

*Greater White-fronted Goose	
*Snow Goose	
*Ross's Goose	
*Cackling Goose	
Canada Goose	
*Tundra Swan	
Wood Duck	
Gadwall	
American Wigeon	
Mallard	
Cinnamon Teal	
Northern Shoveler	
Northern Pintail	
Green-winged Teal (American)	
Canvasback	
Redhead	
Ring-necked Duck	
Lesser Scaup	
*White-winged Scoter	
*Long-tailed Duck	
Bufflehead	
Common Goldeneye	
Barrow's Goldeneye	
Hooded Merganser	
Common Merganser	
*Red-breasted Merganser	
Ruddy Duck	
duck sp.	
Mountain Quail	
California Quail	
Chukar	
Ring-necked Pheasant	
Wild Turkey	
*Red-throated Loon	
*Pacific Loon	

Common Loon	
loon sp.	
Pied-billed Grebe	
*Horned Grebe	
*Red-necked Grebe	
Eared Grebe	
Western Grebe	
Clark's Grebe	
Western/Clark's Grebe	
Double-crested Cormorant	
American White Pelican	
*American Bittern	
*Least Bittern	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	
Great Egret	
Snowy Egret	
*Green Heron	
Black-crowned Night-Heron	
Turkey Vulture	
Osprey	
White-tailed Kite	
Golden Eagle	A J
Northern Harrier	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	
Cooper's Hawk	
Northern Goshawk	
Accipiter sp.	
Bald Eagle	A J
Red-shouldered Hawk	
Red-tailed Hawk	
*Rough-legged Hawk	
Ferruginous Hawk	
Virginia Rail	
Sora	
American Coot	
Black-necked Stilt	

American Avocet	
Killdeer	
Spotted Sandpiper	
Greater Yellowlegs	
Dunlin	
Least Sandpiper	
Western Sandpiper	
Long-billed Dowitcher	
Wilson's Snipe	
Bonaparte's Gull	
Ring-billed Gull	
California Gull	
Herring Gull	
*Iceland (Thayer's) Gull	
*Lesser Black-backed Gull	
*Glaucous-winged Gull	
gull sp.	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	
Band-tailed Pigeon	
Eurasian Collared-Dove	
Mourning Dove	
Greater Roadrunner	
Barn Owl	
Western Screech-Owl	
screech-owl sp.	
Great Horned Owl	
Northern Pygmy-Owl	
Burrowing Owl	
Spotted Owl	
Long-eared Owl	
Northern Saw-whet Owl	
White-throated Swift	
Anna's Hummingbird	
Costa's Hummingbird	
hummingbird sp.	
Belted Kingfisher	

*Lewis's Woodpecker	
Acorn Woodpecker	
Williamson's Sapsucker	
*Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	
Red-naped Sapsucker	
Red-breasted Sapsucker	
sapsucker sp.	
Ladder-backed Woodpecker	
Nuttall's Woodpecker	
Downy Woodpecker	
Hairy Woodpecker	
White-headed Woodpecker	
Northern Flicker (Yellow-shafted)	
Northern Flicker (Red-shafted)	
*Pileated Woodpecker	
American Kestrel	
Merlin	
Peregrine Falcon	
Prairie Falcon	
large falcon sp.	
*Western Wood-Pewee	
*Western Flycatcher	
*Empidonax sp.	
Black Phoebe	
Say's Phoebe	
Loggerhead Shrike	
*Northern Shrike	
*Hutton's Vireo	
Pinyon Jay	
Steller's Jay	
Western Scrub-Jay	
Clark's Nutcracker	
American Crow	
Common Raven	

Horned Lark	
Violet-green Swallow	
*Barn Swallow	
Mountain Chickadee	
Oak Titmouse	
Bushtit	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	
White-breasted Nuthatch	
Pygmy Nuthatch	
Brown Creeper	
Rock Wren	
Canyon Wren	
House Wren	
Pacific Wren	
Marsh Wren	
Bewick's Wren	
Cactus Wren	
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	
American Dipper	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	
Wrentit	
Western Bluebird	
Mountain Bluebird	
Townsend's Solitaire	
Hermit Thrush	
American Robin	
Varied Thrush	
California Thrasher	
*Sage Thrasher	
Northern Mockingbird	
European Starling	
American Pipit	
*Sprague's Pipit	
Cedar Waxwing	
Phainopepla	

*Black-and-white Warbler	
Orange-crowned Warbler	
*MacGillivray's Warbler	
Common Yellowthroat	
*Palm Warbler	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Myrtle)	
Yellow-rumped Warbler (Audubon's)	
*Hermit Warbler	
Chipping Sparrow	
Lark Sparrow	
Fox Sparrow	
Dark-eyed Junco	
Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)	
Dark-eyed Junco (Oregon)	
*Dark-eyed Junco (Pink-sided)	
White-crowned Sparrow	
Golden-crowned Sparrow	
*Harris's Sparrow	
White-throated Sparrow	
Sagebrush/Bell's Sparrow (Sage Sparrow)	
Vesper Sparrow	
Savannah Sparrow	
Song Sparrow	
Lincoln's Sparrow	
*Swamp Sparrow	
California Towhee	
Rufous-crowned Sparrow	
Green-tailed Towhee	
Spotted Towhee	
sparrow sp.	
Red-winged Blackbird	
Tricolored Blackbird	

Western Meadowlark	
Brewer's Blackbird	
Great-tailed Grackle	
Brown-headed Cowbird	
blackbird sp.	
*Pine Grosbeak	
House Finch	
Purple Finch	
Cassin's Finch	
Haemorrhous sp.	
*Red Crossbill	
Pine Siskin	
Lesser Goldfinch	
*Lawrence's Goldfinch	
American Goldfinch	
*Evening Grosbeak	
House Sparrow	

****ADDITIONAL SPECIES**
(Description Required) **

Species seen within count area **COUNT WEEK**

NOTES

KERN RIVER VALLEY Christmas Count Checklist

DATE 4 January 2026

AREA_____

GROUP LEADER_____

PH#_____

OBSERVERS_____

TIME: Start_____End_____

TOTAL HOURS_____

Divide the number of hours among:

Hrs on Foot_____Miles_____

Hrs in Car_____Miles_____

Hrs in Boat_____Miles_____

Hrs Owling_____Miles_____

A. Stroke tallies to the right of bird name; then write total number in space left of species name.

B. Any species identified other than those printed on the form should be written in the spaces under **ADDITIONAL SPECIES**.

C. **All additional and asterisk (*) species** must be documented. Use a RARE BIRD DOCUMENTATION FORM or provide a photo or video.

D. Birds identified by call or song may be counted. (Merlin does not count as identified)

E. If you eBird please keep this card. Or give this card to the compiler the day of the count.

F. At the end of the checklist, list species not seen on count day but seen in count circle during **COUNT WEEK** (3 days before of after count day). 1 - 7 Jan 2026