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Seasonal Events at Lost Mound

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## **Introduction**

The Lost Mound Corps of Discovery (LMCD) is an INHS-sponsored program designed to enlist volunteers to document species, seasonal events, and natural changes at specific points of the Lost Mound area. Here we provide some basic information on seasonal events at Lost Mound as a starting point for more detailed efforts.

## **JANUARY**

### **Birds**

- Eagles congregate at any open patches in river

### **Plants**

- Everyone is asleep!

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

### **Mammals**

- Otter tracks easily identified in fresh snow on frozen river

### **Seasonal events**

- River usually frozen solid; only spring inlets and occasional patches in river open

## **FEBRUARY**

### **Birds**

- waxwings, bluebirds and other birds resort to eating red cedar when little else is available
- northward migration of eagles starts; peak numbers usually in last week of Feb

### **Plants**

- Ice storms create crystal wonderland/deathtrap

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- some turtles and frogs tolerate freezing underground

### **Mammals**

- deer browse red cedar when snow covers preferred plants

### **Seasonal events**

- river ice breaks up, eagle watches.
- tracks in fresh snow reveal surprising amount of activity from animals seldom seen (voles, river otters)

## **MARCH**

### **Birds**

- first week: eagles lay eggs
- Red-winged Blackbirds and meadowlarks return to uplands
- Sandhill cranes, pelicans and many ducks return to river
- March 15 turkey vultures return
- woodcocks start aerial displays over the river edge forest in the evening
- owls and RT hawks nesting
- northern shrikes and long-eared owls usually leave by end of month

### **Plants**

- silver maples flower in bottomlands
- early mustards and chickweeds may be found flowering in protected areas of the prairie.

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- last week: first frogs and toads calling

## **Mammals**

### **Seasonal events**

- river ice breaks up (if not in Feb), provides many winter killed fish for eagle foraging

## **APRIL**

### **Birds**

- Loggerhead shrike, Eastern Phoebe and tree swallows returns
- Bluebirds stake out nest cavities
- April 20 grasshopper sparrows return
- eagle eggs hatch
- last week: early grassland nesters: horned lark, vesper sparrow, meadowlarks

### **Plants**

- first flowers: sand cress, stiff and sun sedges
- black oaks lose leaves within 1-2 days as buds swell

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- frogs and toads calling in abundance (W. Chorus frogs, Amer Toad)

### **Mammals**

- shed antlers litter prairie

### **Insects**

- Olympia Marble butterfly emergence coincident with sand cress flowering

### **Seasonal events**

- prescribed burns reveal intricate pathways of voles

## **MAY**

### **Birds**

- by now all breeding birds have returned and most migrants passed on through
- 3<sup>rd</sup> + 4<sup>th</sup> weeks: nesting starts for most passernines
- Shrikes begin showing their larder on barb wire fences and honey locust

### **Plants**

- puccoon, beach heather, red root, spiderwort, bird's-foot violet

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- Snakes and turtles emerging, courtship begins

### **Insects**

- Regal Fritillary caterpillars hatch and feed voraciously on flowering birds foot violets.

### **Mammals**

- Several species of bats have returned to roost and breed in old buildings and forests (little and big brown bats, red bats).

### **Seasonal events**

- Spring Bird Count (Saturday between May 5-10)
- river at highest level of year

## **JUNE**

### **Birds**

- about 110 species of breeding birds
- eaglets fledge

### **Plants**

- common and fragile prickly pear cactus, pale purple coneflower, goat's rue flowering
- blue flag (iris) flowers in wetlands

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- turtles nesting along river edge dunes, while snakes, racerunners and box turtles nest in the prairies

### **Mammals**

- young badgers emerge from dens

### **Insects**

- regal fritillary butterflies hatch

### **Seasonal events**

- Summer Breeding Bird Census (2<sup>nd</sup> Friday)

## **JULY**

### **Birds**

- Most of the young have fledged, some second nesting occurs.

### **Plants**

- poppy mallow in the prairies, water lily and buttonbush in the wetlands.

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- breeding complete.

### **Mammals**

### **Seasonal events**

- 4<sup>th</sup> of July Butterfly count

## **AUGUST**

### **Birds**

- upland sandpipers leave for Argentina
- young kestrels are commonly seen honing their hunting skills

### **Plants**

- rough blazing star, stiff, showy and field goldenrods flourish

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- ornate box turtles spend the heat of the day in shallow burrows

### **Mammals**

### **Insects**

- dragonflies and butterflies are at their peak.

### **Seasonal events**

## **SEPTEMBER**

### **Birds**

- nighthawks begin to mass for migration

### **Plants**

- cardinal flower, obedient plant flower along the floodplain edge

- goldenrods, stiff aster, silky aster

- warm season grasses set seed

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- eggs hatch and young emerge

## **Mammals**

### **Seasonal events**

- Monarch butterflies congregate on protected cedars and oaks, preparing for their southern migration.

## **OCTOBER**

### **Birds**

- short-eared owls migrate south, stop over at Lost Mound

### **Plants**

- deciduous trees have some color, especially along bluffs

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

- bullsnakes bask on road on warm mornings, most species are preparing for estivation/hibernation

### **Mammals**

- squirrels harvest nuts from oaks, hickory, and walnut

### **Seasonal events**

- grass seed harvesting

## **NOVEMBER**

### **Birds**

- northern shrikes arrive and stay over winter
- long-eared owls return for wintering

### **Plants**

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

### **Mammals**

- white-tailed deer begin seasonal rut

### **Seasonal events**

- great time to begin control of woody exotics!

## **DECEMBER**

### **Birds**

- eagles begin to congregate

### **Plants**

### **Reptiles/Amphibians**

### **Mammals**

### **Seasonal events**

- Christmas Bird Count (first Friday of count period Dec 14-Jan 5)
- River starts to freeze

Table 1. Approximate timing of plant flowering in upland habitats at Lost Mound and surrounding areas. List organized by alphabetically by Family and species. Based on information compiled by Amy Symstad (now with USGS).

Explanation of last five columns as follows:

Native: N = native species, I = introduced species.

Freq (frequency): A = abundant (easily found throughout suitable habitat); C = common (found in most areas of appropriate habitat); U = uncommon (patchy distribution or low density in suitable habitat); R = rare (found in less than 10% of suitable habitat); X = listed by Gleason (1910) but not found recently (1995 – 2007).

Habitat: D = disturbed and developed areas; F = forest; P = prairie; S = savanna; Habitat refers to most typical habitat of given species; many species occur in one or more habitats.

Growth Form: F = forb (typical herbaceous flowering plant); G = graminoid (grass, sedge, rush); HV = herbaceous vine; WV = woody vine; S = shrub; T = tree; Blank = non flowering plant.

Lifespan: A = annual (grows from seed and flowers in one calendar year); B = biennial (two-year plant); P = perennial (longer than two years).

