

## Supplemental Tables

**Sup. Table 1.** Checklist of birds recorded at urban ponds of Vadodara, Gujarat, India. [Abbreviations: IUCN = International Union for Conservation of Nature; LC = Least Concern; NT = Near Threatened; VU = Vulnerable; LA = local abundance; A = abundant; C = common; F = frequent; U = uncommon; O = occasional; MS = migratory status; R = resident; WV = winter visitor; FH = Feeding Habits; O = Omnivore; LC = Largely Carnivore; H = Herbivore; I = Insectivore; C = Carnivore; LG = Largely Granivore; LP = Largely Piscivore; LP = Largely Piscivore; LH = Largely Herbivore; P = Piscivore; S = Scavenger; G = Granivore; N = Nectivore]

| Order                                      | Family                                         | Species                                       | Common Name             | IUCN | LA | MS | Food Habit | CP/NCP | TB/WB |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------|----|----|------------|--------|-------|
| <b>Order Anseriformes Wagler, 1831</b>     |                                                |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            | <b>Family Anatidae Leach, 1820</b>             |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i> J.R. Forster, 1781 | Indian Spot-billed Duck | LC   | C  | R  | O          | NCP    | WB    |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Dendrocygna javanica</i> (Horsfield, 1821) | Lesser Whistling-Duck   | LC   | F  | R  | O          | NCP    | WB    |
| <b>Order Apodiformes Peters, 1940</b>      |                                                |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            | <b>Family Apodidae Hartert, 1897</b>           |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Apus affinis</i> (J.E. Gray, 1830)         | Little Swift            | LC   | F  | R  | O          | CP/NCP | TB    |
| <b>Order Charadriiformes Huxley, 1867</b>  |                                                |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            | <b>Family Recurvirostridae Bonaparte, 1854</b> |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Himantopus himantopus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Black-winged Stilt      | LC   | A  | R  | O          | CP/NCP | WB    |
|                                            | <b>Family Charadriidae Leach, 1820</b>         |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Vanellus indicus</i> (Boddaert, 1783)      | Red-wattled Lapwing     | LC   | A  | R  | O, LC      | CP/NCP | WB    |
|                                            | <b>Family Scolopacidae Rafinesque, 1815</b>    |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)    | Common Sandpiper        | LC   | C  | WV | O          | NCP    | WB    |
|                                            | <b>Family Jacanidae Stejneger, 1885</b>        |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Metopidius indicus</i> (Latham, 1790)      | Bronze-winged Jacana    | LC   | F  | R  | H, I       | CP/NCP | WB    |
|                                            | <b>Family Laridae Rafinesque, 1815</b>         |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Sterna aurantia</i> J.E. Gray, 1831        | River Tern              | VU   | C  | R  | C          | CP/NCP | WB    |
| <b>Order Ciconiiformes Bonaparte, 1854</b> |                                                |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            | <b>Family Ardeidae Leach, 1820</b>             |                                               |                         |      |    |    |            |        |       |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Ardea coromanda</i> (Boddaert, 1783)       | Eastern Cattle-Egret    | LC   | A  | R  | C          | NCP    | TB    |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Ardea alba</i> Linnaeus, 1758              | Great Egret             | LC   | U  | R  | C          | CP/NCP | TB    |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Ardea intermedia</i> Wagler, 1829          | Medium Egret            | LC   | U  | R  | C          | CP/NCP | TB    |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Egretta garzetta</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)      | Little egret            | LC   | U  | R  | C          | CP/NCP | TB    |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Ardea purpurea</i> Linnaeus, 1766          | Purple heron            | LC   | F  | R  | C          | NCP    | WB    |
|                                            |                                                | <i>Ardeola grayii</i> (Sykes, 1832)           | Indian Pond-heron       | LC   | C  | R  | C          | CP/NCP | WB    |

