE

## Endangered and Special Concern Species List

**STATE**

**STATE ENDANGERED:** Any animal species whose prospects for survival or recruitment within the state are in immediate jeopardy and are in danger of disappearing from the state. This includes all species classified as endangered by the federal government that occur in Indiana.

**SPECIAL CONCERN:** Any animal species requiring monitoring because of known/suspected limited abundance or distribution or because of a recent change in legal status or required habitat.

**FEDERAL**

**FEDERALLY ENDANGERED:** Any species that is in danger of extinction throughout all or a significant portion of its range. Designated with "(FE)".

**FEDERALLY THREATENED:** Any species that is likely to become endangered within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of its range. Designated with "(FT)".

### M A M M A L S

#### State Endangered

Gray Myotis (FE)	<i>Myotis grisescens</i>
Indiana Myotis (FE)	<i>Myotis sodalis</i>
Evening Bat	<i>Nycticeius humeralis</i>
Little Brown Myotis	<i>Myotis lucifugus</i>
Northern long-eared Myotis (FT)	<i>Myotis septentrionalis</i>
Tri-colored Bat	<i>Perimyotis subflavus</i>
Swamp Rabbit	<i>Sylvilagus aquaticus</i>
Franklin's Ground Squirrel	<i>Spermophilus franklinii</i>
Allegheny Woodrat	<i>Neotoma magister</i>

#### Special Concern

Smoky Shrew	<i>Sorex fumeus</i>
Pygmy Shrew	<i>Sorex hoyi</i>
Star-nosed Mole	<i>Condylura cristata</i>
Southeastern Myotis	<i>Myotis austroriparius</i>
Eastern small-footed Myotis	<i>Myotis leibii</i>
Silver-haired Bat	<i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i>
Eastern Red Bat	<i>Lasiurus borealis</i>
Hoary Bat	<i>Lasiurus cinereus</i>
Rafinesque's Big-eared Bat	<i>Corynorhinus rafinesquii</i>
Plains Pocket Gopher	<i>Geomys bursarius</i>
Black Bear	<i>Ursus americanus</i>
Least Weasel	<i>Mustela nivalis</i>
Badger	<i>Taxidea taxus</i>

### B I R D S

#### State Endangered

Trumpeter Swan	<i>Cygnus buccinator</i>
American Bittern	<i>Botaurus lentiginosus</i>
Least Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus exilis</i>
Black-crowned Night-Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron	<i>Nyctanassa violacea</i>
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>
Northern Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>
Black Rail	<i>Laterallus jamaicensis</i>
King Rail	<i>Rallus elegans</i>
Virginia Rail	<i>Rallus limicola</i>
Common Gallinule	<i>Gallinula galeata</i>
Whooping Crane (FE)	<i>Grus americana</i>
Piping Plover (FE)	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>
Upland Sandpiper	<i>Bartramia longicauda</i>
Rufa Red Knot (FT)	<i>Calidris canutus rufa</i>
Least Tern (FE)	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>
Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>
Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>
Short-eared Owl	<i>Asio flammeus</i>
Loggerhead Shrike	<i>Lanius ludovicianus</i>
Sedge Wren	<i>Cistothorus platensis</i>
Marsh Wren	<i>Cistothorus palustris</i>
Golden-winged Warbler	<i>Vermivora chrysoptera</i>
Cerulean Warbler	<i>Setophaga cerulea</i>
Kirtland's Warbler (FE)	<i>Setophaga kirtlandii</i>
Henslow's Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus henslowii</i>
Yellow-headed Blackbird	<i>Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus</i>

#### Special Concern

Northern Bobwhite	<i>Colinus virginianus</i>
Ruffed Grouse	<i>Bonasa umbellus</i>
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>
Mississippi Kite	<i>Ictinia mississippiensis</i>
Sharp-shinned Hawk	<i>Accipiter striatus</i>
Bald Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>
Broad-winged Hawk	<i>Buteo platypterus</i>
Sandhill Crane	<i>Grus canadensis</i>
American Golden-Plover	<i>Pluvialis dominica</i>
Solitary Sandpiper	<i>Tringa solitaria</i>
Greater Yellowlegs	<i>Tringa melanoleuca</i>
Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>
Buff-breasted Sandpiper	<i>Calidris subruficollis</i>
Short-billed Dowitcher	<i>Limnodromus griseus</i>
American Woodcock	<i>Scolopax minor</i>
Wilson's Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus tricolor</i>
Common Nighthawk	<i>Chordeiles minor</i>
Eastern Whip-poor-will	<i>Antrostomus vociferous</i>
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>
Worm-eating Warbler	<i>Helmitheros vermivorum</i>
Black-and-white Warbler	<i>Mniotilta varia</i>
Hooded Warbler	<i>Setophaga citrina</i>
Western Meadowlark	<i>Sturnella neglecta</i>