F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	Family: Species	Common name(s)	Native	Freq	Habitat	Growth	Life
										Acanthaceae						
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Ruellia humilis</i>	Wild Petunia	N	U	S	F	P
										Aceraceae						
				+	+					<i>Acer negundo</i>	Boxelder	N	U	F	T	P
				+	+					<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar Maple	N	U	F	T	P
										Adiantaceae						
										<i>Adiantum pedatum</i>	Maidenhair Fern	N	U	F	fern	P
										Amaranthaceae						
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Froelichia floridana</i> var. <i>campestris</i>	Cottonweed	N	U	P	F	A
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Froelichia gracilis</i>	Small Cottonweed	I	U	SF	F	A
										Anacardiaceae						
				+	+					<i>Rhus aromatica</i> var. <i>arenaria</i>	Sand Fragrant Sumac	N	A	P	S	P
				+	+	+				<i>Rhus aromatica</i> var. <i>aromatica</i>	Fragrant Sumac	N	R	S	S	P
					+	+				<i>Rhus glabra</i>	Smooth Sumac	N	U	F	S	P
					+	+				<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i>	Poison Ivy	N	U	F	WV	P
										Apiaceae						
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Cryptotaenia canadensis</i>	Honesty	N	U	F	F	P
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Daucus carota</i>	Queen Anne's Lace/Wild Carrot	I	U	SF	F	B
				+	+	+				<i>Osmorhiza claytonii</i>	Hairy Sweet Cicely	N	U	F	F	P
				+	+	+				<i>Osmorhiza longistylis</i>	Smooth Sweet Cicely	N	U	F	F	P
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>	Wild Parsnip	I	U	SF	F	B
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Sanicula canadensis</i>	Canadian Black Snakeroot	N	U	F	F	B
				+	+					<i>Spermolepis inermis</i>	Scaleseed	N?	U	P	F	A
										Araceae						
				+	+					<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i>	Jack-in-the-Pulpit	N	U	F	F	P
										Araliaceae						
				+	+					<i>Aralia nudicaulis</i>	Wild Sarsaparilla	N	U	F	F	P
										Asclepiadaceae						
				+	+	+				<i>Asclepias amplexicaulis</i>	Sand Milkweed	N	U	P	F	P
				+	+	+	+			<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	Common Milkweed	N	U	SF	F	P
				+	+	+	+	+		<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Butterflyweed	N	R	S	F	P
				+	+	+	+	+		<i>Asclepias verticillata</i>	Horsetail/Whorled Milkweed	N	C	P	F	P
				+	+	+	+	+		<i>Asclepias viridiflora</i>	Green Milkweed	N	U	P	F	P
										Aspleniaceae						
										<i>Asplenium platyneuron</i>	Ebony Spleenwort	N	U	F	fern	P

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										Asteraceae						
										<i>Achillea millefolium</i>	Yarrow	I	C	P	F	P
										<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>	Common Ragweed	N	U	D	F	A
										<i>Ambrosia psilostachya</i>	Western Ragweed	N	C	P	F	P
+ +										<i>Antennaria neglecta</i>	Cat's Foot	N	U	P	F	P
+ +										<i>Antennaria plantaginifolia</i>	Pussy Toes	N	U	S	F	P
										<i>Arctium lappa</i>	Great Burdock	I	U	S	F	B
										<i>Arctium minus</i>	Common Burdock	I	U	D	F	B
										<i>Artemisia campestris</i>	Wormwood	N	U	P	F	B
										<i>Artemisia ludoviciana</i>	White Sage	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Aster cordifolius</i>	Heart-leaved/Blue Wood Aster	N	U	F	F	P
										<i>Aster ericoides</i>	White Prairie/Heath Aster	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Aster linariifolius</i>	Flax-leaved Aster	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Aster oblongifolius</i>	Aromatic Aster	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Aster oolentangiensis</i>	Sky Blue Aster	N	R	S	F	P
										<i>Aster pilosus</i>	Hairy Aster	N	C	P	F	P
										<i>Aster sericeus</i>	Western Silvery Aster	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Brickellia eupatorioides</i>	False Boneset	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Carduus nutans</i>	Musk Thistle	I	U	SF	F	B
										<i>Centaurea maculosa</i>	Spotted Knapweed	I	U	D	F	B
										<i>Cirsium arvense</i>	Canada Thistle	I	U	D	F	P
										<i>Cirsium discolor</i>	Field Thistle	N	U	P	F	B
										<i>Cirsium hillii</i>	Hill's Thistle	N	R	P	F	P
										<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Bull Thistle	I	U	S	F	B
										<i>Conyza canadensis</i>	Horseweed	N	C	SF	F	A
										<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i>	Sand Coreopsis	N	X	P	F	P
										<i>Coreopsis palmata</i>	Prairie Coreopsis	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Crepis tectorum</i>	Hawksbeard	I	U	P	F	A
										<i>Echinacea pallida</i>	Pale Purple Coneflower	N	R	P	F	P
										<i>Erechtites hieracifolia</i>	Fireweed	N	U	F	F	A
										<i>Erigeron annuus</i>	Daisy Fleabane	N	U	F	F	B
										<i>Erigeron philadelphicus</i>	Marsh Fleabane	N	U	F	F	P
										<i>Erigeron strigosus</i>	Daisy Fleabane	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Eupatorium purpureum</i>	Spotted Joe-Pye-weed	N	U	F	F	P
										<i>Eupatorium rugosum</i>	White Snakeroot	N	U	F	F	P

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				+ + +						<i>Eupatorium serotinum</i>	Late Boneset	N	U	F	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Euthamia gymnospermoides</i>	Grass-leaved Goldenrod	N	X	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Gnaphalium obtusifolium</i>	Fragrant Cudweed/Sweet Everlasting	N	U	P	F	B
				+ + +						<i>Grindelia squarrosa</i> var. <i>squarrosa</i>	Curlycup-gumweed	N?	U	P	F	B
				+ +						<i>Helianthus annuus</i>	Common Sunflower	I	U	SF	F	A
				+ +						<i>Helianthus hirsutus</i>	Hairy Sunflower	N	U	F	F	P
				+ +						<i>Helianthus mollis</i>	Ashy Sunflower	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Helianthus occidentalis</i>	Western Sunflower	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Helianthus rigidus</i>	Stiff Sunflower	N	X?	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	False Sunflower	N	U	S	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Heterotheca camporum</i>	Golden Aster	N	C	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Hieracium longipilum</i>	Hairy Hawkweed	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Krigia virginica</i>	Dwarf Dandelion	N	C	P	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Lactuca serriola</i>	Prickly Lettuce	I	U	D	F	B
				+ +						<i>Liatris aspera</i>	Rough Blazing-star	N	C	P	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Matricaria matricarioides</i>	Pineapple-weed	I	U	SF	F	A
				+ +						<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow Coneflower	N	R	SF	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Black-eyed Susan	N	U	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Senecio plattensis</i>	Prairie Groundsel	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Solidago canadensis</i>	Common Goldenrod	N	U	SF	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Solidago nemoralis</i>	Old-field Goldenrod	N	U	F	F	P
				+ +						<i>Solidago ptarmicoides</i>	White Upland Aster	N	X	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Solidago rigida</i>	Stiff Goldenrod	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Solidago speciosa</i>	Showy Goldenrod	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Solidago ulmifolia</i>	Elm-leaved Goldenrod	N	U	F	F	P
				+ + + + + + + + +						<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>	Dandelion	I	U	F	F	P
				+ +						<i>Tragopogon dubius</i>	Sand Goat's-beard	I	U	P	F	B
Berberidaceae																
				+ +						<i>Berberis thunbergii</i>	Japanese Barberry	I	U	S	S	P
				+ + +						<i>Podophyllum peltatum</i>	Mayapple	N	U	F	F	P
Betulaceae																
				+ +						<i>Corylus americana</i>	Hazelnut	N	U	F	S	P
Boraginaceae																
				+ + +						<i>Cynoglossum officinale</i>	Common Hound's-tongue	I	U	D	F	B

