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Terrestrial Vertebrates

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SAG Composition



Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
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Western Illinois
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Overview of SAG

- Potentially invasive or otherwise harmful terrestrial vertebrates.



Changes to Currently Regulated Species

Monk parakeet (*Myiopsitta monachus*)

- Current Regulatory Status:
Prohibited
- Proposed Regulatory Status:
Unregulated
- Justification:
 - Likely to become established
 - Limited impacts to environment and humans
 - Common species in trade



Newly Proposed for Regulation

European goldfinch (*Carduelis carduelis*)

- Proposed Regulatory Status: Prohibited
- Justification:
 - Limited presence statewide



Newly Proposed for Regulation

Great tit (*Parus major*)

- Proposed Regulatory Status: Prohibited
- Justification:
 - Limited presence statewide
 - Potentially aggressive species



We want to hear from you!

- You can leave questions or feedback online via the survey on the council webpage, by emailing DNRIInvasiveSpecies@wisconsin.gov (include NR40 in subject line), or by calling Mackenzie Manicki (WDNR) at 608-206-4561.
- Questions and feedback will be addressed in a document and posted on the council webpage. You will receive an email notification when this document is posted.
- Thank you for your participation!