

**These birds breed on or near
Island Park and can be regularly seen:**

Canada goose
Mute swan
Mallard
Mourning dove
Killdeer
Eastern kingbird
Red-eyed vireo
Tree swallow
Black-capped chickadee
American robin
Gray catbird
European starling
Cedar waxwing
House finch
Purple finch
American goldfinch
Chipping sparrow
Song sparrow
Common grackle
Common yellowthroat
Yellow warbler
Northern cardinal
Rose-breasted grosbeak

The Alpena Wildlife Sanctuary

is a 450 acre natural area
on the north side of
Alpena. It is listed on both
the Heritage Route 23 and
Sunrise Coast Birding Trail
maps.

Portions of both Duck and
Island Park are universally
accessible birding sites.

Although many bird
species have been sighted
here, this brochure is
intended for the casual,
beginning observer.

The photos will help you
identify the more common
birds present from May to
September in the Wildlife
Sanctuary.

Some of them can be
easily identified using the
photos.

**The following birds can be seen
from the island from May to
August but do not nest here:**

Ring-billed gull
Caspian tern
Double-crested cormorant
Great blue heron
Great egret
Belted kingfisher
Barn swallow

Scan here
for more
information



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Birds of the

Alpena Wildlife Sanctuary



**The Alpena Wildlife Sanctuary
is a natural aviary that rewards both the
serious and casual bird watcher with
many exciting glimpses of
nesting and migratory birds.**



Map of Island Park in the Alpena Wildlife Sanctuary

