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<b>COMMON NAME</b>	<b>SCIENTIFIC NAME</b>
Bobolink	<i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i>
Northern Cardinal	<i>Cardinalis cardinalis</i>
Red-winged Blackbird	<i>Agelaius phoeniceus</i>
Indigo Bunting	<i>Passerina cyanea</i>
American Robin	<i>Turdus migratorius</i>
Ovenbird	<i>Seiurus aurocapilla</i>
Tufted Titmouse	<i>Baeolophus bicolor</i>
Blue-winged Warbler	<i>Vermivora pinus</i>
Eastern Meadowlark	<i>Sturnella magna</i>
Common Yellowthroat	<i>Geothlypis trichas</i>
Eastern Towhee	<i>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</i>
Song Sparrow	<i>Melospiza melodia</i>
American Goldfinch	<i>Spinus tristis</i>
Gray Catbird	<i>Dumetella carolinensis</i>
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
Field Sparrow	<i>Spizella pusilla</i>
Red-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>
Chipping Sparrow	<i>Spizella passerina</i>
Downy Woodpecker	<i>Picoides pubescens</i>
Blue Jay	<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>
Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>
Chimney Swift	<i>Chaetura pelagica</i>
Mourning Dove	<i>Zenaida macroura</i>
Scarlet Tanager	<i>Piranga olivacea</i>
Black-capped Chickadee	<i>Poecile atricapillus</i>
White-breasted Nuthatch	<i>Sitta carolinensis</i>
Yellow Warbler	<i>Dendroica petechia</i>
Cedar Waxwing	<i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>
Tree Swallow	<i>Tachycineta bicolor</i>
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>