

## Species Documented as Ingesting or Poisoned by Lead Shot

All species listed are Iowa species that have been proven to have ingested or been poisoned by lead shot in Iowa, elsewhere in the U.S., or around the world.

Total = 62 Species

### Iowa Breeding Birds of Greatest Conservation Need

Bald eagle  
Canvasback  
Common raven  
King rail - ENDANGERED  
Long-eared owl – ENDANGERED  
Northern harrier - ENDANGERED  
Northern pintail  
Peregrine Falcon  
Redhead  
Ruffed grouse  
Sandhill crane  
Trumpeter swan

### Migratory Birds of Greatest Conservation Need

Marbled godwit

### Regularly Occurring Species

American black duck  
American coot  
American crow  
Black-bellied whistling duck  
Black-necked stilt  
Black scoter  
Blue-winged teal  
Brown thrasher  
Brown-headed cowbird Bufflehead  
California gull  
Canada goose  
Cinnamon teal  
Common goldeneye  
Common moorhen  
Cooper's hawk  
Dark-eyed junco  
Dunlin  
Gadwall  
Great horned owl  
Greater scaup  
Green-winged teal  
Herring gull  
Lesser scaup  
Long billed dowitcher

Long-tailed duck  
Mallard  
Merganser  
Mourning dove  
Northern goshawk  
Northern shoveler  
Prairie falcon  
Red tailed hawk  
Redhead  
Ring-necked Pheasant  
Rock dove  
Rough-legged hawk  
Ruddy duck  
Sharp-shinned hawk  
Snow goose  
Snowy owl  
Sora rail  
Turkey vulture  
Virginia rail  
White-faced ibis  
White-throated sparrow  
Wild turkey  
Wood duck  
Woodcock  
Yellow-rumped warbler

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### **Iowa Breeding Birds of Greatest Conservation Need**

Bald Eagle  
Canvasback  
Redhead  
Trumpeter Swan

### **Regularly Occurring Species**

American Black Duck  
Black-crowned Night Heron  
Canada Goose  
Common Loon  
Double-crested Cormorant  
Great blue Heron  
Greater Scaup  
Lesser Scaup  
Mallard  
Merganser  
Mute Swan  
Northern Pintail  
Osprey  
Sandhill Crane  
Snow Goose  
White-winged Scoter

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