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4 Kootenai National Wildlife Refuge

287 West Side Rd., Bonners Ferry • (208) 267-3888 fws.gov/refuge/kootenai

eBird ebird.org/hotspot/L109181

LAT/LONG: 48.7066779,-116.4151642

DIRECTIONS: On US 95, N of Bonners Ferry, turn L (W) on Riverside Ave—this rd is just S of the bridge crossing the Kootenai River; go ~7 mi to where Riverside Ave turns into West Side Rd; Turn R (N) on West Side Rd for 1.5 mi to Kootenai NWR HQ.

The Refuge provides important habitat and a resting area for waterfowl and other migratory birds.

Approximately 220 species of birds can be seen on the refuge. Waterfowl migration in the spring and fall can peak to 40,000 birds. Tundra Swan, Wood Duck, Green-winged and Cinnamon Teal, Common Goldeneye, Northern Pintail, Northern Shoveler, Gadwall, Ringnecked Duck, and American Wigeon are commonly found during this time. Black Tern, Red-necked Grebe, and Bald Eagle nest within the NWR. Deep Creek Trail is excellent for breeding landbirds, such as Least Flycatcher, Red-eyed Vireo, American Redstart, Bullock's Oriole, and a Bank Swallow colony.

