

Northeast Lake Ontario-St. Lawrence Table 2. Species of Greatest Conservation Need currently occurring in the NE Lake Ontario-St. Lawrence River Basin (n=110). Species are sorted alphabetically by taxonomic group and species common name. The Species Group designation is included, indicating which Species Group Report in the appendix will contain the full information about the species. The Stability of this basin's population is also indicated for each species.

TaxaGroup	Species	SpeciesGroup	Stability
Bird	Bald Eagle	Bald eagle	Increasing
Bird	Beach and Island ground-nesting birds	Caspian tern	Increasing
Bird	Beach and Island ground-nesting birds	Common tern	Unknown
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Bay-breasted warbler	Decreasing
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Cape May warbler	Unknown
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Olive-sided flycatcher	Decreasing
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Rusty blackbird	Unknown
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Spruce grouse	Decreasing
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Tennessee warbler	Unknown
Bird	Boreal forest birds	Three-toed woodpecker	Unknown
Bird	Breeding waterfowl	American black duck	Decreasing
Bird	Breeding waterfowl	Blue-winged teal	Decreasing
Bird	Breeding waterfowl	Common goldeneye	Unknown
Bird	Colonial-nesting herons	Black-crowned night-heron	Increasing
Bird	Colonial-nesting herons	Cattle egret	Decreasing
Bird	Common loon	Common loon	Increasing
Bird	Common nighthawk	Common nighthawk	Decreasing
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Black-throated blue warbler	Stable
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Cerulean warbler	Increasing
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Louisiana waterthrush	Unknown
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Prothonotary warbler	Unknown
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Red-headed woodpecker	Decreasing
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Scarlet tanager	Decreasing
Bird	Deciduous/mixed forest breeding birds	Wood thrush	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	American woodcock	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Black-billed cuckoo	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Blue-winged warbler	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Brown thrasher	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Canada warbler	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Golden-winged warbler	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Prairie warbler	Increasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Ruffed grouse	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Whip-poor-will	Decreasing
Bird	Early successional forest/shrubland birds	Willow flycatcher	Decreasing
Bird	Forest breeding raptors	Cooper's hawk	Increasing
Bird	Forest breeding raptors	Golden eagle	Decreasing
Bird	Forest breeding raptors	Long-eared owl	Unknown
Bird	Forest breeding raptors	Northern goshawk	Increasing
Bird	Forest breeding raptors	Red-shouldered hawk	Increasing
Bird	Forest breeding raptors	Sharp-shinned hawk	Increasing
Bird	Freshwater marsh nesting birds	American bittern	Decreasing
Bird	Freshwater marsh nesting birds	Black tern	Decreasing
Bird	Freshwater marsh nesting birds	Least bittern	Stable
Bird	Freshwater marsh nesting birds	Pied-billed grebe	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Bobolink	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Eastern meadowlark	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Grasshopper sparrow	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Henslow's sparrow	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Horned lark	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Northern harrier	Unknown
Bird	Grassland birds	Sedge wren	Unknown
Bird	Grassland birds	Short-eared owl	Unknown
Bird	Grassland birds	Upland sandpiper	Decreasing
Bird	Grassland birds	Vesper sparrow	Decreasing
Bird	High Altitude Conifer Forest Birds	Bicknell's thrush	Unknown
Bird	Osprey	Osprey	Increasing
Bird	Peregrine falcon	Peregrine falcon	Increasing
Bird	Wintering waterbirds	Greater scaup	Decreasing
Bird	Wintering waterbirds	Horned grebe	Unknown
Bird	Wintering waterbirds	Northern pintail	Unknown
Bird	Wintering waterbirds	Red-throated loon	Unknown
Freshwater fish	Blackchin shiner	Blackchin shiner	Stable
Freshwater fish	Brook trout, Heritage strains	Brook trout, Heritage strains	Stable
Freshwater fish	Eastern sand darter	Eastern sand darter	Increasing
Freshwater fish	Iowa darter	Iowa darter	Unknown
Freshwater fish	Lake sturgeon	Lake sturgeon	Increasing

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Freshwater fish	Mooneye	Mooneye	Unknown
Freshwater fish	Ninespine stickleback - inland	N. American ninespine stickleback	Unknown
Freshwater fish	Pugnose shiner	Pugnose shiner	Stable
Freshwater fish	Round whitefish	Round whitefish	Decreasing
Herpetofauna	Freshwater wetland amphibians	Four-toed salamander	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Freshwater wetland amphibians	Western chorus frog	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Lake/river reptiles	Eastern ribbonsnake	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Lake/river reptiles	Northern map turtle	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Lake/river reptiles	Spiny softshell	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Lake/river reptiles	Wood turtle	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Mudpuppy	Common mudpuppy	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Snapping Turtle	Snapping turtle	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Uncommon turtles of wetlands	Blanding's turtle	Decreasing
Herpetofauna	Uncommon turtles of wetlands	Spotted turtle	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Uncommon turtles of wetlands	Stinkpot	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Vernal pool salamanders	Blue-spotted salamander	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Vernal pool salamanders	Jefferson salamander	Unknown
Herpetofauna	Woodland/grassland snakes	Black ratsnake	Decreasing
Herpetofauna	Woodland/grassland snakes	Smooth greensnake	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of bogs/fens/ponds	Ebony boghaunter	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of bogs/fens/ponds	Forcipate emerald	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of bogs/fens/ponds	Incurvate emerald	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of bogs/fens/ponds	Subarctic bluet	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of lakes/ponds	Lake emerald	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of rivers/streams	Arrow clubtail	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of rivers/streams	Brook snaketail	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of rivers/streams	Extra-striped snaketail	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of rivers/streams	Rapids clubtail	Unknown
Insect	Odonates of small forest streams	Ocellated emerald	Unknown
Insect	Other butterflies	Gorgone checkerspot	Decreasing
Insect	Other butterflies	Mottled duskywing	Decreasing
Insect	Other butterflies	Olympia marble	Decreasing
Insect	Other butterflies	Silvery blue	Decreasing
Insect	Other moths	<i>Orthodes obscura</i>	Stable
Mammal	Furbearers	American marten	Unknown
Mammal	Furbearers	River otter	Stable
Mammal	Indiana Bat	Indiana bat	Stable
Mammal	Tree bats	Eastern red bat	Unknown
Mammal	Tree bats	Hoary bat	Unknown
Marine fish	American eel	American eel	Decreasing
Mollusk	Freshwater bivalves	Eastern pearlshell	Unknown
Mollusk	Freshwater bivalves	Elktoe	Unknown
Mollusk	Freshwater bivalves	Pocketbook	Unknown
Mollusk	Freshwater bivalves	Yellow lamp mussel	Unknown