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MAMMALS OF AIKEN COUNTY (2 pages)

Order	Family	Common Name	Scientific Name	
Didelphimorphia	Didelphidae	Opossum	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	
Cingulata	Dasypodidae	Nine-banded armadillo	<i>Dasypus novemcinctus</i>	
Insectivora	Soricidae	Carolina short-tailed shrew	<i>Blarina carolinensis</i>	
		Southeastern shrew	<i>Sorex longirostris</i>	
		Least shrew	<i>Cryptotis parva</i>	
	Talpidae	Star-nosed mole Eastern mole	<i>Condylura cristata</i> <i>Scalopus aquaticus</i>	
Lagomorpha	Leporidae	Marsh rabbit	<i>Sylvilagus palustris</i>	
		Eastern cottontail	<i>Sylvilagus floridanus</i>	
Rodentia	Sciuridae	Gray squirrel	<i>Sciurus carolinensis</i>	
		Fox squirrel	<i>Sciurus niger</i>	
		Southern flying squirrel	<i>Glaucomys volans</i>	
	Castoridae	Beaver	<i>Castor canadensis</i>	
	Cricetidae		White-footed mouse	<i>Peromyscus leucopus</i>
			Rice rat	<i>Oryzomys palustris</i>
			Hispid cotton rat	<i>Sigmodon hispidus</i>
			Eastern harvest mouse	<i>Reithrodontomys humulis</i>
			Old-field mouse	<i>Peromyscus polionotus</i>
			Cotton mouse	<i>Peromyscus gossypinus</i>
Golden mouse			<i>Ochrotomys nuttalli</i>	
	Eastern woodrat	<i>Neotoma floridana</i>		
	Pine vole	<i>Microtus pinetorum</i>		
	Muskrat (Non-native)	<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>		

	Muridae	Black rat (Non-native) Norway rat (Non-native) House mouse (Non-native)	<i>Rattus rattus</i> <i>Rattus norvegicus</i> <i>Mus musculus</i>
Carnivora	Canidae	Red fox Raccoon River otter Coyote Gray fox	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i> <i>Procyon lotor</i> <i>Lutra canadensis</i> <i>Canis latrans</i> <i>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</i>
	Ursidae	Black bear	<i>Ursus americanus</i>
	Felidae	Bobcat	<i>Lynx rufus</i>
	Mustelidae	Long-tailed weasel Mink Striped skunk Spotted skunk	<i>Mustela frenata</i> <i>Mustela vison</i> <i>Mephitis mephitis</i> <i>Spilogale putorius</i>
Artiodactyla	Cervidae	White-tailed deer	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>
	Suidae (Non-native)	European wild boar	<i>Sus scrofa</i>