

## List of species considered by OHRC - at 1st January 2023

Bewick's Swan	American Golden Plover
Tundra Bean Goose	Little Ringed Plover
Taiga Bean Goose	Temminck's Stint
White-fronted Goose (nominate <i>albifrons</i> only)	Buff-breasted Sandpiper
Egyptian Goose	Black Tern
Mandarin Duck	Roseate Tern
American Wigeon	Sabine's Gull
Green-winged Teal	Mediterranean Gull
Ferruginous Duck	Ring-billed Gull
Ring-necked Duck	Stock Dove
Surf Scoter (♀ / immature only)	Barn Owl
Smew	Kingfisher
Ruddy Duck	Nightjar
White-billed Diver	Wryneck
Great Shearwater †	Golden Oriole
Balearic Shearwater	Red-backed Shrike
Great White Egret	Great Grey Shrike
White Stork	Chough
Glossy Ibis	Firecrest
Spoonbill	Shore Lark
Black-necked Grebe	Pallas's Warbler
Honey Buzzard	Icterine Warbler
Red Kite	Bluethroat
Goshawk	Richard's Pipit
Rough-legged Buzzard	Olive-backed Pipit
Hobby	Water Pipit *
Crane	Common Rosefinch
Avocet	Yellowhammer

† Scottish rarity but assessed locally in OH

\* Not occurred in Outer Hebrides

**Note 1:** A description is also required for all species occurring for the first time in the Outer Hebrides - this applies to species that are not on the OHRC, SBRC or BBRC lists (an example being Magpie that was recorded for the first time in May 2015).

The county bird recorder reserves the right to contact observers to verify any submitted records

\* Species that has not yet been recorded in the Outer Hebrides

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