

Wildlife Challenge Species List 2016 Missouri WHEP

For the 2016 Missouri WHEP contest will focus on the Eastern Deciduous Forest region for the WMPs and Written Plan. The Wildlife Challenge stations may come from the Eastern Deciduous Forest species OR from the Wetlands species. No more than 4 Wetlands species and none from Urban.

Eastern Deciduous Forest

Birds

American woodcock
brown thrasher
eastern meadowlark
golden-winged warbler
great horned owl
mourning dove
northern bobwhite
ovenbird
wild turkey
wood duck

Mammals

bobcat
eastern cottontail
eastern grey squirrel
gray fox
Indiana bat
white-tailed deer

Reptiles

eastern box turtle
timber rattlesnake

Fish

bluegill
largemouth bass

Urban

Birds

bluebird*
common nighthawk
European starling
house finch
house wren
northern flicker
peregrine falcon
rock pigeon
ruby-throated hummingbird
song sparrow

Mammals

big brown bat
cottontail*
coyote
eastern gray squirrel
raccoon
white-tailed deer

Wetlands

Birds

American bittern
Canada goose
mallard
northern pintail
redhead
spotted sandpiper
Virginia rail
Wilson's snipe

Mammals

American beaver
common muskrat
mink
raccoon
river otter

Reptiles

eastern snapping turtle

Amphibians

American bullfrog
crawfish frog
tiger salamander

Fish

bluegill
largemouth bass

*any of the various species: eastern, western, mountain