

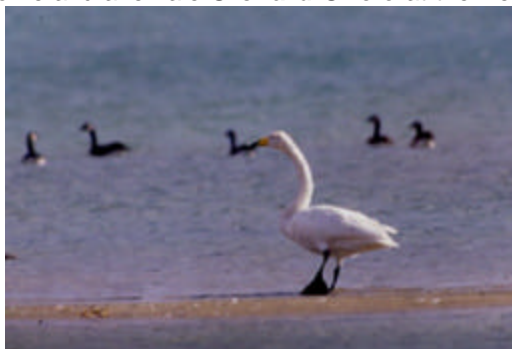
Birds in the Saginaw Bay Area August 1st thru November 30, 2002

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Weather: August pretty much fell into the normal range for temps, both highs, lows, and monthly average. There were only seven days of recorded rainfall for August and the monthly total was 1.28" below normal. September average high temps soared 6.8 degrees above the monthly normal while rainfall produced a paltry .41" compared to a monthly average of 3.95". October temps were average for the first fifteen days but then remained well below average for the remainder of the month for both highs and lows. November remained below normal for both highs and lows with the average low for November at 28.4! Precipitation for both October and November stayed below monthly averages.

Summary: A total of 220 species were observed for the fall period of 2001, which was eighteen less species than the previous year. 'Winter finches' that invaded the whole state last year were totally absent this fall. Shorebird species (27), warbler species (26), and sparrow species (12) were, once again, well represented. Surprisingly, the following birds were missed this fall: Buff-breasted Sandpiper; Forster's Tern; Northern Rough-winged Swallow; Veery, and Yellow-headed Blackbird.

Good birds for the fall season included: **Red-necked Grebe** in Hampton Twp, BA on 10/29; two **American White Pelican** sightings – one on Tawas Bay, IO on 10/03 and one on Wildfowl Bay, HU on 10/10 (Same bird? Hmmm . . .); **Whooper Swan** on Linwood Beach, BA on 10/12 (Possible escape?); **Snowy Egret** at the Karn Plant, BA on 09/06; **Cattle Egret** sightings in Bangor Twp, BA and SNWR, SA; **Black Scoter** sightings in Huron & Iosco Counties; an ever reliable record of a single **Golden Eagle** at SNWR, SA on 11/14; **Piping Plover** at Tawas Pt, IO on 10/13 (thanks to Mike Petrucha's "Big Sit"); **Purple Sandpiper** sighting on two different dates at Harbor Beach, HU; **Lesser Black-backed Gull** for the 13th consecutive fall at BCSRA, BA, and finally, the only passerines of note were a **Carolina Wren** that was present throughout the fall period at the Hubinger's home and a female **Orchard Oriole** at the Peterson's on 08/14.



Whooper Swan photo by Myles Willard

New SBA fall late date: **Piping Plover** at Tawas Point, IO on 10/13 (Only two previous SBA, fall reports. The last has to go back to 1979-82 when Chip Francke had one at Tawas Pt); **Pectoral Sandpiper** at SNWR, SA on 11/22, and **Orchard Oriole** in Bangor Twp, BA on 08/14.

New SBA Peak count: 476 Great Egrets at SNWR, SA on 09/04, and 31 Warbling Vireo at SNWR, SA on 09/06.

Look for this report at <http://www.saginawbaybirding.org> along with a "heads up" on winter records in the Saginaw Bay Area as they are reported to me at soehnelj@hotmail.com or by calling at 517-892-3687. Good birding and, as always, thanks for sending in your seasonal reports!!!

