

Federally Listed Threatened and Endangered Species in Alaska

SPECIES UNDER AUTHORITY OF U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Listed Species/DPS	Listing Level	Critical Habitat in Alaska?
Short-tailed albatross	Endangered	No
Aleutian shield fern	Endangered	No
Eskimo curlew	Endangered	No
Steller's eider	Threatened	Yes
Spectacled eider	Threatened	Yes
Northern sea otter (Southwest DPS)	Threatened	Yes
Polar bear	Threatened	Vacated but appealed
Wood bison	Threatened*	No

SPECIES UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE

Listed Species/DPS	Listing Level	Critical Habitat in Alaska?
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WHALES

Humpback Whale	Endangered	No
Fin Whale	Endangered	No
Bowhead Whale	Endangered	No
Sperm Whale	Endangered	No
Blue Whale	Endangered	No
North Pacific Right Whale	Endangered	Yes
Sei Whale	Endangered	No
Cook Inlet Beluga Whale	Endangered	Yes
Western North Pacific Gray Whale	Endangered	No

PINNIPEDS

Steller Sea Lion (Western DPS)	Endangered	Yes
Ringed Seal	Threatened	Proposed

REPTILES

Leatherback Sea Turtle	Endangered	No
Green Sea Turtle	Threatened	No
Loggerhead Sea Turtle	Threatened	No
Olive Ridley Sea Turtle	Threatened	No

FISH

Upper Columbia River Spring Chinook Salmon	Endangered	No
Snake River Sockeye Salmon	Endangered	No
Upper Columbia River Steelhead	Endangered	No
Snake River Fall Chinook Salmon	Threatened	No
Snake River Spring/Fall Chinook Salmon	Threatened	No
Puget Sound Chinook Salmon	Threatened	No
Lower Columbia River Chinook Salmon	Threatened	No
Upper Willamette River Chinook Salmon	Threatened	No
Lower Columbia River Coho Salmon	Threatened	No
Hood Canal Summer Run Chum Salmon	Threatened	No
Snake River Basin Steelhead	Threatened	No
Lower Columbia River Steelhead	Threatened	No
Upper Willamette River Steelhead	Threatened	No
Middle Columbia River Steelhead	Threatened	No
Green Sturgeon (Southern DPS)	Threatened	No

*The Alaska reintroduction of wood bison has special status as a "nonessential experimental population."

Sources: <http://www.fws.gov/alaska/fisheries/endangered/species.htm>;
https://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/sites/default/files/ak_nmfs_species.pdf.

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