Count Name:	Pocahontas County	Count Code:	WVPH	Count Date:	12/16/2017
Sponsors:	West Virginia Division of Natural Resources, Pocahontas Nature Club, Pocahontas County CVB	# of Party Hours:	42.00	Species reported on count date:	66

<u>Compiler(s)</u>

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Start & End Times

Start time	End time
08:00 AM	05:00 PM

<u>Effort</u>

		Observers				
In Field		Total Number: 16				
		Minimum Number of Parties (d	aylight): 2			
		Maximum Number of Parties (d	aylight): 7			
At Feeders		Total N	Number: 1			
F	Party Hours and Distance	ce (excludes viewing at feeders and noc	urnal birding)			
Ву	Hours	Distance	Units			
Foot	14.00	11.50	Miles			
Car	28.00	230.00	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				

Other Time and Distance

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Printout Date: 1/21/2018

	Hours	Distance	Units
At Feeders	8.00		
Nocturnal Birding	0.00	0.00	
Total Party	42.00	241.50	Miles

<u>Weather</u>

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Temperature	Minimum: 23.0 Fahrenheit	Maximum: 38.0 Fahrenheit
Wind Direction	West	
Wind Velocity	Minimum: 16.00 Miles/hour	Maximum: 20.00 Miles/hour
Snow Depth	Minimum: 0.00 Inches	Maximum: 0.00 Inches
Still Water	Frozen	
Moving Water	Open	
	AM and PM Conditions	;
Cloud Cover	AM: Clear	PM: Partly Cloudy
AM Rain	None	
AM Snow	None	
PM Rain	None	
PM Snow	None	

<u>Checklist</u>

Species	Number or cw	Flags	Max Number	# Of Counts Editor Comm
Canada Goose	525	HC,	525/118	10
Wood Duck	2		2/118	3
Mallard	365	HC,	365/118	10
Bufflehead	1		7/116	5
Hooded Merganser	cw		14/116	4
Common Merganser	2		5/116	3
Great Blue Heron (Blue form)	1		2/113	7
Black Vulture	4		51/110	9
Turkey Vulture	1		4/109	6
Northern Harrier	4	HC,	4/118	8
Sharp-shinned Hawk	1		3/116	5
Bald Eagle	3		7/114	9
Red-shouldered Hawk	2		6/110	10
Red-tailed Hawk	17	HC,	17/118	10
Killdeer	4		42/116	6

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Wilson's Snipe	1		2/115	5	
Ring-billed Gull	cw		0/118	2	
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	26		54/114	7	
Mourning Dove	78		85/114	10	
Barn Owl	1	US,	1/118	2	eo-gd
Eastern Screech-Owl	1		2/115	5	
Barred Owl	cw		2/108	4	
Belted Kingfisher	4		6/114	8	
Red-bellied Woodpecker	10		30/115	10	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	7		8/109	5	
Downy Woodpecker	27		51/115	10	
Hairy Woodpecker	15	HC,	15/118	10	
Northern Flicker	6		22/115	10	
Pileated Woodpecker	19	HC,	19/118	10	
American Kestrel	4		9/115	10	
Eastern Phoebe	6	HC,	6/118	5	
Blue Jay	83		134/109	10	
American Crow	296	HC,	296/118	10	
Common Raven	47	HC,	47/118	10	
Black-capped Chickadee	71		96/117	10	
Tufted Titmouse	59		76/117	10	
Red-breasted Nuthatch	8		18/108	7	
White-breasted Nuthatch	45		51/115	10	
Brown Creeper	2		2/118	6	
Winter Wren	3		8/115	6	
Carolina Wren	46		47/113	10	
Golden-crowned Kinglet	31	HC,	31/118	10	
Eastern Bluebird	21		75/109	10	
Hermit Thrush	5	HC,	5/118	5	
American Robin	3		13/114	7	
Northern Mockingbird	7		14/114	10	
European Starling	261		408/113	10	
Cedar Waxwing	27		46/115	5	
Yellow-rumped Warbler	5		14/109	4	
Chipping Sparrow	1		2/115	5	
Field Sparrow	14		22/113	9	
Fox Sparrow	cw		3/108	7	
Dark-eyed Junco	326		576/117	10	
White-crowned Sparrow	14		62/115	9	

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White-throated Sparrow	27		48/114	10	
Song Sparrow	62		76/117	10	
Swamp Sparrow	7		9/110	10	
Eastern Towhee	13		40/114	10	
Northern Cardinal	52		55/112	10	
Red-winged Blackbird	150	HC,	150/118	2	
Eastern Meadowlark	2		24/116	7	
Rusty Blackbird	4	HC,	4/118	3	ео
Common Grackle	30	HC,	30/118	3	
House Finch	2		29/113	10	
Purple Finch	12		15/109	10	
Red Crossbill	48		62/109	5	
Pine Siskin	26		53/109	6	
American Goldfinch	121		138/109	10	
House Sparrow	42		77/110	10	
Total Individuals	3110				
Total Species Reported	66				
cw = Reported count wee US = Flagged as an unusu HC = Flagged as an unusu LC = Flagged as an unusu	al species ally high count				

Species Requiring Rare Bird Reports to be Submitted to Regional Editor

Species

Barn Owl [Tyto alba]

Special Aspects

One of our best counts. Unusual was a large mixed flock of EUST, RWBL, COGR, and RUBL. LOSH site was vacant this year, sadly.