Species	Number	Date	Location	Observers / Comment
COMMON LOON:	1	11/08	Tawas Pte., IO	JZ - Also noted in AR
PIED-BILLED GREBE:	89	08/09	SNWR, SA	BG, CS
	1	11/10	BSCRA, BA	G&EP
HORNED GREBE:	7	11/10	Harbor Beach, HU	TB
	3	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS - Also noted in HU, TU
	2	11/20	Three Mile Pk, IO	JZ – Last date.
RED-NECKED GREBE:	1	10/29	Hampton Twp, BA	SM
EARED GREBE:	None to report.			
AMERICAN WHITE PELICAN	1	10/03	Tawas Bay, IO	GN
	1	10/10	Wildfowl Bay, HU	TB
DOUBLE-CRESTED CORMORANT:	275	10/21	Finn Rd Pk, BA	JS - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI
AMERICAN BITTERN:	1	10/26	Hampton Twp, BA	SM – Also noted in SA
LEAST BITTERN:	1	08/01	SNWR, SA	DP
GREAT BLUE HERON:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, SA			
GREAT EGRET:	476	09/04	SNWR, SA	RM – <i>New SBA peak count!</i>
	1	11/22	SNWR, SA	DP – Also noted in AR, BA, IO
SNOWY EGRET:	1	09/06	Karn Plant, Ba	SM
CATTLE EGRET:	4	08/11	Bangor Twp, BA	GP
	3	08/22	Bangor Twp, BA	JG, BM, JS – Appeared to be 1 ad w/ 2 juv
	1	11/07	SNWR, SA	DP
GREEN HERON:	22	08/07	SNWR, SA	BG – Peak count.
	1	10/06	Bay County	M&JH, M&MW – Also noted in SA
BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT HERON:	6	10/29	SNWR, SA	DP – Last date. Peak of 30 on 8/29 @ SNWR, SA. DP
TURKEY VULTURE:	1	11/11	Pinconning Twp, BA	JS – Last Date Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI, SA
GREATER WHITE-FRONTED GOOSE:	None to report			
SNOW GOOSE:	5	10/06	Huron County	M&JH, M&MW
	27	11/14	SNWR, SA	BG, LA – Observed through end of period.
ROSS' GOOSE	None to report			
CANADA GOOSE:	14997	11/14	SNWR, SA	RM - Also noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI
MUTE SWAN:	54	10/21	Tobico Marsh, BA	JZ - Also noted in AR
TUNDRA SWAN:	807	11/01	SNWR, SA	BG, CS - Also noted in AR, BA, HU

TRUMPETER SWAN:	1	10/30	SNWR, SA	RM
WHOOPEE SWAN:	1	10/12	Linwood Bch, BA	M&JH, M&MW – Great sighting plus photo
WOOD DUCK:	2	11/10	BCSRA, BA	JZ – Last date. - Also noted in SA
GADWALL:	Noted in BA, IO, MI, SA			
AMERICAN WIGEON:	229	10/11	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak count.
	10	11/10	BCSRA, BA	G&EP – Last date. Also noted in IO
AMERICAN BLACK DUCK:	Noted in BA, IO, MI			
MALLARD:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, – Peak count of 6737 @ SNWR, SA 11/14 - RM			
BLUE-WINGED TEAL:	15	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB - Also noted in BA, SA
NORTHERN SHOVELER:	65	11/03	Dow Pond, MI	JZ – Also noted in BA, HU, SA
NORTHERN PINTAIL:	60	10/21	BCSRA, BA	JZ - Also noted in SA
GREEN-WINGED TEAL:	548	11/14	SNWR, SA	RM – Also noted in BA, HU, IO
CANVASBACK:	4	11/01	SNWR, SA	BG, CS - Also noted in HU
REDHEAD:	650	11/20	Three Mile Pk, IO	JZ - Also noted in HU
RING-NECKED DUCK:	Noted in BA, HU, IO, SA			
GREATER SCAUP:	2	10/08	Tawas Point SP, IO	JZ - Also noted in HU, SA
LESSER SCAUP:	1 fem	09/06	Freeland Sew Lag, SA	JS, JZ - Also noted in HU, IO, MI
SURF SCOTER:	3	11/03	Port Austin, HU	M&JH, M&MW
	4	11/10	Harbor Beach, HU	TB
WHITE-WINGED SCOTER:	None to report			
BLACK SCOTER:	1	10/17	Caseville, HU	MW
	1 fem	11/11	AuSable River Mouth, IO	JS – Also noted there on 11/20 by JZ
	2	11/08	Harbor Beach, HU	M&MW
	10	11/10	Harbor Beach, HU	TB – Peak count.
LONG-TAILED DUCK:	3	11/08	Tawas Pte., IO	BB
BUFFLEHEAD:	75	11/11	Saginaw Bay, AR	JS - Also noted in BA, HU, IO, SA
COMMON GOLDENEYE:	410	11/11	Three Mile Pk, IO	JS – Peak Count – Also noted in BA, MI
HOODED MERGANSER:	20	11/10	Harbor Beach, HU	TB - Also noted in BA, IO, MI, SA
COMMON MERGANSER:	1500	11/03	MCV Pond, MI	JZ – Also noted in AR, IO, SA
RED-BREASTED MERGANSER:	100	10/21	Finn Rd Pk, BA	JS - Also noted in AR, HU, IO
RUDDY DUCK:	149	10/20	Pigeon Sew Lag, HU	TB - Also noted in MI, SA

