WINNETKA GOLF CLUB – WILDLIFE INVENTORY

SPECIES	DATE	LOCATION/HABITAT	<u>COMMENTS</u>
MAMMALS:			
Rabbits	Throughout season	Throughout GC	Hopping
Squirrels	Throughout season	Throughout GC	Running, climbing and digging
Chipmunks	Throughout season	Throughout GC	Running to burrows
Opossums	Occasionally throughout season	Throughout GC	Walking
Coyotes	Throughout year	Throughout GC	Hunting for food
Minks	Sporadic and infrequently	#5/6 creek and 14T/Butler Pond	Walking
White-Tail Deer	Throughout year	Everywhere – particularly wooded areas	Traveling and feeding
Muskrats	Throughout season	All ponds	Swimming
Red foxes	Infrequently throughout year	Throughout GC	Traveling
Field Mice	Throughout season	Throughout GC mostly under shrubbery	Burrowing
Skunks	Throughout year	Throughout GC	Traveling and sometimes scratching in turf for food
Raccoons	Throughout season	Throughout GC	Walking and sometimes digging in turf for food
• Bats	Throughout season	Lights in driving range and near Ponds	Flying
AMPHIBIANS:			
Bull Frogs	Throughout growing season	All ponds	Jumping and swimming
Spring Peepers	Throughout growing season	All ponds	Jumping and swimming

- Toads
 Throughout growing season
- Tadpoles
 Throughout growing season
- All ponds All ponds Throughout GC All ponds

Jumping and swimming Jumping and swimming Hopping Swimming

REPTILES:

 Snapping Turtles 	Throughout growing season ,	In and around ponds, usually seen on land under wet conditions or when nesting and laying eggs	Walking, swimming
 Painted Turtles 	Throughout growing season	In and around ponds	Walking and swimming
Garden snakes	Through out growing season	Around dike on GC boundary	Slithering

FISH: Under Evaluation

BIRDS:

WATERFOWL:

•	Mallard Ducks	Throughout year	Mostly around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
•	Canada Geese	Throughout year	Mostly around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
•	Snow Geese	Spring & Fall migratory	Mostly around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
•	Wood Ducks	Throughout growing season	Around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
•	Buffleheads	Throughout growing season	Around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
•	American Wigeon	Throughout growing season	Around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
•	Red-Breasted	Throughout growing season	Around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
	Mergansers			
•	Blue-Winged Teals	Throughout growing season	Around ponds	Swimming, flying and feeding
BIRDS of PREY:				
•	Cooper's Hawk	Throughout growing season	Throughout GC	Flying and stalking prey
•	Red-Tailed Hawk	Throughout growing season	Throughout GC	Flying and stalking prey
•	Red-Shouldered	Throughout growing season	Throughout GC	Flying and stalking prey
	Hawk			
•	Barred Owls	Throughout growing season	Throughout GC	Flying
SHORELINE BIRDS:				
•	Green Heron	Throughout growing season	Near ponds mostly	Flying and feeding
•	Great Blue Heron	Throughout growing season	Near ponds mostly	Flying and feeding
•	Yellow Crown Night H	lerring Throughout growing season	Near ponds mostly	Flying and feeding

- **Belted Kingfishers** Throughout growing season ٠
- Throughout growing season Egrets
- Rails Throughout growing season
- Throughout growing season American Bittern •

Throughout growing season

Spring and summer

Most of growing season

During winter

Throughout year

SONGBIRDS/CAVITY NESTERS:

Mockingbirds Throughout growing season •

- **Baltimore Orioles**
- American Red Starts Throughout growing season
- Scarlet Tanagers ٠
- Indigo Buntings ٠
- Juncos •
- **Purple Martins**
- **Chipping Sparrow**
- Northern Cardinal .
- American Robin
- Blue Jay ٠
- **Red-Winged** ٠ Blackbirds
- Killdeer •
- Tree Swallows
- **Barn Swallows**
- Morning Doves
- Eastern Bluebirds ٠
- American Crows ٠
- **Ruby-Throated** Hummingbird
- House Wren
- Black-Capped Chickadee

Near ponds mostly Near ponds mostly Near ponds mostly Near ponds mostly

Dike along #16 Green Flying Willow trees Dike along #14 Rough Flying Dike along #16 Flying Outside Compost Yard Look up, large trees Perching and flying Clubhouse area Flying Throughout GC Throughout GC Throughout GC **Throughout GC** Throughout GC, but infrequently In trees throughout GC

Throughout GC Throughout GC Shop area and old pumphouse Throughout GC Houses throughout GC

Throughout GC, but sparse in recent years **Throughout GC**

Throughout GC **Throughout GC** Flying and feeding Flying and feeding Flying and feeding Flying and feeding

Flying and nesting Nesting and foraging for young Flying, feeding and nesting Flying and feeding Flying, feeding and nesting Perching and flying Flying, feeding and nesting

Flying and walking on fairways Flying Flying and nesting Flying Nesting and foraging for service berries Flying

Flying

Nesting and flying Flying

٠	Starlings	Throughout growing season	Throughout GC	Flying
٠	Common Grackle	Throughout growing season	Throughout GC	Flying
•	Red-Headed Woodpeckers	Throughout growing season	High in trees in several locations throughout GC	Perched and hammering on trees
•	Downy Woodpeckers	Throughout growing season	In trees in several GC locations	Perched and hammering on trees
٠	Northern Flickers	Throughout growing season	In trees in several locations	Perched and hammering on trees
•	American Goldfinch Warblers	Throughout growing season Throughout growing season	Throughout GC, particularly near feeders Throughout GC	Flying and feeding Flying