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				+ + + + +						<i>Echium vulgare</i>	Blueweed/Viper's Bluegloss	I	U	D	F	B
				+ + + + +						<i>Hackelia virginiana</i>	Stickseed	N	U	F	F	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Lappula echinata</i>	Beggar's Lice	I	U	P	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Lithospermum carolinense</i>	Hairy Puccoon	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Lithospermum incisum</i>	Fringed Puccoon	N	U	P	F	P
				Brassicaceae												
				+ +						<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	Garlic Mustard	I	A	F	F	P
				+ +						<i>Alyssum alyssoides</i>	Pale Alyssum	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Arabis canadensis</i>	Sicklepod	N	U	F	F	B
				+ + +						<i>Arabis glabra</i>	Tower Mustard	N	R	P	F	B/P
				+ + +						<i>Arabis lyrata</i>	Sand Cress	N	C	P	F	B/P
				+ +						<i>Arabis X divaricarpa</i>	Purple Rock Cress	N	U	P	F	B
				+ + +						<i>Barbarea vulgaris</i>	Yellow Rocket	I	U	D	F	B
				+ + + + +						<i>Berteroa incana</i>	Hoary Alyssum	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + + + + + +						<i>Brassica nigra</i>	Black Mustard	I	U	D	F	A
+ +	+ + + + + + + + +									<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i>	Shepard's Purse	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Cardamine parviflora</i> var. <i>arenicola</i>	Small-flowered Bitter Cress	N	U	S	F	A
										<i>Descurainia pinnata</i> subsp. <i>brachycarpa</i>	Tansy Mustard	N?	U	P	F	A
										<i>Draba nemorosa</i> var. <i>leiocarpa</i>	Whitlow Grass	N?	R	P	F	A
+ +	+ + + +									<i>Draba reptans</i>	Common Whitlow Grass	N	C	P	F	A
+ +	+ + +									<i>Draba verna</i>	Vernal Whitlow Grass	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + + + +						<i>Erysimum cheiranthoides</i>	Wormseed Mustard	I	U	P	F	A
				+ +						<i>Erysimum inconspicuum</i>	Treacle Mustard	I	U	D	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Lepidium campestre</i>	Field Peppergrass	I	U	D	F	B
				+ + + + + + +						<i>Lepidium densiflorum</i>	Small Peppergrass	I	C	P	F	A
+ +	+ + + + + + + + +									<i>Lepidium virginicum</i>	Common Peppergrass	N	A	P	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Sisymbrium altissimum</i>	Tumble Mustard	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Thlaspi arvense</i>	Penny Cress	I	U	D	F	A
				Cactaceae												
				+ +						<i>Opuntia fragilis</i>	Fragile Prickly-pear	N	LC	P	cactus	P
				+ +						<i>Opuntia humifusa</i>	Eastern Prickly-pear	N	C	P	cactus	P
				+ +						<i>Opuntia macrorhiza</i>	Prickly-pear	N	R	P	cactus	P
				Campanulaceae												
				+ + + + +						<i>Lobelia inflata</i>	Indian Tobacco	N	U	F	F	A

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				+	+	+	+	+		<i>Triodanis perfoliata</i> var. <i>perfoliata</i>	Venus' Looking-Glass	N	U	F	F	A
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Cannabis sativa</i>	Marijuana/Hemp	I	U	S	F	A
Capparidaceae										<i>Polanisia dodecandra</i>	Clammyweed	N	U	F	F	A
										<i>Polanisia jamesii</i>	James' Clammyweed	N	C	F	F	A
Caprifoliaceae										<i>Lonicera morrowii</i>	Bush Honeysuckle	I	U	F	S	P
										<i>Lonicera tatarica</i>	Tartarian Honeysuckle	I	U	S	S	P
										<i>Viburnum lentago</i>	Nannyberry	N	U	F	S	P
										<i>Viburnum opulus</i>	European Highbush Cranberry	I	R	F	S	P
Caryophyllaceae										<i>Arenaria serpyllifolia</i>	Thyme-leaved Sandwort	I	C	D	F	A
										<i>Cerastium brachypodium</i>	Mouse-eared Chickweed	N	U	P	F	A
										<i>Cerastium vulgatum</i>	Common Mouse-eared Chickweed	I	U	D	F	P
										<i>Dianthus armeria</i>	Deptford Pink	I	U	P	F	A
										<i>Holosteum umbellatum</i>	Jagged Chickweed	I	C	D	F	A
										<i>Paronychia canadensis</i>	Tall Forked Chickweed	N	U	S	F	A
										<i>Paronychia fastigiata</i>	Forked Chickweed	N	U	F	F	A
										<i>Phlox bifida</i>	Cleft Phlox	N	X	P	F	P
										<i>Saponaria officinalis</i>	Bouncing Bet	I	U	F	F	P
										<i>Silene antirrhina</i>	Sleepy Catchfly	N	U	P	F	A
										<i>Silene cserei</i>	Glaucous Campion	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Silene latifolia</i>	White Campion	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Stellaria media</i>	Common Chickweed	I	U	P	F	A/P
Celastraceae										<i>Celastrus scandens</i>	Bittersweet	N	U	F	S	P
										<i>Euonymus atropurpurea</i>	Wahoo	N	U	F	S	P
Chenopodiaceae										<i>Chenopodium album</i>	Lamb's Quarters	I	?	P	F	A
										<i>Chenopodium ambrosioides</i>	Mexican Tea	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Chenopodium gigantospermum</i>	Maple-leaved Goose Foot	N	U	S	F	A
										<i>Chenopodium pratericola</i>	Goosefoot	N	U	P	F	A
										<i>Chenopodium simplex</i>	Maple-leaved Goose Foot	N	U	S	F	A
										<i>Cycloloma atriplicifolium</i>	Winged Pigweed	N	U	D	F	A
										<i>Salsola collina</i>	Katune/Saltwort	N?	U	P	F	A