OSPREY:	1	10/04	SNWR, SA	ED
	1	10/06	Hampton Twp, BA	JS
BALD EAGLE:	5	09/27	SNWR, SA	JS - Also noted in BA, HU, IO, MI
NORTHERN HARRIER:	11	11/12	SNWR, SA	BG, CS - Also noted in AR, BA, IO, SA
SHARP-SHINNED HAWK:	1	11/24	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, SA
COOPER'S HAWK:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
NORTHERN GOSHAWK:	1 imm	08/26	SNWR, SA	DP
	1	11/17	Caro Area, TU	MW
RED-SHOULDERED HAWK:	None to report.			
BROAD-WINGED HAWK:	None to report.			
RED-TAILED HAWK:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, SA – Perennial wintering dark/rufous morph individual returned for 15 th year on 10/29 @ SNWR, SA. DP			
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK:	1	10/25	SNWR, SA	ED
	2	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS - Also noted in HU, TU
GOLDEN EAGLE:	1	11/14	SNWR, SA	RM
AMERICAN KESTREL:	Noted in BA, HU, IO, SA, TU			
MERLIN:	1	09/13	Hampton Twp, BA	JS
	1	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	MP
	1	11/10	Harbor Beach, HU	TB
PEREGRINE FALCON:	1	09/30	Saginaw Twp, SA	M&JH – Flew over their house!
	1	10/22	SNWR, SA	DP
RING-NECKED PHEASANT:	Noted in AR, BA, SA, TU			
RUFFED GROUSE:	1	PTP	Mayville, TU	M&MW
	4	11/30	Midland County	BR
WILD TURKEY:	Noted in AR, IO, MI, SA, TU			
NORTHERN BOBWHITE:	None to report.			
VIRGINIA RAIL:	1	08/15	SNWR, SA	BG
SORA:	1	11/30	Hampton Twp, BA	SM - Also noted in SA
COMMON MOORHEN:	13	08/09	SNWR, SA	BG, CS – Peak count.
	1	09/27	SNWR, SA	DP - Also noted in BA
AMERICAN COOT:	727	10/11	SNWR, SA	DP – Also noted in BA, HU
SANDHILL CRANE:	3	09/25	Bayport Area, HU	TB
	12	11/14	SNWR, SA	BG, LA
BLACK-BELLIED PLOVER:	2	08/16	SNWR, SA	DP – First Returns

