

Endangered Species Act Bird Population Recovery Chart 2025

No. of Bird Populations	Extinct Prior to/about Time of Listing	Extirpated from U.S. prior to listing	Extinct After Listing	< 1,000 Declining	< 2,000 Declining	> 2,000 Declining	Population on Trend Unknown	Stable	Increasing < 2,000	> 2,000 Increasing	Delisted (due to recovery)	Recent Listing Decisions	Proposed or Pending Listing Decisions
1	Kaua'i 'Akialoa	Masked Bobwhite	Po'ouli	Attwater's Greater Prairie Chicken	California Clapper Rail	Cape Sable Seaside Sparrow	Mexican Spotted Owl	Hawai'i 'Ākepa (16,500)	Hawaiian Stilt (proposed for delisting)	Hawai'i Creeper ('Alawī)	Palau Ground Dove	Lesser Prairie Chicken	Greater Sage-Grouse (<i>not warranted finding 2015 – not currently under review – ESA listing prohibition</i>)
2	Guam Broadbill	Thick-billed Parrot	Dusky Seaside Sparrow	Florida Grasshopper Sparrow	O'ahu 'Elepaio	Hawaiian Duck (Koloa)	Steller's Eider (358 in 2012)	Audubon's Crested Caracara (500)	Short-Tailed Albatross	Hawaiian Goose (Nēnē <i>downlisted 2019</i>)	Bald Eagle	Elfin Woods Warbler	<i>Bi State Greater Sage Grouse – new rule in development, Population = > 3,000</i>
3	Moloka'i Creeper (Kākāwahie)		Mariana Mallard	Mariana Crow (Aga)	'Ākohekohe (1800)	Northern Spotted Owl (endangered)		Laysan Duck (620)	Mona Yellow-Shouldered Blackbird	Roseate Tern (NE DPS) (4500 pairs)	Peregrine Falcon	Mt. Rainier White-Tailed Ptarmigan	Columbia Basin Greater Sage Grouse – precluded from listing. Population about 600
4	White-necked Crow		Aguiguana Nightingale Reed-warbler	Roseate Tern (Caribbean DPS)	'Akiapōlā'au	Marbled Murrelet		Spectacled Eider (12,964, larger global population)	Puerto Rican Yellow-Shouldered Blackbird	Micronesia Megapode	Arctic Peregrine Falcon	Eastern Black Rail	Oregon Vesper Sparrow Petitioned by ABC
5	Eskimo Curlew			Puerto Rican Sharp-shinned Hawk	Palila (1051)	Mariana Nightingale Reed-Warbler		Laysan Finch (10,000)	California Condor	Southwestern Willow Flycatcher	Palau Fantail Flycatcher	'I'iwi	<i>California Spotted Owl (in process, decision not yet final)</i>
6	Ivory-billed Woodpecker			Sihek (Guam Kingfisher - captive population & reintroduced to Palmyra Atoll)		Florida Scrub-jay		Nihoa Finch (4000)	Hawaiian Coot	Puerto Rican Plain Pigeon	Aleutian Canada Goose	Friendly Ground Dove < 100 individuals	Eastern Golden Eagle (DPS) Petitioned by ABC

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7	Pagan Nightingale Reed-Warbler			Maui Parrotbill (Kiwikiu; 157 in 2017)		Newell's Shearwater ('A'o)		Puerto Rican Broad-winged Hawk (125)	Mississippi Sandhill Crane	Piping Plover (Atlantic)	Tinian Monarch	Band-rumped Storm Petrel	
8	Santa Barbara Song Sparrow			'Akeke'e		Hawaiian Petrel ('Ua'u)		Mariana Common Moorhen (287 in 2001)	Whooping Crane	Piping Plover (Great Plains)	Palau Owl	Mao	
9	Bachman's Warbler			'Akikiki		Coastal California Gnatcatcher		Nihoa Millerbird (Ulūlu; < 1000 individuals)	Hawaiian Crow ('Alalā; reintroduced and captive populations)	Western Snowy Plover	Atlantic Brown Pelican (SE DPS)	Cactus ferruginous Pygmy-owl	
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10	Guam Bridled White-Eye					Golden-cheeked Warbler (217,444 males)		Small Kauai Thrush (Puaiohi; 494)	Northern Aplomado Falcon	Wood Stork (proposed for delisting)	Atlantic Brown Pelican (West Gulf DPS)	<i>Black-capped Petrel</i>	
11	Maui 'Ākepa					Gunnison Sage-Grouse (3000)		Yuma Clapper Rail (641 in 2008)	Inyo California Towhee (<i>proposed for delisting</i>)	Rota Bridled White-Eye	Brown Pelican (CA)		
12	Kaua'i 'Ō'ō					Streaked Horned Lark			Hawaiian Common Gallinule	Least Bell's Vireo	Brown Pelican (Caribbean)		
13	'Ō'ū					Red Knot			San Clemente Loggerhead Shrike	Mariana Swiftlet	Black-capped Vireo		
14	Moloka'i Thrush (Oloma'o)					Western Yellow-			Puerto Rican Nightjar	California Least Tern	Kirtland's Warbler		

