

## El Dorado Audubon Report for Los Cerritos Wetlands Authority

**September 22, 2025**

Los Cerritos Wetlands provides wonderful wildlife habitat for birds and other animals. The weather has been mild and the birds do not disappoint — their beauty and grace provide a respite for people of all ages. Driving past Synergy property on Saturday, September 13 there are 6 or 7 Snowy Egrets on the back of the property -- spectacular!

Los Cerritos Wetlands Hellman property, Orange, California, US

June 14, 2025 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

Checklist Comments: White-crowned Sparrow -- 2

Mockingbird chased Red-tailed Hawk

27 species (+5 other taxa)

Canada Goose 2

Mallard 2

Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon) 5

Mourning Dove 5

Anna's Hummingbird 1

Allen's Hummingbird 2

gull sp. 2

Forster's Tern 3

Double-crested Cormorant 3

Great Blue Heron 1

Red-tailed Hawk 1

Black Phoebe 2

Say's Phoebe 1

American Crow 7

Northern Rough-winged Swallow 2

Barn Swallow 3

swallow sp. 15

Bushtit 2

Northern House Wren 4

Northern Mockingbird 1

Scaly-breasted Munia 2

House Finch 50

Lesser Goldfinch 25

Savannah Sparrow (Belding's) 7

Song Sparrow 1

California Towhee 1

new world sparrow sp. 19

Hooded Oriole 5

Common Yellowthroat 3

Yellow Warbler 3

new world warbler sp. 5

passerine sp. 100

Los Cerritos Wetlands Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US

Jun 28, 2025 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Protocol: Traveling

0.5 mile(s)

Checklist Comments: Observed so many birds on the State Lands Parcel on way to Zedler Marsh that we did not go further,

California Gull on top of pole by San Gabriel River. Hooded Orioles have been nesting in palm trees on State Lands Parcel for years.

17 species (+1 other taxa)

Mourning Dove 5	Western Kingbird 1
Allen's Hummingbird 2	American Crow 2
California Gull 1	Bushtit 5
Black-crowned Night Heron 1	European Starling 3
Snowy Egret 2	House Finch 125
Great Blue Heron 2	American Goldfinch 2
hawk sp. 1	Hooded Oriole 3
Say's Phoebe 2	Common Yellowthroat 3
Cassin's Kingbird 2	Yellow Warbler 1

Los Cerritos Wetlands Hellman property, Orange, California, US

Jul 12, 2025 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

14 species (+4 other taxa)

Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon) 5	House Finch 75
Mourning Dove 9	American Goldfinch 1
Allen's Hummingbird 3	Acanthis/Spinus sp. 22
Greater Yellowlegs 1	Savannah Sparrow (Belding's) 1
peep sp. 5	Song Sparrow 3
shorebird sp. 2	Hooded Oriole 3
gull sp. 5	Common Yellowthroat 3
American Crow 1	Black-headed Grosbeak 1 Female,
Bushtit 15	eating seeds, history of being on the Los
Northern House Wren 5	Cerritos Wetlands

July 26

Los Cerritos Wetlands Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US

17 species (+2 other taxa)

duck sp. 5	Mourning Dove 11
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon) 2	Ring-billed Gull 1

Double-crested Cormorant 4  
Snowy Egret 3  
Great Egret 2  
Great Blue Heron 2  
American Kestrel 1  
Black Phoebe 1

American Crow 30  
Barn Swallow 3  
swallow sp. 25  
Northern Mockingbird 2  
House Finch

Los Cerritos Wetlands Hellman property, Orange, California, US  
Aug 9, 2025

17 species (+7 other taxa)  
Mallard 15  
Mourning Dove 17  
Allen's Hummingbird 3  
hummingbird sp. 2  
Killdeer 4  
Greater Yellowlegs 3  
peep sp. 7  
shorebird sp. 15  
Western Gull 2  
gull sp. 31  
Forster's Tern 2  
Snowy Egret 3

Great Egret 2  
Red-shouldered Hawk 1  
Buteo sp. 1  
American Kestrel 1  
Bushtit 5  
Northern House Wren 5  
House Finch 35  
Song Sparrow 3  
California Towhee 2  
Common Yellowthroat 3  
new world warbler sp. 6  
passerine sp. 85

Savannah Sparrow (Savannah) 1    Belding's Savannah Sparrow

Los Cerritos Wetlands Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US  
Aug 23, 2025 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Checklist Comments: Cloudy day with light rain at 10 am  
Great Blue Heron, one fly over and one on a pole on Hellman wetlands  
14 species (+6 other taxa)

Mallard 2  
duck sp. 4  
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon) 1  
Eurasian Collared-Dove 2  
Mourning Dove 27

hummingbird sp. 1  
shorebird sp. 4  
Western Gull 1  
gull sp. 7  
Double-crested Cormorant 7

Snowy Egret 1  
Great Blue Heron 2  
Red-shouldered Hawk 1  
American Kestrel 2  
Barn Swallow 1

swallow sp. 17  
Northern Mockingbird 1  
House Finch 48  
California Towhee 3  
passerine sp. 5



*Figure 1. American kestrel, Western Gull, Red shouldered hawk, mallards*