	6	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS – Last date & peak count. Also noted in BA
AMERICAN GOLDEN-PLOVER:	4	09/12	SNWR, SA	DP
SEMIPALMATED PLOVER:	1	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS – New SBA Late Date! Also noted in BA, SA
PIPING PLOVER:	1	10/13	Tawas Point SP, IO	MP – New SBA late date!
KILLDEER:	85	09/12	SNWR, SA	DP - Peak count.
	2	11/08	Finn Rd Pk, BA	JS - Last date. Also noted in AR, HU, IO
GREATER YELLOWLEGS:	161	10/17	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak count.
	4	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS – Also noted in AR, BA, HU
LESSER YELLOWLEGS:	280	08/16	SNWR, SA	DP
	2	11/01	Karn Plant, BA	JS, SM - Also noted in IO
SOLITARY SANDPIPER:	1	11/08	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak of 5 on 9/5 @ SNWR. DP Also noted in HU, IO
WILLET:	None to report.			
SPOTTED SANDPIPER:	1	09/12	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak of 9 on 8/16 @ SNWR. DP
WHIMBREL:	2	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB
HUDSONIAN GODWIT:	2	08/16	SNWR, SA	DP
MARBLED GODWIT:	1	09/05	SNWR, SA	DP – Remained until 9/12.
RUDDY TURNSTONE:	1	08/16	SNWR, SA	DP
	1	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB
RED KNOT:	None to report.			
SANDERLING:	4	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS - Also noted in HU
SEMIPALMATED SANDPIPER:	95	08/09	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak count.
	1	10/06	Bay County	M&JH, M&MW - Last date
WESTERN SANDPIPER:	None to report.			
LEAST SANDPIPER:	124	08/16	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak count.
	1	11/21	BG, LA	BG, LA - Also noted in BA, IO, MI
WHITE-RUMPED SANDPIPER:	1	10/11	Dow Pond, MI	JZ
BAIRD' S SANDPIPER:	1	09/06	Freeland Sew Lag, SA	JS, JZ
PECTORAL SANDPIPER:	208	10/17	SNWR, SA	DP - Also noted in BA, MI
	1	11/22	SNWR, SA	DP - New SBA late date!
PURPLE SANDPIPER:	1	11/08	Harbor Beach, HU	M&MW – Also noted there on 11/10. TB
DUNLIN:	800	11/10	SNWR, SA	BG, CS – Peak count.
	180	11/14	SNWR, SA	DP – Last date. Also noted in AR, BA, IO, MI
STILT SANDPIPER:	2	09/19	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak of 57 on 8/16 @ SNWR, SA. DP

				Also noted in IO
BUFF-BREASTED SANDPIPER:	None to report.			
SHORT-BILLED DOWITCHER:	1	09/12	SNWR, SA	DP – Last date.
LONG-BILLED DOWITCHER:	23	10/17	SNWR, SA	DP – Peak count – Last 3 on 10/24 @ SNWR, SA . DP (Identified by voice)
COMMON SNIPE:	19	10/30	Hampton Twp, BA	SM - Also noted in SA, TU
AMERICAN WOODCOCK:	1	11/08	Eagle Run, IO	BB - Also noted in BA, TU
WILSON'S PHALAROPE:	1	08/16	SNWR, SA	DP
RED-NECKED PHALAROPE:	None to report.			
FRANKLIN' S GULL:	None to report.			
LITTLE GULL:	None to report.			
BONAPARTE'S GULL:	200	10/25	Karn Plant, BA	JS, SM – Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI, SA
RING-BILLED GULL:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, SA, TU – Peak of 645 @ SNWR, SA on 10/11. BG, CS, LA			
HERRING GULL:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
LESSER BLACK-BACKED GULL:	1	09/15	Iocso County	DM
	1	11/11	BCSRA, BA	JS – Presumably “Lester” who has returned for the 13 th fall in a row! Also noted on 11/24. JZ
GLAUCOUS GULL:	None to report.			
GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL:	1	10/17	Port Austin, HU	MW
	3 ad	11/01	Karn Plant, BA	JS, SM - Also noted in AR, IO, HU
CASPIAN TERN:	1	10/06	Fish Pt, TU	M&JH, M&MW - Also noted in IO, SA
COMMON TERN:	80	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB – Peak count
	5	11/01	Karn Plant, BA	JS, SM – Last date.
FORSTER'S TERN:	Oddly, none to report.			
BLACK TERN:	2	08/22	SNWR, SA	DP
ROCK DOVE:	100	Present thru period, Bay City, BA - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI, SA, TU		
MOURNING DOVE:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
BLACK-BILLED CUCKOO:	1	09/13	Tawas Pte., IO	BB – Last date. Also noted in SA
YELLOW-BILLED CUCKOO:	None to report.			
EASTERN SCREECH OWL:	14	09/16	SNWR, SA	BG, CS, AG - Also noted in HU, TU
GREAT HORNED OWL:	1	10/15	Hampton Twp, BA	JS
SNOWY OWL:	1	11/09	Tawas Pte., IO	BB

