

LAND MAMMALS OF THE SAN JUAN ISLANDS

CHECKLIST



Red Fox

✓	SPECIES	NATIVE	INTRODUCED
	VAGRANT SHREW		
	LITTLE BROWN BAT*		
	BIG BROWN BAT*		
	EUROPEAN RABBIT		
	TOWNSEND'S CHIPMUNK**		
	EASTERN GRAY SQUIRREL		
	EASTERN FOX SQUIRREL		
	DOUGLAS' SQUIRREL ***		
	NO. FLYING SQUIRREL ***		
	BEAVER		
	WH-FOOTED (DEER) MOUSE		
	TOWNSEND'S VOLE		
	MUSKRAT		
	NORWAY RAT		
	BLACK RAT		
	HOUSE MOUSE		
	RED FOX****		
	RACCOON		
	MINK		
	RIVER OTTER		
	COL. BLACK-TAILED DEER		

* Little Brown Bat, Big Brown Bat, Yuma Myotis and California Myotis are most common; other confirmed and expected species include Long-legged Myotis, Silver-haired Bat, Lump-nosed Bat, Western Big-eared Bat, Western Red Bat, Hoary Bat, and Townsend's Big-eared Bat.

** Townsend's Chipmunk introduced to Lopez.

*** Northern Flying Squirrel confirmed present on San Juan Island in 1995. Some sources suggest that this species, and the Douglas Squirrel were introduced to the islands.

**** Red Fox introduced to San Juan Island.

***** Ferrets were introduced to San Juan Island by hunters many years ago to aid in tracking rabbits. A small feral population was established. No reliable sightings of ferrets have been made recently.

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