2024-25 Wetlands/Aquatic Reptile/Turtle List

Pit Vipers – Crotalidae

 Northern Cottonmouth – Agkistrodon picivorus

 Western Massasauga – Sistrurus tergeminus

Harmless Live-bearing Snakes - Natricidae

 Plain-bellied Watersnake – Nerodia erythrogaster

 Diamond-backed Watersnake – Nerodia rhombifer

 Common Watersnake – Nerodai sipedon

 Graham’s Crayfish Snake – Regina grahamii

 Checkered Gartersnake – Thamnophis marcianus

Western Ribbonsnake – Thamnophis Proximus

 Plains Gartersnake – Thamnophis radix

 Common Gartersnake – Thamnophis sirtalis

Snapping Turtles – Chelydridae

 Snapping Turtle – Chelydra serpentina

 Alligator Snapping Turtle – Macrochelys temminckii

Basking Turtles – Emydidae

 Painted Turtle – Chrysemys picta

 Northern Map Turtle – Graptemys geographica

Ouachita Map Turtle – Graptemys ouachitensis

Falso Map Turtle – Graptemys pseudogeographica

River Cooter – Pseudemys concinna

Pond Slider – Trachemys scripta

Mud and Musk Turtles – Kinosternidae

 Yellow Mud Turtle – Kinosternon flavescens

 Eastern Musk Turtle – Sternotherus odoratus

Sortshells – Trionychidae

 Smooth Softshell – Apalone mutica

 Spiny Softshell – Apalone spinifera