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										Cistaceae						
				+ +						<i>Helianthemum bicknellii</i>	Frostweed/Rockrose	N	U	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Helianthemum canadense</i>	Common Rockrose	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Hudsonia tomentosa</i>	False/Beach Heather	N	U	P	S	P
				+ + +						<i>Lechea pulchella</i>	Pretty Pinweed	N	U	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Lechea tenuifolia</i>	Slender-leaved Pinweed	N	U	P	F	P
										Clusiaceae						
				+ + + +						<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	Common St. John's-wort	I	U	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Hypericum pyramidatum</i>	Giant St. John's-wort	N	R	F	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Hypericum sphaerocarpum</i>	Round-fruited St. John's-wort	N	U	F	F	P
										Commelinaceae						
				+ + + +						<i>Commelina erecta</i>	Erect Day-flower	N	U	F	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Tradescantia ohiensis</i>	Spiderwort	N	U	F	F	P
										Convolvulaceae						
				+ + + + +						<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	Field Bindweed	I	U	P	F	P
										Cornaceae						
				+ +						<i>Cornus drummondii</i>	Rough-leaved Dogwood	N	U	S	S	P
				+ + +						<i>Cornus racemosa</i>	Gray Dogwood	N	C	F	S	P
										Cyperaceae						
				+ + + + +						<i>Bulbostylis capillaris</i>	Autumn/Hair Sedge	N	U	P	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Carex annectens</i>	Large Yellow Fox Sedge	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex bicknellii</i>	Copper-shouldered Oval Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex blanda</i>	Common Wood Sedge	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex brevior</i>	Plains Oval Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex gravida</i>	Long-awned Bracted Sedge	N	U	D	G	P
				+ +						<i>Carex hirtifolia</i>	Hairy Wood Sedge	N	U	F	G	P
				+ +						<i>Carex meadii</i>	Mead's Stiff Sedge	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex molesta</i>	Field Oval Sedge	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex muhlenbergii</i>	Sand Bracted Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex pensylvanica</i>	Common Oak sedge	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex rosea</i>	Curly-styled Wood Sedge	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Carex scoparia</i> var. <i>scoparia</i>	Lance-fruited Oval Sedge	N	U	S	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Carex stipata</i>	Common Fox Sedge	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Carex tonsa</i>	Shaved Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Carex typhina</i>	Common Cattail Sedge	N	U	F	G	P

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				+ + + +						<i>Carex vulpinoidea</i>	Brown Fox Sedge	N	U	D	G	P
				+ + + + + +						<i>Cyperus filiculmis</i> var. <i>filiculmis</i>	Slender Sand Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + + + + +						<i>Cyperus filiculmis</i> var. <i>macilentus</i>	Slender Sand Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
					+ + + +					<i>Cyperus grayioides</i>	Gray's Umbrella Sedge	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Cyperus schweinitzii</i>	Rough Sand Sedge	N	C	P	G	P
										Dennstadelodiaceae						
										<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>	Bracken Fern	N	U	F	fern	P
										Dryopteridaceae						
										<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i> var. <i>angustum</i>	Lady Fern	N	U	F	fern	P
										<i>Cystopteris protrusa</i>	Fragile Fern	N	C	F	fern	P
										<i>Dryopteris carthusiana</i>	Spinulose Woodfern	N	C	F	fern	P
										<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>	Sensitive Fern	N	C	F	fern	P
										<i>Woodsia obtusa</i>	Blunt-lobed Cliff Fern	N	U	F	fern	P
										Elaeagnaceae						
				+ +						<i>Elaeagnus angustifolia</i>	Russian Olive	I	U	F	S	P
				+ +						<i>Elaeagnus umbellata</i>	Autumn-Olive	I	?	F	S	P
										Equisetaceae						
										<i>Equisetum hyemale</i> var. <i>affine</i>	Scouring Rush	N	C	D		P
										<i>Equisetum laevigatum</i>	Smooth Scouring Rush	N	C	P		P
										<i>Equisetum pratense</i>	Meadow Horsetail	N	R	F		P
										<i>Equisetum X ferrissii</i>	Scouring Rush	N	C	P		P
										Euphorbiaceae						
				+ + + +						<i>Acalypha gracilens</i>	Slender Three-seeded Mercury	N	R	P	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Acalypha rhomboidea</i>	Three-seeded Mercury	N	U	F	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Chamaesyce geyeri</i>	Geyer's Spurge	N	C	P	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Chamaesyce maculata</i>	Milk Spurge	N	U	D	F	A
				+ + + + +						<i>Chamaesyce nutans</i>	Eyebane	N	U	D	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Croton capitatus</i>	Capitate Croton	I	R	D	F	A
										<i>Croton glandulosus</i> var. <i>septentrionalis</i>	Sand Croton	N	U	P	F	A
										<i>Crotonopsis linearis</i>	Rushfoil	N	X	P	F	A
				+ + + + +						<i>Euphorbia corollata</i>	Flowering Spurge	N	C	P	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Euphorbia dentata</i>	Toothed Spurge	N	U	D	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Euphorbia esula</i>	Leafy Spurge	I	R	P	F	P
										Fabaceae						

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				+ +	+ +					<i>Amorpha canescens</i>	Leadplant	N	U	P	S	P
					+ +					<i>Amphicarpa bracteata</i>	Hog-peanut	N	U	F	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Astragalus canadensis</i>	Canada Milk Vetch	N	R	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Chamaecrista fasciculata</i>	Partridge Pea	N	U	P	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Coronilla varia</i>	Crown Vetch	I	U	D	F	P
				+ + + +						<i>Crotalaria sagittalis</i>	Rattlebox	N	U	P	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Desmodium glutinosum</i>	Pointed Tick-trefoil	N	U	F	F	P
				+ +						<i>Desmodium illinoense</i>	Illinois Tick-trefoil	N	U	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	Honey Locust	N	U	F	T	P
				+ +						<i>Gymnocladus dioicus</i>	Kentucky Coffeetree	N	U	F	T	P
				+ + + +						<i>Kummerowia stipulacea</i>	Korean Clover	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Lespedeza capitata</i>	Round-headed Bushclover	N	U	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Lespedeza intermedia</i>	Wand-lespedeza	N	U	F	F	P
				+ +						<i>Lupinus perennis</i>	Wild Lupine	N	X	S	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Medicago lupulina</i>	Black Medic	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + + + +						<i>Melilotus alba</i>	White Sweet Clover	I	U	D	F	B
				+ + + +						<i>Melilotus officinalis</i>	Yellow Sweet Clover	I	C	SF	F	B
				+ +						<i>Petalostemum candidum</i>	White Prairie Clover	N	R	P	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Petalostemum purpureum</i>	Purple Prairie Clover	N	U	P	F	P
				+ +						<i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i>	Black Locust	I	C	F	T	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Strophostyles helvola</i> var. <i>helvola</i>	Trailing Wild Bean	N	U	F	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Strophostyles helvola</i> var. <i>missouriensis</i>	Trailing Wild Bean	N	U	F	F	A
				+ + +						<i>Strophostyles leiosperma</i>	Small Wild Bean	N	U	F	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Tephrosia virginiana</i>	Goat's-rue	N	C	P	F	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Trifolium arvense</i>	Rabbit-foot Clover	I	U	P	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Trifolium campestre</i>	Low Hop Clover	I	U	D	F	A
				+ + + +						<i>Trifolium pratense</i>	Red Clover	I	U	D	F	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Trifolium repens</i>	White Clover	I	U	D	F	P
				+ + +						<i>Vicia villosa</i>	Hairy Vetch	I	U	P	F	A/B
<b>Fagaceae</b>																
+ +										<i>Quercus alba</i>	White Oak	N	U	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur Oak	N	C	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Quercus muehlenbergii</i>	Chinquapin Oak	N	R	S	T	P
+ +										<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern Red Oak	N	U	F	T	P

