

Owls (Strigiformes)

(click on common name for further information)

Common Name	Scientific Name
Burrowing Owl	<i>Athene cunicularia</i>
Flammulated Owl	<i>Otus flammeolus</i>
Spotted Owl	<i>Strix occidentalis</i>

Burrowing Owl

Athene cunicularia

<p>Washington Distribution by County*</p> 	<p>State Status: Candidate Federal Status: Species of Concern</p>
	<p>PHS Species Criteria</p> <p>#1</p>
	<p>Priority Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Breeding areas- Foraging areas- Regular concentrations

Online information and guidelines for management of **Burrowing Owl**:

[Management Recommendations for Washington's Priority Species Volume IV: Birds](#)

[Single Page PHS Management Recommendations: Burrowing Owl](#)

[WDFW's Living with Wildlife series: Owls](#)

[NatureServe Species Report](#)

* Distribution maps show the counties where a species is known to occur in one of its [priority areas](#), as well as the counties where a species is likely to occur in one of its priority areas due to the presence of suitable habitat. Counties that are part of the recovery area for Threatened and Endangered species are also shown as part of a species distribution. Occurrences of a species in other counties are possible as new information becomes available, and maps will be updated as necessary at the beginning of each calendar year. The date shown in the footer identifies when the last update was made to maps found on this page.

Flammulated Owl

Otus flammeolus

Washington Distribution by County* 	State Status: Candidate Federal Status: None
	PHS Species Criteria #1
	Priority Area <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Breeding sites- Regular occurrences
	Online information and guidelines for management of Flammulated Owl: Management Recommendations for Washington's Priority Species Volume IV: Birds WDFW's Living with Wildlife series: Owls NatureServe Species Report

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Spotted Owl
Strix occidentalis

<p>Washington Distribution by County*</p> 	<p>State Status: Endangered Federal Status: Threatened</p>
	<p>PHS Species Criteria</p> <p>#1</p>
	<p>Priority Area</p> <p>- Any occurrence</p>
	<p>Online information and guidelines for management of Spotted Owl:</p> <p>Spotted Owl Recovery Plan</p> <p>WDFW's Living with Wildlife series: Owls</p> <p>NatureServe Species Report</p>

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