

Count Summary Report

Printout Date: 2/24/2017

Count Name: Elkins Area	Count Code: WVVEL	Count Date: 1/3/2017
Organizations & Sponsors: West Virginia Division of Natural Resources	# of Party Hours: 49.50	Species reported on count date: 46

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
08:00 AM	06:00 PM

Effort

Observers	
In Field	Total Number: 15
	Minimum Number of Parties (daylight): 8
	Maximum Number of Parties (daylight): 8
At Feeders	Total Number: 4

Party Hours and Distance (excludes viewing at feeders and nocturnal birding)			
By	Hours	Distance	Units
Foot	12.50	17.50	Miles
Car	37.00	343.00	Miles
Air			
All-Terrain Vehicle			
Bicycle			
Dog Sled			
Golfcart			
Horseback			
Motorized Boat			
Non-Motorized Boat			
Skis/Xc-Skis			
Snowmachine			
Snowshoe			
Wheelchair			

Other Time and Distance			
	Hours	Distance	Units
At Feeders	24.00		

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Nocturnal Birding	0.00	0.00	
Total Party	49.50	360.50	Miles

Weather

Weather Summary			
Temperature	Minimum: 45.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 50.0 Fahrenheit	
Wind Direction	Unknown		
Wind Velocity	Minimum:	Maximum:	
Snow Depth	Minimum:	Maximum:	
Still Water	Open		
Moving Water	Open		
AM and PM Conditions			
Cloud Cover	AM: Cloudy	PM: Cloudy	
AM Rain	Heavy		
AM Snow			
PM Rain	Light		
PM Snow			

Checklist

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts	Editor Comm.
Greater White-fronted Goose	cw	US,	0/117	1	
Canada Goose	196		1263/102	16	
Gadwall	17		19/115	6	
Mallard	269		269/117	16	
Northern Pintail	cw		4/108	2	
Green-winged Teal	3	HC,	3/117	3	
Ruffed Grouse	3		3/117	6	
Wild Turkey	39		75/102	9	
Pied-billed Grebe	cw		3/107	9	
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	6		6/117	12	
Black Vulture	5		119/109	12	
Turkey Vulture	23		52/115	12	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	1		2/112	8	
Cooper's Hawk	2		4/116	16	
Red-shouldered Hawk	2		6/114	12	
Red-tailed Hawk	1		13/111	16	

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Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	2		302/106	15	
Mourning Dove	157		253/106	16	
Eastern Screech-Owl	1		2/116	3	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	10		29/113	16	
Downy Woodpecker	39		44/107	16	
Hairy Woodpecker	10		13/113	16	
Northern Flicker (Yellow-shafted)	10		12/114	15	
Pileated Woodpecker	4		13/114	16	
American Kestrel	9		17/115	15	
Blue Jay	77		168/106	16	
American Crow	123		2779/110	16	
Common Raven	17		17/117	16	
Black-capped Chickadee	125		196/104	16	
Tufted Titmouse	136		164/113	16	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	3		6/113	9	
White-breasted Nuthatch	71		78/107	16	
Brown Creeper	5		9/109	11	
Pacific/Winter Wren	2	HC,	2/117	4	
Carolina Wren	32		32/117	16	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	10		27/106	14	
Eastern Bluebird	38		62/115	16	
American Robin	10		131/116	14	
Northern Mockingbird	6		9/116	11	
European Starling	399	LC	1424/113	16	
Field Sparrow	4		18/116	9	
Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored)	148		494/108	16	
Song Sparrow	65		69/116	16	
Swamp Sparrow	1		3/114	3	
Northern Cardinal	141		240/109	16	
House Finch	48		96/106	16	
American Goldfinch	58		120/116	16	
House Sparrow	428		708/109	16	
Total Individuals	2756				
Total Species Reported	46				

cw = Reported count week
 US = Flagged as an unusual species
 HC = Flagged as an unusually high count
 LC = Flagged as an unusually low count

Species Requiring Rare Bird Reports to be Submitted to Regional Editor

Species

Greater White-fronted Goose [Anser albifrons]

Special Aspects

Relentless rain almost certainly depressed totals on this count. There were also some very notable absences, WTSP for example.