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										Quercus velutina	Black Oak	N	A	F	T	P
			+	+						Fumariaceae						
					+	+	+			Corydalis micrantha	Slender Corydalis	N	U	F	F	B
					+	+				Dicentra cucullaria	Dutchman's Breeches	N	U	F	F	P
										Geraniaceae						
					+	+	+	+		Geranium carolinianum	Wild Cranesbill	N	U	F	F	A
					+	+	+			Geranium maculatum	Wild Geranium	N	U	F	F	P
										Hydrophyllaceae						
					+	+	+			Ellisia nyctelea	Ellisia/Aunt Lucy	N	U	F	F	A
										Iridaceae						
					+	+				Sisyrinchium campestre	Prairie Blue-eyed Grass	N	U	P	F	P
										Juglandaceae						
					+	+				Carya cordiformis	Bitternut Hickory	N	U	F	T	P
					+	+				Carya ovata	Shagbark Hickory	N	U	F	T	P
					+	+				Carya tomentosa	Mockernut Hickory	N	U	F	T	P
					+	+				Juglans cinerea	Butternut/White Walnut	N	U	F	T	P
					+	+				Juglans nigra	Black Walnut	N	C	F	T	P
										Juncaceae						
					+	+	+	+	+	Juncus tenuis	Path Rush	N	U	D	G	P
										Lamiaceae						
						+	+	+		Agastache nepetoides	Yellow Giant Hyssop	N	U	S	F	P
						+	+	+		Hedeoma hispida	Rough Pennyroyal	N	C	P	F	A
						+	+	+		Leonurus cardiaca	Motherwort	I	U	F	F	P
						+	+	+		Monarda fistulosa	Wild Bergamot	N	U	S	F	P
						+	+	+		Monarda fistulosa var. mollis	Wild Bergamot	N	U	S	F	P
						+	+	+	+	Monarda punctata	Horsemint/Spotted Beebalm	N	C	P	F	P
						+	+	+		Nepeta cataria	Catnip	I	U	D	F	P
						+	+	+	+	Prunella vulgaris	Self-heal	I	U	D	F	P
						+	+	+		Pycnanthemum tenuifolium	Slender Mountain Mint	N	X	P	F	P
						+	+	+		Pycnanthemum virginianum	Mountain Mint	N	U	P	F	P
						+	+	+		Salvia azurea subsp. Pitcheri	Blue Sage	N	R	P	F	P
						+	+	+		Salvia azurea subsp. Pitcheri f. alba	Blue Sage (white flowers)	N	R	P	F	P
						+	+	+	+	Scutellaria ovata var. versicolor	Heart-leaved Skullcap	N	U	F	F	P
						+	+	+		Scutellaria parvula var. leonardii	Small Skullcap	N	U	P	F	P
						+	+	+	+	Trichostema brachiatum	False Pennyroyal	N	U	D	F	A

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										Liliaceae						
				+	+					<i>Asparagus officianalis</i>	Asparagus	I	U	S	F	P
						+	+	+	+	<i>Hemerocallis fulva</i>	Daylily	I	U	D	F	P
				+	+	+				<i>Polygonatum biflorum</i>	Solomon's Seal	N	U	F	F	P
						+	+			<i>Smilacina stellata</i>	Starry False Solomon's Seal	N	U	F	F	P
										Linaceae						
						+	+	+	+	<i>Linum sulcatum</i>	Yellow Flax	N	U	P	F	P
										Malvaceae						
						+	+	+	+	<i>Callirhoe triangulata</i>	(Purple) Poppy Mallow	N	U	P	F	P
										Menispermaceae						
						+	+	+		<i>Menispermum canadense</i>	Moonseed	N	U	F	WV	P
										Molluginaceae						
						+	+	+	+	<i>Mollugo verticillata</i>	Carpetweed	I	C	F	F	A
										Moraceae						
						+	+	+		<i>Humulus japonicus</i>	Japanese Hops	I	R	S	HV	P
							+	+		<i>Humulus lupulus</i>	Hops	N	U	F	HV	P
								+		<i>Morus alba</i>	White Mulberry	I	U	S	T	P
										Nyctaginaceae						
							+	+		<i>Mirabilis hirsuta</i>	Hairy Umbrella Wort	N	U	S	F	P
							+	+	+	<i>Mirabilis nyctaginea</i>	Wild Four O'Clock	I	U	D	F	P
										Oleaceae						
						+	+			<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	Green Ash	N	C	F	T	P
							+	+		<i>Syringa vulgaris</i>	Common Lilac	I	U	D	S	P
										Onagraceae						
						+	+			<i>Circaea lutetiana</i> subsp. <i>canadensis</i>	Enchanter's Nightshade	N	U	F	F	P
							+	+	+	<i>Gaura longiflora</i>	Gaura	N	U	S	F	B
							+	+	+	<i>Oenothera biennis</i>	Common Evening Primrose	N	R	P	F	B
							+	+	+	<i>Oenothera laciniata</i>	Ragged Evening Primrose	N	U	P	F	A
							+	+	+	<i>Oenothera rhombipetala</i>	Sand Primrose	N	C	S	F	B
							+	+	+	<i>Orobanche fasciculata</i>	Clustered Broomrape	N	X	P	F	P
								+	+	<i>Orobanche ludoviciana</i>	Broomrape	N	R	P	F	P
								+	+	<i>Orobanche uniflora</i>	One-flowered Broomrape	N	R	P	F	P
										Orchidaceae						
										<i>Galopsis spectabilis</i>	Showy Orchis	N	U	F	F	P
										<i>Spiranthes lacera</i> var. <i>gracilis</i>	Slender Ladies' Tresses	N	R	P	F	P

