Eastern Phoebe (Sayornis phoebe)

WINTER: Rare Resident. Often absent in January. See Remarks section for CBC data.

SUMMER: Fairly Common to Common Resident. See Remarks section.

MIGRATION:

Spring: Fairly Common to Common Migrant from late February to mid-March.

Fall: Fairly Common to Common Migrant from early September to early October. Rare from mid-October into December.

REMARKS:

Breeding Bird Survey (Bullard 2003): Cabwaylingo State Forest, Wayne Co., WV (2002): 135 Stops (7 surveys), 64 Mile. Number of Stops Recorded: 30. Total Birds: 37.

Singing Male Census (Koch 1971): McClintic WMA, Mason Co., WV (1967): abandoned bottomland (elevation, 186 m): 8 males/100 ha.

Singing Male Census (Koch 1974): McClintic WMA, Mason Co., WV (1971): abandoned bottomland (elevation, 186 m): 8 males/100 ha.

Breeding Bird Survey (Koch 1974): McClintic WMA, Mason Co., WV (29 May 1971): 50 Stops, 12.25 Mile. Number of Stops Recorded: 2. Total Birds: 2.

Breeding Bird Survey (Koch and Hurley 1972): Beech Fork Lake, Wayne Co., WV (29 May 1969): 50 Stops, 25 Mile. Number of Stops Recorded: 16. Total Birds: 17.

CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT DATA

Huntington, WV (1940 to 2001): Recorded on 52% of Counts. Total Birds: 78. Range: 1 to 8.

Mason County, WV (1953 to 1976): NO RECORDS.

Ona, WV (1962 to 2001): Recorded on 88% of Counts. Total Birds: 119. Range: 1 to 15.

Huntington, WV (1940 to 2001): Number of Counts: 61. Birds/Party Hr.: <1.0. Party Hr./Bird: 38.7.

Mason County, WV (1953 to 1976): NO RECORDS.

Ona, WV (1962 to 2001): Number of Counts: 40. Birds/Party Hr.: <1.0. Party Hr./Bird: 15.2.