

## APPENDIX B

### SUPPORTING WILDLIFE INFORMATION

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**List 1. Order and species of Most Hazardous Birds Identified in the vicinity of Quonset State Airport, Rhode Island**

\* Species observed during 2019 BASH Site Visit

Pelicaniformes – Pelicans and Cormorants

Double-crested Cormorant *Phalacrocorax auritis*

Anseriformes – Waterfowl

Mute Swan *Cygnus olor*  
Canada Goose\* *Branta canadensis*  
Brant *Branta bernicla*  
Mallard\* *Anas platyrhynchos*

Falconiformes – Vultures, Hawks, and Falcons

Northern Harrier *Circus cyaneus*  
Rough-legged Hawk *Buteo lagopus*  
Red-tailed Hawk *Buteo jamaicensis*  
Golden Eagle *Aquila chrysaetos*  
Osprey\* *Pandion haliaetus*  
American Kestrel *Falco sparverius*

Ciconiiformes – Herons and Egrets

Great Egret *Casmerodius albus*  
Snowy Egret *Egretta thula*  
Great Blue Heron\* *Ardea herodias*

Charadriiformes – Shorebirds and Gulls

Killdeer *Charadrius vociferus*  
Great Black-backed Gull *Larus marinus*  
Herring Gull\* *Larus argentatus*  
Ring-billed Gull\* *Larus delawarensis*  
Laughing Gull *Larus atricilla*  
Bonaparte's Gull *Larus philadelphia*

Columbiformes – Pigeons and Doves

Rock Pigeon\* *Columba livia*  
Mourning Dove *Zenaida macroura*

Strigiformes – Owls

Short-eared Owl *Asio flammeus*  
Snowy Owl\* *Bubo scandiacus*

Passeriformes – Perching Birds

Horned Lark *Eremophila alpestris*  
American Crow *Corvus brachyrhynchos*  
American Robin\* *Turdus migratorius*

European Starling  
Eastern Meadowlark  
Red-winged Blackbird  
Common Grackle

*Sturnus vulgaris*  
*Sturnella magna*  
*Agelaius phoeniceus*  
*Quiscalus quiscula*

**List 2. Non-Avian Species with the potential to create a moderate to high wildlife hazard.**

White-tailed deer  
Coyote

*Odocoileus virginianus*  
*Canis latrans*