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										Osmundaceae						
										<i>Osmunda claytoniana</i>	Interrupted Fern	N	C	F	fern	P
										Oxalidaceae						
+ + + + + + +										<i>Oxalis dillenii</i>	Yellow Wood Sorrell	N	U	F	F	P
										Papaveraceae						
+ +										<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i>	Bloodroot	N	U	F	F	P
										Phytolaccaceae						
				+ + + +						<i>Phytolacca americana</i>	Pokeweed	N	U	F	F	P
										Plantaginaceae						
+ + + + + + +										<i>Plantago aristata</i>	Bracted Plantain	N?	U	D	F	A
+ + + + + + +										<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	Dwarf Plantain	I	U	D	F	P
+ + + +										<i>Plantago patagonica</i> var. <i>brevicarpa</i>	Salt-and-pepper Plant	I?	C	P	F	A
+ + + + + +										<i>Plantago rugelii</i>	Rugel's Plantain	N	U	D	F	A
+ + +										<i>Plantago virginica</i>	Dwarf Plantain	N	U	D	F	A
										Poaceae						
				+ +						<i>Agropyron repens</i> f. <i>aristatum</i>	Quack Grass	I	U	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Agropyron repens</i> f. <i>repens</i>	Quack Grass	I	U	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Agropyron smithii</i>	Western Wheat Grass	I	U	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Agropyron subsecundum</i>	Bearded Wheat Grass	N	U	S	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Agrostis gigantea</i>	Redtop	I	U	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Agrostis hyemalis</i>	Bent Grass/Tickle Grass	N	U	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Alopecurus carolinianus</i>	Common Foxtail	N	U	D	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	Big Bluestem	N	U	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Andropogon hallii</i>	Sand Bluestem	N	R	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Aristida basiramea</i>	Forked Three-awn Grass	N	C	P	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Aristida oligantha</i>	Prairie Three-awn Grass	N	U	P	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Aristida tuberculosa</i>	Beach Three-awn Grass	N	C	P	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	Side-oats Grama	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Bouteloua gracilis</i>	Blue Grama	N	R	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Bouteloua hirsuta</i>	Hairy Grama	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Bromus inermis</i>	Awnless Brome	I	U	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Bromus kalmii</i>	Kalm's/Prairie Brome	N	X?	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Bromus racemosus</i>	Smooth Chess	I	U	P	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Bromus tectorum</i>	Downy Chess	I	C	D	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Calamovilfa longifolia</i>	Sand-reed	N	R	S	G	P

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				+ + +						<i>Cenchrus longispinus</i>	Sand Bur	N	C	D	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Chloris verticillata</i>	Windmill Grass	I	U	D	G	P
+ + +										<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>	Orchard Grass	I	U	D	G	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Digitaria ischaemum</i>	Smooth Crab Grass	I	R	D	G	A
				+ + + + +						<i>Digitaria sanguinalis</i>	Hairy Crab Grass	I	U	D	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Echinochloa crusgalli</i>	Barnyard Grass	I	U	D	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Elymus canadensis</i>	Nodding Wild Rye	N	U	P	G	P
+ + + + +										<i>Eragrostis ciliaris</i>	Stink-grass	I	U	D	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Eragrostis pectinacea</i>	Small Love Grass	N	U	D	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Eragrostis poaeoides</i>	Low Love Grass	I	U	D	G	A
				+ + + + +						<i>Eragrostis spectabilis</i>	Tumblegrass/Purple Love Grass	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Eragrostis trichoides</i>	Sand-lovegrass	N	U	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Festuca elatior</i>	Tall Fescue	I	U	D	G	P
+ + +										<i>Festuca obtusa</i>	Nodding Fescue	N	U	S	G	P
+ + +										<i>Festuca ovina</i>	Slender Fescue	I	U	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Festuca pratensis</i>	Meadow Fescue	I	U	D	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Hordeum jubatum</i>	Squirrel-tail Grass	I	U	D	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Koeleria macrantha</i>	June Grass	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Leptoloma cognatum</i>	Fall Witch Grass	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Perennial Rye Grass	I	U	D	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Muhlenbergia racemosa</i>	Muhly/Upland Wild Timothy	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Muhlenbergia schreberi</i>	Nimblewill	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Panicum capillare</i> var. <i>capillare</i>	Witch-grass	N	U	D	G	A
+ + + + +										<i>Panicum depauperatum</i>	Starved Panic Grass	N	U	P	G	P
										<i>Panicum lanuginosum</i> var. <i>fasiculatum</i>	Old-field Panic Grass	N	U	F	G	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Panicum lanuginosum</i> var. <i>implicatum</i>	Panic Grass	N	U	S	G	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Panicum linearifolium</i>	Slender-leaved Panic Grass	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Panicum oligosanthes</i>	Few-flowered Panic Grass	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Panicum villosissimum</i>	Hairy Panic Grass	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + + + +						<i>Panicum virgatum</i>	Switch Grass	N	C	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Panicum wilcoxianum?</i>	Panic Grass	N	R	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Paspalum bushii</i>	Hairy Bead Grass	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Paspalum ciliatifolium</i>	Paspalum	I?	U	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Poa compressa</i>	Canadian Bluegrass	I	U	F	G	P

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										<i>Poa pratensis</i>	Kentucky Bluegrass	I	A	D	G	P
+ + + +				+ + +						<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	Little Bluestem	N	A	P	G	P
				+ + + +						<i>Setaria faberi</i>	Nodding Foxtail	I	U	SF	G	A
+ + + +										<i>Setaria glauca</i>	Yellow Foxtail	I	U	SF	G	A
+ + + +										<i>Setaria viridis</i>	Green Foxtail	I	U	D	G	A
				+ + + +						<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>	Indian Grass	N	C	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Spartina pectinata</i>	Prairie Cordgrass	N	R	S	G	P
+ + +										<i>Sphenopholis obtusata</i> var. major	Prairie Wedge Grass	N	U	F	G	P
+ + +										<i>Sphenopholis obtusata</i> var. obtusata	Prairie Wedge Grass	N	U	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Sporobolus asper</i>	Tall Dropseed	N	U	P	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Sporobolus clandestinus</i>	Rough Dropseed	N	U	D	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Sporobolus cryptandrus</i>	Sand Dropseed	N	A	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	Prairie Dropseed	N	R	P	G	P
				+ +						<i>Sporobolus vaginiflorus</i>	Poverty-grass	N	U	D	G	A
+ +										<i>Stipa spartea</i>	Porcupine/Needle Grass	N	C	P	G	P
+ + + +										<i>Tridens flavus</i>	Purpletop/Redtop/Greasy Grass	N	U	D	G	P
				+ + +						<i>Triplasis purpurea</i>	Purple Sand-grass	N	U	P	G	A
				+ + +						<i>Triticum aestivum</i>	Wheat	I	U	P	G	A
+ + +										<i>Vulpia octoflora</i>	Six-weeks Fescue	N	A	P	G	A
Polemoniaceae																
+ + +										<i>Phlox divaricata</i> subsp. <i>laphamii</i>	Blue Phlox	N	U	F	F	P
Polygalaceae																
+ + +										<i>Polygala polygama</i> var. <i>obtusata</i>	Purple Milkwort	N	U	P	F	B
+ + +										<i>Polygala verticillata</i>	Whorled Milkwort	N	U	P	F	A
Polygonaceae																
										<i>Polygonum cespitosum</i> var. <i>longisetum</i>	Creeping Smartweed/Knotweed	I	U	SF	F	A
+ + + + +										<i>Polygonella articulata</i>	Sand Jointweed	N	U	P	F	A
+ + + + +										<i>Polygonum convolvulus</i>	Black Bindweed	I	U	F	F	A
+ + + +										<i>Polygonum ramosissimum</i>	Knotweed	N	U	P	F	A
+ + + +										<i>Polygonum scandens</i>	False Buckwheat	N	U	F	HV	P
+ + +										<i>Polygonum tenue</i>	Slender Knotweed	N	U	P	F	A
+ + +										<i>Polygonum virginianum</i>	Jumpseed	N	U	F	F	P
+ + + + +										<i>Rumex acetosella</i>	Sour Dock	I	C	P	F	P
+ +										<i>Rumex altissimus</i>	Pale Dock	N	U	D	F	P

