

	Habitat	Abundance
Dogs, Raccoons, & Weasels		
Coyote	grasslands	Uncommon
Red Fox	grasslands	Uncommon
Northern Raccoon	treed area	Uncommon
American Badger	grasslands	Rare
Mink	marsh edges	Common
Short-tailed Weasel	treed area	Rare
Long-tailed Weasel	treed area	Rare
Striped Skunk	grasslands	Uncommon
Hoofed Mammals		
White-tailed Deer	treed area	Uncommon
Mule Deer	grasslands	Rare
Moose	riparian areas	Rare
Bats		
Big Brown Bat	roost in buildings, tree cavities	Common
Little Brown Bat	roost in buildings, tree cavities	Common
Hoary Bat	roost in trees	Rare, if present
Hares & Rabbits		
Snowshoe Hare	willows, bushy area	Rare
White-tailed Jackrabbit	grasslands, bushy areas	Common
Shrews		
Masked Shrew	marshes, grasslands	Uncommon
Prairie Shrew	marshes, grasslands	Uncommon
Beaver, Squirrels, Gopher, Mice, Porcupine		
North American Beaver	lakes, creeks, ponds	Common
Least Chipmunk	treed area	Rare
Red Squirrel	treed area	Rare
Fox Squirrel	treed area	Common
Gray Squirrel	treed area	Uncommon
Richardson's Ground Squirrel	grasslands	Common
Thirteen-lined Ground Squirrel	grasslands	Uncommon
Northern Pocket Gopher	grasslands	Uncommon
Deer Mouse	grasslands	Common
Muskrat	lakes, creeks, ponds	Common
House Mouse	buildings, grasslands	Uncommon
Northern Grasshopper Mouse	grasslands	Rare, if present
Meadow Vole	grasslands	Common
North American Porcupine	treed area	Rare

Wascana Centre's Mammal Checklist



Wascana Centre is home to a diverse array of mammal species. To date 32 species have been noted in the centre. Some species like the White-tailed Jackrabbit are a common sight here year round, while others like the Masked Shrew are very secretive and are rarely seen.

This checklist includes all of the land within Wascana Centre's boundaries, from the manicured Legislative grounds to the tame grass prairie found east of the Ring Road. Most of the species will not be seen throughout the entire park but rather will occur only in certain habitats. The habitats described beside each species are general guidelines – animals will do as they wish – but these are good places to start looking.

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