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## ENDANGERED, THREATENED, PROPOSED AND CANDIDATE SPECIES NEBRASKA COUNTIES

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- T - Threatened
- E - Endangered
- P - Proposed
- X - Experimental
- C - Candidate

Species	Scientific Name	Status
<b>ADAMS</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>ANTELOPE</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>ARTHUR</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BANNER</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BLAINE</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BOONE</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BOX BUTTE</b>		

Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Blowout Penstemon	<i>Penstemon haydenii</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BOYD</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BROWN</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BUFFALO</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>BURT</b>		
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
<b>BUTLER</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>CASS</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>CEDAR</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>CHASE</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>CHERRY</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Blowout Penstemon	<i>Penstemon haydenii</i>	E
Topeka Shiner	<i>Notropis topeka</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>CHEYENNE</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E

Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>CLAY</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>COLFAX</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>CUMING</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>CUSTER</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>DAKOTA</b>		
Interior least tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	E
<b>DAWES</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>DAWSON</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	E
Whooping crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>DEUEL</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>DIXON</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>DODGE</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>DOUGLAS</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T

<b>DUNDY</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>FILLMORE</b>		
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>FRANKLIN</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>FRONTIER</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>FURNAS</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>GAGE</b>		
None		
<b>GARDEN</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Blowout Penstemon	<i>Penstemon haydenii</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>GARFIELD</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>GOSPER</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>GRANT</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>GREELEY</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HALL</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E

<b>HAMILTON</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HARLAN</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HAYES</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HITCHCOCK</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HOLT</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HOOKER</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Blowout Penstemon	<i>Penstemon haydenii</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>HOWARD</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>JEFFERSON</b>		
None		
<b>JOHNSON</b>		
None		
<b>KEARNEY</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>KEITH</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>KEYA PAHA</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E

Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>KIMBALL</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Colorado Butterfly Plant	<i>Gaura neomexicana coloradensis</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>KNOX</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>LANCASTER</b>		
Salt Creek Tiger Beetle	<i>Cicindela nevadica lincolniiana</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>LINCOLN</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>LOGAN</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>LOUP</b>		
American burying beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>MADISON</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Topeka Shiner	<i>Notropis topeka</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>MCPHERSON</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>MERRICK</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>MORRILL</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E

Blowout Penstemon	<i>Penstemon haydenii</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>NANCE</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>NEMAHA</b>		
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
<b>NUCKOLLS</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>OTOE</b>		
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>PAWNEE</b>		
None		
<b>PERKINS</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>PHELPS</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>PIERCE</b>		
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>PLATTE</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>POLK</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
<b>RED WILLOW</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>RICHARDSON</b>		
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
<b>ROCK</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>SALINE</b>		

Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>SARPY</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>SAUNDERS</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>SCOTTSBLUFF</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>SEWARD</b>		
Western Prairie Fringed Orchid	<i>Platanthera praeclara</i>	T
<b>SHERIDAN</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Interior least tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>SHERMAN</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>SIOUX</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Ute Ladies'-tresses	<i>Spiranthes diluvialis</i>	T
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>STANTON</b>		
Interior Least Tern	<i>Sternula antillarum</i>	E
Piping Plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	T
<b>THAYER</b>		
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>THOMAS</b>		
American Burying Beetle	<i>Nicrophorus americanus</i>	E
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Blowout Penstemon	<i>Penstemon haydenii</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>THURSTON</b>		
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
<b>VALLEY</b>		
Black-footed Ferret	<i>Mustela nigripes</i>	E
Whooping Crane	<i>Grus americana</i>	E
<b>WASHINGTON</b>		
Pallid Sturgeon	<i>Scaphirhynchus albus</i>	E
<b>WAYNE</b>		



None

**WEBSTER**

Black-footed Ferret

*Mustela nigripes*

E

Whooping Crane

*Grus americana*

E

**WHEELER**

American Burying Beetle

*Nicrophorus americanus*

E

Black-footed Ferret

*Mustela nigripes*

E

Western Prairie Fringed Orchid

*Platanthera praeclara*

T

Whooping Crane

*Grus americana*

E

**YORK**

Whooping Crane

*Grus americana*

E