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										Portulacaceae						
+ + +										<i>Claytonia virginica</i>	Spring Beauty	N	C	F	F	P
	+ + + + +									<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	Purslane	I	U	P	F	A
	+ + +									<i>Talinum rugospermum</i>	Fameflower	N	U	F	F	P
										Primulaceae						
+ +										<i>Androsace occidentalis</i>	Rock Jasmine	N	C	P	F	A
										Ranunculaceae						
	+ + +									<i>Anemone canadensis</i>	Meadow Anemone	N	C	F	F	P
+ +										<i>Anemone caroliniana</i>	Carolina Anemone	N	U	P	F	P
	+ + + +									<i>Anemone cylindrica</i>	Thimbleweed	N	U	F	F	P
+ +										<i>Anemone quinquefolia</i>	Wood Anemone	N	U	F	F	P
+ + + +										<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>	Wild Columbine	N	U	F	F	P
+ + +										<i>Ranunculus abortivus</i>	Small-flowered Buttercup	N	U	F	F	A
+ +										<i>Ranunculus fascicularis</i>	Early Buttercup	N	U	P	F	P
	+ + +									<i>Ranunculus pensylvanicus</i>	Bristly Crowfoot	N	R	SP	F	A
+ +										<i>Ranunculus rhomboideus</i>	Prairie Buttercup	N	X?	P	F	P
										Rhamnaceae						
	+ + +									<i>Ceanothus americanus</i>	New Jersey Tea	N	U	S	S	P
+ +										<i>Ceanothus herbaceus</i>	Redroot	N	U	P	S	P
+ +										<i>Rhamnus cathartica</i>	Common Buckthorn	I	U	F	S	P
										Rosaceae						
	+ + +									<i>Agrimonia gryposepala</i>	Tall Agrimony	N	U	F	F	P
	+ + +									<i>Agrimonia pubescens</i>	Soft Agrimony	N	U	F	F	P
+ +										<i>Crataegus calpodendron</i>	Hawthorn	N	U	F	T	P
+ + + +										<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>	Wild Strawberry	N	U	F	F	P
+ + + +										<i>Geum canadense</i>	White Avens	N	U	F	F	P
+ +										<i>Geum triflorum</i>	Prairie Smoke	N	U	P	F	P
+ +										<i>Malus coronaria</i>	Wild Sweet Crab	N	U	P	T	P
+ +										<i>Malus ioensis</i>	Iowa Crab	N	U	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Malus pumila</i>	Apple	I	U	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	Ninebark	N	R	F	S	P
+ + + + +										<i>Potentilla argentea</i>	Silvery Cinquefoil	I	C	D	F	P
+ + +										<i>Potentilla arguta</i>	Prairie Cinquefoil	N	R	P	F	P
+ + + +										<i>Potentilla inclinata</i>	Hoary Cinquefoil	I	R	SF	F	P
+ +										<i>Potentilla norvegica</i>	Rough Cinquefoil	both	U	D	F	A

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			+ + +							<i>Potentilla recta</i>	Sulfur Cinquefoil	I	C	P	F	P
			+ +							<i>Potentilla simplex</i>	Old-field/Common Cinquefoil	N	U	F	F	P
+ +										<i>Prunus americana</i>	Wild Plum	N	C	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Prunus nigra</i>	Canadian Plum	N	R	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Wild Black Cherry	N	U	F	T	P
+ +										<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	Choke Cherry	N	U	F	S	P
+ + +										<i>Rosa carolina</i>	Pasture Rose	N	U	F	S	P
+ +										<i>Rosa multiflora</i>	Multiflora Rose	I	U	F	S	P
+ +			+ +							<i>Rosa suffulta</i>	Dwarf Prairie Rose	N	U	F	S	P
+ +										<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i>	Common Blackberry	N	U	F	S	P
+ +										<i>Rubus argutus</i>	(Highbush) Blackberry	N	U	P	S	P
+ + +										<i>Rubus flagellaris</i>	Common Dewberry	N	U	F	S	P
+ +										<i>Rubus occidentalis</i>	Black Rasberry	N	U	F	S	P
Rubiaceae																
			+ +							<i>Diodia teres</i>	Rough Buttonweed	N	C	P	F	A
			+ + +							<i>Galium aparine</i>	Goosegrass	N	U	F	F	A
			+ + +							<i>Galium circaeans</i>	Forest-bedstraw/Wild Licorice	N	U	F	F	P
			+ +							<i>Galium concinnum</i>	Shining Bedstraw	N	U	F	F	P
			+ + + + +							<i>Galium triflorum</i>	Sweet-scented Bedstraw	N	U	F	F	P
Rutaceae																
			+ + +							<i>Ptelea trifoliata</i>	Wafer Ash	N	U	F	S	P
			+ +							<i>Zanthoxylum americanum</i>	Prickly Ash	N	C	F	S	P
Salicaceae																
			+ + +							<i>Populus deltoides</i>	Cottonwood	N	U	P	T	P
			+ +							<i>Populus grandidentata</i>	Big-tooth Aspen	N	U	F	T	P
			+ +							<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking Aspen	N	U	S	T	P
Santalaceae																
			+ + + +							<i>Comandra umbellata</i>	False Toadflax	N	U	P	F	P
Saxifragaceae																
			+ +							<i>Ribes missouriense</i>	Missouri Gooseberry	N	C	F	S	P
Scrophulariaceae																
			+ + +							<i>Aureolaria grandiflora</i> var. <i>pulchra</i>	Yellow False Foxglove	N	R	F	F	P
			+ + + + +							<i>Bacopa rotundifolia</i>	Water Hyssop	N	R	SP	F	P
			+ +							<i>Besseya bullii</i>	Kitten Tails	N	U	F	F	P
			+ + + +							<i>Chaenorhinum minus</i>	Dwarf Snapdragon	I	U	D	F	A

