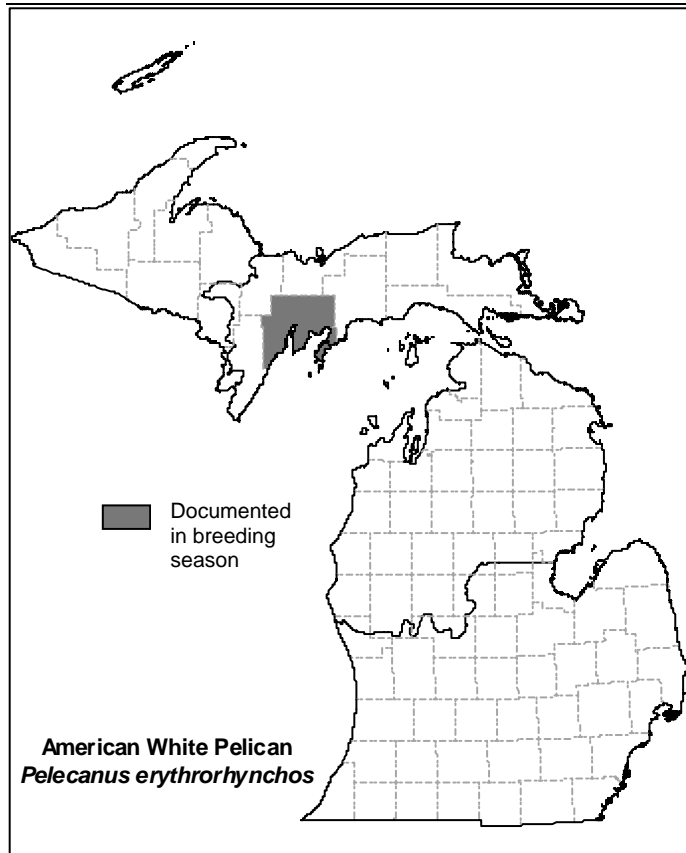


BIRDS



American White Pelican

(*Pelecanus erythrorhynchos*)

DISTRIBUTION & ABUNDANCE: American White Pelicans may be regularly observed in small numbers in the Great Lakes, often as single birds. Breeding has been confirmed on Great Lakes islands along the Upper Peninsula shoreline in Lake Michigan though it is only a recent phenomenon.

ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPE FEATURES: Great Lakes island

ASSOCIATED THREATS: non-consumptive recreation; other biological interactions (susceptible to predation); removal of wildlife