## FISH

### State Endangered

Northern Brook Lamprey	<i>Ichthyomyzon fossor</i>
Lake Sturgeon	<i>Acipenser fulvescens</i>
Redside Dace	<i>Clinostomus elongatus</i>
Pallid Shiner	<i>Hybopsis amnis</i>
Greater Redhorse	<i>Moxostoma valenciennesi</i>
Hoosier Cavefish	<i>Amblyopsis hoosieri</i>
Bantam Sunfish	<i>Lepomis symmetricus</i>
Variagate Darter	<i>Etheostoma variatum</i>
Channel Darter	<i>Percina copelandi</i>
Gilt Darter	<i>Percina evides</i>

### Special Concern

American Eel	<i>Anguilla rostrata</i>
Pugnose Shiner	<i>Notropis anogenus</i>
Bigmouth Shiner	<i>Notropis dorsalis</i>
Longnose Dace	<i>Rhinichthys cataractae</i>
Northern Madtom	<i>Noturus stigmosus</i>
Cisco	<i>Coregonus artedi</i>
Trout-perch	<i>Percopsis omiscomaycus</i>
Slimy Sculpin	<i>Cottus cognatus</i>
Western Sand Darter	<i>Ammocrypta clara</i>
Spotted Darter	<i>Etheostoma maculatum</i>
Banded Pygmy Sunfish	<i>Elassoma zonatum</i>

## MOLLUSKS\*

### State Endangered

Fanshell (FE)	<i>Cyprogenia stegaria</i>
White Catspaw (FE)	<i>Epioblasma perobliqua</i>
Northern Riffleshell (FE)	<i>Epioblasma rangiana</i>
Snuffbox (FE)	<i>Epioblasma triquetra</i>
Round Hickorynut	<i>Obovaria subrotunda</i>
Fat Pocketbook (FE)	<i>Potamilus capax</i>
Rayed Bean (FE)	<i>Villosa fabalis</i>
Sheepnose (FE)	<i>Pleurobema cyphus</i>
Clubshell (FE)	<i>Pleurobema clava</i>
Rough Pigtoe (FE)	<i>Pleurobema plenum</i>
Rabbitsfoot (FT)	<i>Theliderma cylindrica</i>

### Special Concern

Salamander Mussel	<i>Simpsonaias ambigua</i>
Wavyrayed Lampmussel	<i>Lampsilis fasciola</i>
Kidneyshell	<i>Ptychobranthus fasciolaris</i>
Purple Lilliput	<i>Toxolasma lividum</i>
Ellipse	<i>Venustaconcha ellipsiformis</i>
Little Spectaclecase	<i>Villosa lienosa</i>
Ohio Pigtoe	<i>Pleurobema cordatum</i>
Pointed Campeloma	<i>Campeloma decisum</i>
Swamp Lymnaea	<i>Lymnaea stagnalis</i>

\* It is illegal to take or possess live mussels and mussel shells of any species of native mussel from the waters of Indiana.

## AMPHIBIANS

### State Endangered

Eastern Hellbender	<i>Cryptobranchus alleganiensis</i>
Red Salamander	<i>Pseudotriton ruber</i>
Green Salamander	<i>Aneides aeneus</i>
Mole Salamander	<i>Ambystoma talpoideum</i>
Crawfish Frog	<i>Lithobates areolatus</i>
Plains Leopard Frog	<i>Lithobates blairi</i>

### Special Concern

Mudpuppy	<i>Necturus maculosus</i>
Blue-spotted Salamander	<i>Ambystoma laterale</i>
Streamside Salamander	<i>Ambystoma barbouri</i>
Four-toed Salamander	<i>Hemidactylium scutatum</i>
Blanchard's Cricket Frog	<i>Acris blanchardi</i>
Northern Leopard Frog	<i>Lithobates pipiens</i>

## REPTILES

### State Endangered

Copper-bellied Watersnake (FT <sup>†</sup> )	<i>Nerodia erythrogaster neglecta</i>
Butler's Gartersnake	<i>Thamnophis butleri</i>
Kirtland's Snake	<i>Clonophis kirtlandii</i>
Scarletsnake	<i>Cemophora coccinea</i>
Smooth Greensnake	<i>Opheodrys vernalis</i>
Southeastern Crowned Snake	<i>Tantilla coronata</i>
Cottonmouth	<i>Agkistrodon piscivorus</i>
Eastern Massasauga (FT)	<i>Sistrurus catenatus</i>
Timber Rattlesnake	<i>Crotalus horridus</i>
Eastern Mud Turtle	<i>Kinosternon subrubrum</i>
River Cooter	<i>Pseudemys concinna</i>
Alligator Snapping Turtle	<i>Macrochelys temminckii</i>
Spotted Turtle	<i>Clemmys guttata</i>
Blanding's Turtle	<i>Emydoidea blandingii</i>
Ornate Box Turtle	<i>Terrapene ornata</i>

### Special Concern

Western Ribbonsnake	<i>Thamnophis proximus</i>
Red-bellied Mudsucker	<i>Farancia abacura</i>
Rough Greensnake	<i>Opheodrys aestivus</i>
Eastern Box Turtle	<i>Terrapene carolina</i>

† Only the northern population of copper-bellied watersnake is federally threatened.

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