

Mammals present in the Barataria Preserve of Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve. This list was generated from data collected through NPS observations and a 2003-2005 mammal inventory conducted by Dr. Craig S. Hood, Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Habitat Association
Virginia opossum	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	swamp, hardwood forest, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Nine-banded armadillo	<i>Dasyus novemcinctus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Swamp rabbit	<i>Sylvilagus aquaticus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Eastern gray squirrel	<i>Sciurus carolinensis</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks
Southern flying squirrel*	<i>Glaucomys volans</i>	swamp, hardwood forests
Marsh rice rat	<i>Oryzomys palustris</i>	marsh, swamp
White-footed mouse	<i>Peromyscus leucopus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests
Hispid cotton rat	<i>Sigmodon hispidus</i>	marsh
Muskrat	<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>	marsh
Eastern woodrat*	<i>Neotoma floridana</i>	swamp, hardwood forests
Black rat	<i>Rattus rattus</i>	buildings, facilities, and nearby forested areas
House mouse	<i>Mus musculus</i>	buildings, facilities, and nearby forested areas
Nutria	<i>Myocastor coypus</i>	swamp, marsh
Coyote	<i>Canis latrans</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Red fox*	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Gray fox*	<i>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Raccoon	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Mink	<i>Mustela vison</i>	swamp, marsh
Beaver*	<i>Castor Canadensis</i>	swamp, hardwood forests
River otter	<i>Lutra canadensis</i>	swamp, marsh, along waterways, hardwood forests
Bobcat	<i>Felis rufus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks
White-tailed deer	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks, marsh
Wild pig**	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, natural levees/canal spoilbanks
Southeastern myotis	<i>Myotis austroriparius</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways
Eastern pipistrelle	<i>Pipistrellus subflavus</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways
Eastern red bat	<i>Lasiurus borealis</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways
Yellow bat	<i>Lasiurus intermedius</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways
Evening bat	<i>Nycticeius humeralis</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways
Rafinesque's big-eared bat	<i>Corynorhinus rafinesquii</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways
Brazilian free-tailed bat	<i>Tadarida brasiliensis</i>	swamp, hardwood forests, along waterways

* Species which were not documented in a 2003-2005 mammal inventory conducted by Dr. Craig S. Hood, Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana.

** Non-native species which has been removed from the park.

Mammals present at the Chalmette Battlefield of Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve. The species list was generated from data collected through NPS observations and a 2003-2005 mammal inventory conducted by Dr. Craig S. Hood, Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Habitat Association
Nine-banded armadillo	<i>Dasypus novemcinctus</i>	open fields, forested areas, levee
Swamp rabbit	<i>Sylvilagus aquaticus</i>	open fields, forested areas
Eastern gray squirrel	<i>Sciurus carolinensis</i>	open fields, forested areas
Raccoon	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	open fields, forested areas, levee
Hispid cotton rat	<i>Sigmodon hispidus</i>	open fields
House mouse	<i>Mus musculus</i>	buildings, and nearby forested areas
Nutria	<i>Myocastor coypus</i>	open field, levee
Southeastern myotis	<i>Myotis austroriparius</i>	open fields, forested areas
Eastern pipistrelle	<i>Pipistrellus subflavus</i>	open fields, forested areas, buildings
Evening bat	<i>Nycticeius humeralis</i>	open fields, forested areas, buildings
Brazilian free-tailed bat	<i>Tadarida brasiliensis</i>	open fields