Common Gallinule (Gallinula galeata)

WINTER: Accidental. One on 30 January 1954 near Eureka, Gallia Co., OH (HKL) (Edeburn et al. 1960).

SUMMER: Casual Resident since the early 1990's. See Remarks section.

MIGRATION:

Spring: Casual Migrant from early April to early May. Early dates, Hall (1983) cites a record of 30 March in Mason Co., WV; 08 April 1956 (Edeburn et al 1960); one on 10 April 2004 at McClintic WMA (WA, MG, DP).

Fall: Casual Migrant from late August to early September. Late dates, early November in Cabell Co., WV (WA); one from 10 (GR) to 24 (MG) October 2009 at Green Bottom WMA; one on 18 October 1970 at McClintic WMA (HS); 08 October 1951 (Edeburn et al. 1960); seven on 10 September 1994 at Green Bottom WMA (WA). See Remarks section for high counts.

REMARKS:

Nesting: Nest on 04 May 1994 at Green Bottom WMA (WA). Adults with young have been recorded multiple times since the early 1990's.

Fall High Counts: Up to 7 from 02 to 10 September 1994 at Green Bottom WMA (WA).