Desert Ecology Animal List 2015

Noteworthy Arthropods
Vinegaroon
Sulpugid
Millipede
Black Widow
Tarantula
Tarantula hawk
Scorpion (several sp.)
Long-horned Beetle
Red Velvet Mite
Cow Killer
Bee that stung Lauren Garrett
Creosote gall midge
Many other galls (on willows, etc.)
Five-spotted Hawkmoth
Robber Fly

Amphibians
Spotted Chirping Frog
Red-spotted Toad
New Mexico Spadefoot
Texas Toad
Canyon Treefrog

Reptiles
Desert Patchnose Snake
Mountain Patchnose Snake
Rusty-rumped Whiptail
Canyon Lizard
SW Earless Lizard
Marbled Whiptail
Texas Banded Gecko
Black-tailed Rattlesnake
Long-nosed Snake
Striped Whipsnake
Glossy Snake
Tree Lizard
Black-necked Gartersnake
SW Fence Lizard
Mountain Short-horned Lizard
Zebra-tailed Lizard
Tiger Whiptail
Regal Horned Lizard
Madrean Alligator Lizard
Western Banded Gecko
Yucca Night Lizard
Desert Spiny Lizard
Western Fence Lizard
Side-blotched Lizard
Sidewinder
Desert Horned Lizard
Mojave Rattlesnake
Great Basin Collared Lizard
Long-nosed Leopard Lizard
Mojave Fringe-toed Lizard
Long-tailed Brush Lizard
Gophersnake
Sagebrush Lizard
Plateau Lizard
Midget Faded Rattlesnake
Wandering Gartersnake

Birds
Scott’s Oriole
Canyon Towhee
Curve-billed Thrasher
House Finch
Turkey Vulture
Black-tailed Gnatcatcher
Black-throated Sparrow
Pyrrhuloxia
Mexican Jay
Scaled Quail
Rufous-crowned Sparrow
Black-chinned Sparrow
Blue Grosbeak
Varied Bunting
Black-crested Titmouse
Black-headed Grosbeak
Ladder-backed Woodpecker
Bronzed Cowbird
Brewer’s Blackbird
Great-tailed Grackle
Cassin’s Kingbird
Bewick’s Wren
Mockingbird
Canyon Wren
Rock Wren
Cactus Wren
Bell’s Vireo
Verdin
Common Raven
Chihuahuan Raven (?)
Painted Bunting
Yellow-breasted Chat
Common Yellowthroat
Say's Phoebe
Black Phoebe
Ash-throated Flycatcher
Yellow-billed Cuckoo
Elf Owl
Poorwill
Lesser Nighthawk
Common Nighthawk
Cordilleran Flycatcher
Greater Pewee
Yellow-eyed Junco
Hermit Thrush
Veery
Indigo Bunting
Solitary Vireo
Olive Warbler
Pygmy Nuthatch
White-breasted Nuthatch
Blue-grey Gnatcatcher
Grace's Warbler
Red-faced Warbler
Hairy Woodpecker
Acorn Woodpecker
House Wren
Spotted Towhee
Steller's Jay
Western Bluebird
Northern Flicker
Broad-tailed Hummingbird
Black-chinned Hummingbird
Bushtit
Mountain Chickadee
Violet-green Swallow
Tree Swallow
Barn Swallow
Zone-tailed Hawk
White-throated Swift
Gila Woodpecker
Mourning Dove
White-winged Dove
Eurasian Collared Dove
House Sparrow
Starling
Gambel's Quail
Plain Titmouse
Scrub Jay

Pinyon Jay
Red-tailed Hawk
Swainson's Hawk
Cooper's Hawk
Golden Eagle
Great Horned Owl
Sage Thrasher
Brewer's Sparrow
Lark Sparrow
Yellow Warbler
Chipping Sparrow
American Goldfinch
Lesser Goldfinch
Red-naped Sapsucker
Downy Woodpecker
Western Tanager
Wild Turkey
American Robin
Black-billed Magpie
Loggerhead Shrike
Red-winged Blackbird

Mammals
Elk
White-tailed Deer
Mule Deer
Pronghorn
Javelina
Grey Fox
Striped Skunk
Coyote
Badger
Bats (multiple sp.)
Desert Cottontail
Black-tailed Jackrabbit
Pocket Mouse (pocket tot)
Kangaroo Rat (several sp.)
Rock Squirrel
Texas Antelope Squirrel
Yuma (Harris') Antelope Squirrel
White-tailed Antelope Squirrel
Round-tailed Ground Squirrel
Arizona Grey Squirrel
Cliff Chipmunk
Colorado Chipmunk
Red Squirrel
Gunnison's Prairie Dog