

# MAINE'S ENDANGERED SPECIES<sup>1</sup>

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## **Birds**

American pipit (*Anthus rubescens*): breeding population only  
Black tern (*Chlidonias niger*)  
Golden eagle (*Aquila chrysaetos*)  
Grasshopper sparrow (*Ammodramus savannarum*)  
Least bittern (*Ixobrychus exilis*)  
Least tern (*Sterna antillarum*)  
Peregrine falcon (*Falco peregrinus*): breeding population only  
Piping plover (*Charadrius melodus*)<sup>2</sup>  
Roseate tern (*Sterna dougallii*)<sup>2</sup>  
Sedge wren (*Cistothorus platensis*)

## **Fish**

Redfin pickerel (*Esox americanus americanus*)

## **Invertebrates**

### Butterflies and Skippers

Clayton's copper (*Lycaena dorcas claytoni*)  
Edwards' hairstreak (*Satyrrium edwardsii*)  
Hessel's hairstreak (*Callophrys hesseli*)  
Juniper hairstreak (*Callophrys gryneus*)  
Katahdin Arctic (*Oenis polixenes katahdin*)

### Dragonflies and Damselflies

Rapids clubtail (*Gomphus quadricolor*)

### Mayflies

Flat-headed mayfly (a.k.a., Roaring Brook mayfly; *Epeorus frisoni*)

## **Mammals**

New England cottontail (*Sylvilagus transitionalis*)

## **Reptiles**

### Snakes

Black racer (*Coluber constrictor*)

### Turtles

Blanding's turtle (*Emydoidea blandingii*)  
Box turtle (*Terrapene carolina*)

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# MAINE'S THREATENED SPECIES<sup>1</sup>

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## **Birds**

Arctic tern (*Sterna paradisaea*)  
Atlantic puffin (*Fratercula arctica*)  
Barrow's goldeneye (*Bucephala islandica*)  
Black-crowned night heron (*Nycticorax nycticorax*)  
Common moorhen (*Gallinula chloropus*)  
Great cormorant (*Phalacrocorax carbo*): breeding population only  
Harlequin duck (*Histrionicus histrionicus*)  
Razorbill (*Alca torda*)  
Upland sandpiper (*Bartramia longicauda*)  
Short-eared owl (*Asio flammeus*): breeding population only

## **Fish**

Swamp darter (*Etheostoma fusiforme*)

## **Invertebrates**

### Butterflies and Skippers

Purple lesser fritillary (*Boloria chariclea grandis*)  
Sleepy duskywing (*Erynnis brizo*)

### Moths

Pine barrens zanclognatha (*Zanclognatha martha*)  
Twilight moth (*Lucia rachelae*)

### Dragonflies and Damselflies

Boreal snaketail (*Ophiogomphus colubrinus*)  
Ringed boghaunter (*Williamsonia lintneri*)

### Freshwater Mussels

Brook floater (*Alasmidonta varicosa*)  
Tidewater mucket (*Leptodea ochracea*)  
Yellow lampmussel (*Lampsilis cariosa*)

### Mayflies

Tomah mayfly (*Siphonisca aerodromia*)

## **Mammals**

Northern bog lemming (*Synaptomys borealis*)

## **Reptiles**

### Turtles

Spotted turtle (*Clemmys guttata*)

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## MAINE'S RECOVERED SPECIES

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### **Birds**

Bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*)

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<sup>1</sup> Includes only species listed by the Maine legislature after recommendation by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife (*Maine Revised Statutes: Title 12 Conservation, Part 13 Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, Chapter 925 Fish and Wildlife Management and Research, Subchapter 3 Endangered Species § 12801 - § 12810*); <http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/statutes/12/title12sec12803.html> This summary excludes:

- (a) marine species (except migratory birds) listed separately through the Maine Department of Marine Resources (12 MRSA § 6975), and
- (b) federally listed species designated only under the U.S. Endangered Species Act (16 USC Chapter 35) that are not listed under Maine law.

<sup>2</sup> These species are also federally listed under the U.S. Endangered Species Act as well as Maine's Endangered Species Act.