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|                                           |                                             | <i>Ardea cinerea</i> Linnaeus, 1758              | Grey heron                | LC | C | R | C     | NCP    | WB |
|                                           | <b>Family Ciconiidae J. E. Gray, 1840</b>   |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Mycteria leucocephala</i> (Pennant, 1769)     | Painted stork             | NT | U | R | C     | NCP    | WB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Anastomus oscitans</i> (Boddaert, 1783)       | Asian Openbill stork      | LC | C | R | C     | NCP    | WB |
| <b>Order Columbiformes Latham, 1790</b>   |                                             |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           | <b>Family Columbidae Leach, 1820</b>        |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Columba livia</i> J.F. Gmelin, 1789           | Rock Pigeon               | LC | A | R | H, LG | CP/NCP | TB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)  | Laughing Dove             | LC | U | R | O     | NCP    | TB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Spilopelia chinensis</i> (Scopoli, 1786)      | Spotted Dove              | LC | U | R | O     | NCP    | TB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Streptopelia decaocto</i> (Frivaldszky, 1838) | Eurasian Collared-Dove    | LC | F | R | O     | NCP    | TB |
| <b>Order Coraciiformes Forbes, 1884</b>   |                                             |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           | <b>Family Alcedinidae Rafinesque, 1815</b>  |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Alcedo atthis</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)            | Common Kingfisher         | LC | C | R | C, LP | NCP    | WB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Ceryle rudis</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)             | Pied Kingfisher           | LC | C | R | C, LP | CP/NCP | WB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)       | White-throated kingfisher | LC | F | R | C, LP | NCP    | WB |
|                                           | <b>Family Meropidae Rafinesque, 1815</b>    |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Merops orientalis</i> Latham, 1801            | Asian Green Bee-eater     | LC | A | R | I     | CP/NCP | TB |
| <b>Order Cuculiformes Wagler, 1830</b>    |                                             |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           | <b>Family Cuculidae Leach, 1820</b>         |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Centropus sinensis</i> (Stephens, 1815)       | Greater Coucal            | LC | F | R | O     | NCP    | TB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Eudynamys scolopaceus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)    | Asian Koel                | LC | F | R | O, LH | CP/NCP | TB |
| <b>Order Falconiformes Sharpe, 1874</b>   |                                             |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           | <b>Family Accipitridae Vieillot, 1816</b>   |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Milvus migrans</i> (Boddaert, 1783)           | Black Kite                | LC | C | R | C, S  | NCP    | TB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Haliastur indus</i> (Boddaert, 1783)          | Brahminy Kite             | LC | U | R | C, S  | NCP    | TB |
| <b>Order Gruiformes Bonaparte, 1854</b>   |                                             |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           | <b>Family Rallidae Rafinesque, 1815</b>     |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Fulica atra</i> Linnaeus, 1758                | Eurasian Coot             | LC | F | R | O     | NCP    | WB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Gallinula chloropus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)      | Eurasian Moorhen          | LC | C | R | O     | NCP    | WB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Porphyrio poliocephalus</i> (Latham, 1801)    | Gray-headed Swampphen     | LC | C | R | O     | CP/NCP | WB |
|                                           |                                             | <i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i> (Pennant, 1769)    | White-breasted Waterhen   | LC | F | R | O     | NCP    | WB |
| <b>Order Passeriformes Linnaeus, 1758</b> |                                             |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |
|                                           | <b>Family Hirundinidae Rafinesque, 1815</b> |                                                  |                           |    |   |   |       |        |    |