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										<i>Linaria canadensis</i>	Blue Toadflax	N	U	P	F	A
										<i>Linaria vulgaris</i>	Butter-and-Eggs	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Penstemon grandiflorus</i>	Large-flowered Beard Tongue	N	X	P	F	P
										<i>Penstemon pallidus</i>	Pale Beardstongue	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Scrophularia lanceolata</i>	Early Figwort	N	U	F	F	P
										<i>Verbascum blattaria</i>	Moth Mullein	I	U	P	F	B
										<i>Verbascum thapsus</i>	Wooly Mullein	I	U	F	F	B
										<i>Veronica arvensis</i>	Corn Speedwell	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Veronica dillenii</i>	Speedwell	I	C	D	F	A
										<i>Veronica peregrina</i>	Purslane Speedwell	N	U	D	F	A
Selaginellaceae										<i>Selaginella rupestris</i>	Dwarf Spike-moss	N	C	P	moss	P
Smilacaceae										<i>Smilax hispida</i>	Bristly Catbrier	N	U	F	WV	P
										<i>Smilax lasioneuron</i>	Carrión Flower	N	U	F	HV	P
Solanaceae										<i>Physalis heterophylla</i>	(Clammy) Ground Cherry	N	U	P	F	P
										<i>Physalis virginiana</i>	Lance-leaved Ground Cherry	N	C	P	F	P
										<i>Solanum carolinense</i>	Horse Nettle	I	U	P	F	P
										<i>Solanum cornutum</i>	Buffalo-burr	I	U	D	F	A
										<i>Solanum ptycanthum</i>	Black Nightshade	N	U	F	F	A
Tiliaceae										<i>Tilia americana</i>	Basswood	N	U	F	T	P
Ulmaceae										<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	Hackberry	N	U	F	T	P
										<i>Ulmus americana</i>	American Elm	N	U	F	T	P
										<i>Ulmus pumila</i>	Siberian Elm	I	U	P	T	P
										<i>Ulmus rubra</i>	Slippery Elm	N	U	F	T	P
Urticaceae										<i>Parietaria pensylvanica</i>	Pellitory	N	U	F	F	A
Verbenaceae										<i>Phryma leptostachya</i>	Lopseed	N	U	F	F	P
										<i>Verbena bracteata</i>	Creeping Vervain	N	U	D	F	A
										<i>Verbena stricta f. albiflora</i>	White Hoary Vervain	N	R	P	F	P
										<i>Verbena stricta f. roseiflora</i>	Pink Hoary Vervain	N	U	P	F	P

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				+	+	+	+	+		<i>Verbena stricta</i> f. <i>stricta</i>	Hoary vervain	N	C	P	F	P
				+	+	+	+	+	+	<i>Verbena urticifolia</i>	Hairy White Vervain	N	U	F	F	P
Violaceae																
				+	+	+				<i>Viola pedata</i>	Bird's-foot Violet	N	C	P	F	P
				+	+					<i>Viola pubescens</i> var. <i>eriocarpa</i>	Smooth Yellow Violet	N	U	F	F	P
				+	+	+				<i>Viola rafinesquii</i>	Johnny-jump-up/Wild Pansy	I	U	F	F	A
				+	+	+				<i>Viola sororia</i>	Woolly Blue Violet	N	U	S	F	P
Vitaceae																
					+	+				<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>	Virginia Creeper	N	U	F	WV	P
					+	+				<i>Vitis riparia</i>	River Grape	N	C	F	WV	P

Table 2. Seasonal occurrence of birds at Lost Mound and surrounding areas. Data based on systematic and informal surveys by INHS and IDNR from 1998 to 2007. Species reported outside this time period are listed with no data. Species listed by taxonomic order except for perching birds which are listed by family (following names and sequence from American Ornithologists' Union.) Column headings show four “weeks” per month. Number in each column indicates number of years each species observed during that time period. A + indicates species observed all 10 years.

Note that fieldwork is limited in winter (December – February) except for Christmas Bird Count at end of second week of December.

Species	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
<b>Anseriformes - Ducks, Swans, Geese</b>												
Snow Goose			1		1	2	1					1
Cackling Goose	1				1	1					1	
Canada Goose	1	1	4	4	4	7	7	9	9	9	9	2
Mute Swan (I)							1					
Trumpeter Swan	1		2	2	1	1	2		1		1	1
Tundra Swan					1	2	1			1	1	
Wood Duck			1	3	7	9	9	9+	+	+	+	1
Gadwall	1			3	5	5	6	7	4	5	2	3
American Wigeon			1	2	5	6	6	7	4	2	2	1
American Black Duck			2	3	4	6	4	1	1		1	1
Mallard	1	1	2	1	4	5	8	9	9	9+	+	+
Blue-winged Teal					1	4	6	9	9	9	9	1
Northern Shoveler				1	3	4	7	8	8	7	6	3
Northern Pintail			1	4	5	4	4	1	1		1	1
Green-winged Teal			2	6	6	7	6	6	5	2	2	
Canvasback			3	5	4	6	6	6	4	3	2	1
Redhead			1	2	3	5	5	5	2	1		1
Ring-necked Duck			2	4	5	7	6	5	3	3	2	1
Greater Scaup			1	1	1	5	6	4	3	1		1
Lesser Scaup	1	1	1	3	6	8	8	9	9	8	7	1
Surf Scoter						1	1			1	1	2
White-winged Scoter										1	1	1
Long-tailed Duck					1							1
Bufflehead				1	4	7	7	7	6	5	4	2
Common Goldeneye	1	2	1	1	1	2	3	9	7	7	4	3
Hooded Merganser				1	2	4	7	7	4	4	1	
Common Merganser	1	2	1	3	3	4	5	9	8	8	7	5
Red-breasted Merganser						3	4	5	1	1	1	1
Ruddy Duck				1	4	1	2	3	1	3	3	1
<b>Galliformes - Fowl</b>												
Ring-necked Pheasant (I)				1			1		1		1	
Wild Turkey	1	3	4	3	3	4	5	6	7	5	6	7
Northern Bobwhite								1	1	2	1	1







	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Species	J1	J2	J3	J4	F1	F2	F3	F4	M1	M2	M3	M4
Acadian Flycatcher									1	1		
Alder Flycatcher									1			
Willow Flycatcher									2	2	4	
Least Flycatcher									2	6	6	3
Eastern Phoebe									2	2	1	
Great Crested Flycatcher									1			
Western Kingbird									9	9	9	9
Eastern Kingbird									7	3	4	
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher									1	1	1	
<b>Laniidae - Shrikes</b>												
Loggerhead Shrike									1	2	3	6
Northern Shrike	2	3	4	2	3	2	4	5	2	3	1	
<b>Vireonidae - Vireos</b>												
White-eyed Vireo									1	1	1	1
Bell's Vireo									1	1	1	1
Yellow-throated Vireo									1	2	1	1
Blue-headed Vireo									1	1	1	
Warbling Vireo									4	9	+	1
Philadelphia Vireo									1	1	1	1
Red-eyed Vireo									4	7	9	8
<b>Corvidae - Crows, Jays</b>												
Blue Jay	7	8	8	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
American Crow	7	8	8	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
<b>Alaudidae - Larks</b>												
Horned Lark	3	5	7	7	8	7	8	9	9	9	9	9
<b>Hirundinidae - Swallows</b>												
Purple Martin									1	3	2	5
Tree Swallow									2	3	5	2
N. Rough-winged Swallow									3	8	8	8
Bank Swallow									4	5	3	3
Cliff Swallow									1	2	1	1
Barn Swallow									3	1	1	1
<b>Paridae - Chickadees</b>												
Black-capped Chickadee	6	7	8	8	8	9	8	8	9	9	9	9
Tufted Titmouse	1	1	1	1	3	4	4	5	6	7	7	8







