Ohio state bird: the Northern Cardinal

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Northern Cardinal

Cardinalis cardinalis

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FIVE QUICK FACTS

Adopted: 1933, by the Ohio General Assembly

Law today: Ohio Revised Code 5.03 (its current version dated October 1, 1953)

State flower: Scarlet carnation

State animal: White-tailed deer, the state mammal (1988)

In the law: "cardinalis cardinalis, commonly known as the 'cardinal'"

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