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|  |                                                   | <i>Hirundo rustica</i> Linnaeus, 1758              | Barn Swallow                      | LC | U | WV | I    | NCP    | TB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Hirundo smithii</i> Leach, 1818                 | Wire-tailed Swallow               | LC | C | R  | I    | NCP    | TB |
|  | <b>Family Dicuridae Vieillot, 1816</b>            |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Dicurus macrocercus</i> Vieillot, 1817          | Black Drongo                      | LC | A | R  | O    | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Family Sturnidae Rafinesque, 1815</b>          |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)       | Common Myna                       | LC | C | R  | O    | CP/NCP | TB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Pastor roseus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)              | Rosy Starling                     | LC | U | WV | O    | NCP    | TB |
|  | <b>Family Pycnonotidae Gray, GR, 1840</b>         |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Pycnonotus cafer</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)           | Red-vented Bulbul                 | LC | C | R  | O    | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Family Leiothrichidae Swainson, 1832</b>       |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Argya striata</i> (Dumont, 1823)                | Jungle Babbler                    | LC | A | R  | I, G | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Family Muscicapidae Fleming J., 1822</b>       |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Ficedula parva</i> (Bechstein, 1792)            | Red-breasted Flycatcher           | LC | R | WV | I    | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Family Motacillidae Horsfield, 1821</b>        |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Motacilla cinerea</i> Tunstall, 1771            | Gray Wagtail                      | LC | O | WV | O    | NCP    | WB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Motacilla maderaspatensis</i> J.F. Gmelin, 1789 | White-browed Wagtail              | LC | O | R  | O    | NCP    | WB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Motacilla alba</i> Linnaeus, 1758               | White Wagtail                     | LC | U | WV | O    | NCP    | WB |
|  | <b>Family Nectariniidae Vigors, 1825</b>          |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i> (Latham, 1790)           | Purple Sunbird                    | LC | F | R  | I, N | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Family Corvidae Leach, 1820</b>                |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Corvus macrorhynchos culminatus</i> Sykes, 1832 | Large-billed Crow (Indian Jungle) | LC | C | R  | O    | NCP    | TB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Corvus splendens</i> Vieillot, 1817             | House crow                        | LC | C | R  | O    | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Order Pelecaniformes Sharpe, 1891</b>          |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  | <b>Family Phalacrocoracidae Reichenbach, 1850</b> |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Microcarbo niger</i> (Vieillot, 1817)           | Little Cormorant                  | LC | F | R  | C    | CP/NCP | WB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)        | Greater Cormorant                 | LC | C | WV | C    | NCP    | WB |
|  | <b>Family Threskiornithidae Richmond, 1917</b>    |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  |                                                   | <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)       | Glossy Ibis                       | LC | U | WV | O    | NCP    | TB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i> (Latham, 1790)  | Black-headed Ibis                 | NT | U | R  | O    | NCP    | TB |
|  |                                                   | <i>Pseudibis papillosa</i> (Temminck, 1824)        | Red-naped Ibis                    | LC | C | R  | O    | CP/NCP | TB |
|  | <b>Order Podicipediformes Fürbringer, 1888</b>    |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |
|  | <b>Family Podicipedidae Bonaparte, 1831</b>       |                                                    |                                   |    |   |    |      |        |    |

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|                                          |                                          | <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i> (Pallas, 1764) | Little Grebe         | LC | U | R  | O, I | NCP | WB |
| <b>Order Psittaciformes Wagler, 1830</b> |                                          |                                              |                      |    |   |    |      |     |    |
|                                          | <b>Family Psittaculidae Vigors, 1825</b> |                                              |                      |    |   |    |      |     |    |
|                                          |                                          | <i>Psittacula eupatria</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)  | Alexandrine Parakeet | LC | U | R  | H    | NCP | TB |
|                                          |                                          | <i>Psittacula krameri</i> (Scopoli, 1769)    | Rose-ringed Parakeet | LC | A | R  | H    | NCP | TB |
| <b>Order Suliformes Sharpe, 1891</b>     |                                          |                                              |                      |    |   |    |      |     |    |
|                                          | <b>Family Anhingidae Brisson, 1760</b>   |                                              |                      |    |   |    |      |     |    |
|                                          |                                          | <i>Anhinga melanogaster</i> Pennant, 1769    | Oriental Darter      | NT | U | WV | P    | CP  | WB |