	1	11/21	Bradleyville Rd, TU	TB
BARRED OWL:	1	10/08	Tawas Point SP, IO	JZ - Also noted in TU
LONG-EARED OWL:	None to report.			
SHORT-EARED OWL:	6	11/12	SNWR, SA	BG, CS – One still there on 11/28. BG
NORTHERN SAW-WHET OWL:	None to report.			
COMMON NIGHTHAWK:	1	09/05	BCSRA, BA	G&EP - Also noted in SA, TU
WHIP-POOR-WILL:	None to report.			
CHIMNEY SWIFT:	1	10/06	Saginaw Twp, SA	M&JH - Also noted in BA, IO
RUBY-THROATED HUMMINGBIRD:	1	09/19	Midland, MI	JZ – At his feeder. - Also noted in SA
BELTED KINGFISHER:	1	11/14	SNWR, SA	BG, LA Also noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, SA, TU
RED-HEADED WOODPECKER:	5	09/08	Tawas Point SP, IO	JP - Also noted in BA, SA
RED-BELLIED WOODPECKER:	Noted in BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
YELLOW-BELLIED SAPSUCKER:	1	11/17	Saginaw Twp, SA	M&JH – Also noted in BA, HU, IO
DOWNY WOODPECKER:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
HAIRY WOODPECKER:	Noted in IO, MI, SA			
NORTHERN FLICKER:	1	11/03	Huron County	M&JH, M&MW Also noted in AR, BA, IO, SA
PILEATED WOODPECKER:	1	10/29	Mayville, TU	M&MW – First for their yard! Myles noted, “ Birds are recently re-colonizing the Thumb area.” Also noted in IO, SA
EASTERN WOOD-PEWEE:	1	10/05	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in SA
YELLOW-BELLIED FLYCATCHER:	None to report.			
ALDER FLYCATCHER:	None to report.			
WILLOW FLYCATCHER:	None to report.			
LEAST FLYCATCHER:	09/28	1	Tawas Pte., IO	JZ – Last date.
EMPIDONAX SP:	25	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB
EASTERN PHOEBE:	1	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS - Last Date – Also noted in BA, SA, TU
GREAT CRESTED FLYCATCHER:	1	09/06	Oak Grove, Ba	JS – Last Date. Also noted in IO, MI, SA
EASTERN KINGBIRD:	12	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB - Also noted in BA, MI
NORTHERN SHRIKE:	1	11/08	Tawas Pte., IO	BB
	1	11/29	Nayanquing Pt, BA	BR

	1	11/30	Hampton Twp, BA	SM
LOGGERHEAD SHRIKE	None to report.			
YELLOW-THROATED VIREO:	1	09/13	SNWR, SA	DP – Last date.
BLUE-HEADED VIREO:	1	10/10	Hampton Twp, BA	JS
WARBLING VIREO:	31	09/06	SNWR, SA	BG, CS – New SBA peak count & last date.
PHILADELPHIA VIREO:	None to report.			
RED-EYED VIREO:	1	10/05	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in AR, IO, SA
BLUE JAY:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
AMERICAN CROW:	Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA			
COMMON RAVEN:	2	08/23	Powerline Rd, IO	BB
HORNED LARK:	10	10/22	Arenac Co.	JZ - Also noted in BA, IO, SA
PURPLE MARTIN:	150	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB – Peak Count. - Also noted in BA
TREE SWALLOW:	1100	10/20	SNWR, SA	DP – Roosting on the refuge radio tower. Also noted in BA, IO, TU
NO. ROUGH-WINGED SWALLOW:	None to report.			
BANK SWALLOW:	2	09/06	Freeland Sew Lag, SA	JS, JZ - Also noted in IO
CLIFF SWALLOW:	2	09/16	Hampton Twp, BA	JS
BARN SWALLOW:	1	10/06	Fish Pt, TU	M&JH, M&MW - Also noted in BA, IO, SA
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE:	Noted in AR, BA, IO, MI, SA			
TUFTED TITMOUSE:	Noted in BA, IO, MI, SA			
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH:	Noted in BA (JS on 9-16), SA (M&JH on 11/07)			
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH:	Noted in AR, BA, MI, SA			
BROWN CREEPER:	18	09/28	Huron County	KO, DM - Also noted in BA, IO, MI
CAROLINA WREN:	1	CTP	Saginaw Twp, SA	M&JH – At their home!
HOUSE WREN:	1	09/28	Tawas Pte., IO	JZ – Last date. - Also noted in BA, IO, SA
WINTER WREN:	1	10/22	Arenac Co.	JZ – JS had one trapped in his garage! Also noted in HU, IO, SA
SEDGE WREN:	2	08/09	SNWR, SA	DP
	1	10/03	Hampton Twp, BA	JS
MARSH WREN:	4	09/12	SNWR, SA	DP

GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET:	2	11/27	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP – Last Date - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, TU
RUBY-CROWNED KINGLET:	1	10/21	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP – Also noted in HU, IO, TU
BLUE-GRAY GNATCATCHER:	1	09/19	Hampton Twp, BA	JS - Also noted in IO
EASTERN BLUEBIRD:	3	11/21	SNWR, SA	BG, LA - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI, TU
VEERY:	None to report.			
GRAY-CHEEKED THRUSH:	1	09/19	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP
SWAINSON'S THRUSH:	1	10/24	SNWR, SA	BG, CS - Also noted in BA, IO, SA
HERMIT THRUSH:	'dozens'	10/17	Tip of Thumb, HU	M&MW
	1	10/22	Arenac Co.	JZ – Also noted in BA, IO, SA
WOOD THRUSH:	1	09/02	SNWR, SA	BG, CS
AMERICAN ROBIN:	150+	10/21	Tobico Marsh, BA	JZ - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI, SA, TU
GRAY CATBIRD:	1	10/10	Hampton Twp, BA	JS - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, SA
NORTHERN MOCKINGBIRD:	None to report.			
BROWN THRASHER:	1	09/28	Oak Grove, Ba	JS - Also noted in IO
EUROPEAN STARLING:	Noted in BA, HU, IO, SA			
AMERICAN PIPIT:	65	11/11	Tawas Pte., IO	JS - Also noted in AR, BA, SA
CEDAR WAXWING:	35	10/25	Karn Plant, Ba	JS, SM - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, SA
BOHEMIAN WAXWING:	None to report.			
BLUE-WINGED WARBLER:	1	09/06	SNWR, SA	BG, CS
GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER:	None to report.			
TENNESSEE WARBLER:	1	10/11	SNWR, SA	BG, CS, LA – Last date. Also noted in BA, MI, TU
ORANGE-CROWNED WARBLER:	1	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	MP - Also noted in BA, MI
NASHVILLE WARBLER:	1	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	MP - Also noted in AR, BA
NORTHERN PARULA:	1	10/04	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP
YELLOW WARBLER:	8	08/24	Tawas Pte., IO	BB – Peak count.
	1	09/19	CNC, MI	JZ – Last date. - Also noted in BA, SA, TU
CHESTNUT-SIDED WARBLER:	1	09/19	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP
MAGNOLIA WARBLER:	7	09/04	Tawas Point SP, IO	G&DG – Peak count
	1	10/05	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP – Last Date - Also noted in SA
CAPE MAY WARBLER:	1	10/06	Hampton Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in AR, TU
BLACK-THROATED BLUE	3	10/09	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP – Also noted in IO, MI, SA

WARBLER:

YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLER:	2 145	11/11 10/13	Tawas Pte., IO Tawas Pte., IO	JS – Last –Also noted in AR, BA, HU, MI, SA, TU BB – Peak count. (And I thought my total of 72 in Hampton Twp on 10/02 was impressive!)
BLACK-THR. GREEN WARBLER:	1	10/11	SNWR, SA	BG, CS, LA – Also noted in AR, BA, IO, SA, TU
BLACKBURNIAN WARBLER:	1	09/27	SNWR, SA	BG, CS – Also noted in BA, IO
PINE WARBLER:	None to report.			
PALM WARBLER:	22 1	09/15 10/15	Tawas Pte., IO Hampton Twp, BA	DM – Peak count. JS – Last Date - Also noted in AR, HU, SA
BAY-BREASTED WARBLER:	1	09/21	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in MI, SA
BLACKPOLL WARBLER:	1	10/02	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in IO, SA
CERULEAN WARBLER:	1	08/09	SNWR, SA	BG, CS
BLACK-AND-WHITE WARBLER:	2	09/10	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in AR, SA
AMERICAN REDSTART:	35 1	09/06 10/05	SNWR, SA Bangor Twp, BA	BG, CS – Peak count. G&EP - Also noted in AR, IO
PROTHONOTARY WARBLER:	1	08/26	SNWR, SA	BG, CS
OVENBIRD:	1	10/11	SNWR, SA	BG, CS, LA - Also noted in BA, MI
NORTHERN WATERTHRUSH:	1	09/08	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in IO, SA
LOUISIANA WATERTHRUSH:	None to report.			
MOURNING WARBLER:	1	09/22	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP
COMMON YELLOWTHROAT:	2	10/10	Hampton Twp, BA	JS - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, SA
WILSON'S WARBLER:	1	09/28	Huron County	KO, DM – Also noted in BA, HU, IO, SA
CANADA WARBLER:	1 1	08/22 09/04	Mayville, TU Tawas Point SP, IO	M&MW G&DG
SCARLET TANAGER:	2 1	08/23 10/09	Powerline Rd, IO Saginaw Twp, SA	BB M&JH
EASTERN TOWHEE:	1	10/23	Caro, TU	M&MW - Also noted in BA, SA
AMERICAN TREE SPARROW:	7	10/22	Arenac Co.	JZ - Also noted in BA, HU, IO, SA, TU
CHIPPING SPARROW:	3	10/26	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP – Last date. - Also noted in HU, IO, TU
CLAY-COLORED SPARROW:	3	09/28	Tawas Pte., IO	JZ
FIELD SPARROW:	2	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	BB
VESPER SPARROW:	1	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	MP

SAVANNAH SPARROW:	16 1	09/15 10/15	Tawas Pte., IO Mayville, TU	DM – Peak count. M&MW – Myles observed 8 sparrow sp. in 1 bush! Also noted in AR, IO
GRASSHOPPER SPARROW:	None to report.			
HENSLOW'S SPARROW:	None to report.			
FOX SPARROW:	1	11/16	Midland County	BR – At her feeder. Also noted in AR, BA, HU, SA
SONG SPARROW:	1	11/19	BCSRA, BA	G&EP - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, SA, TU
LINCOLN'S SPARROW:	1	10/22	Arenac Co.	JZ – Also noted in BA, HU
SWAMP SPARROW:	1	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	BB - Also noted in AR, BA, HU
WHITE-THROATED SPARROW:	1 1	09/10 11/30	Hampton Twp, BA Saginaw Twp, BA	JS – First date. M&JH – Last date @ their feeder Also noted in HU, IO
WHITE-CROWNED SPARROW:	2	11/03	Tuscola Co.	M&JH, M&MW – Also noted in BA, HU, IO
DARK-EYED JUNCO:	22	09/28	Oak Grove, Ba	JS - Also noted in AR, HU, IO, MI, SA
LAPLAND LONGSPUR:	4 3	10/13 11/03	Tawas Pte., IO Tuscola Co.	BB M&JH, M&MW
SNOW BUNTING:	1 250	10/17 11/10	Caseville, HU Harbor Beach, HU	MW – First Date TB - Also noted in AR, BA, IO, SA, TU
NORTHERN CARDINAL:	Noted in AR, BA, IO, MI, SA			
ROSE-BREASTED GROSBEAK:	1	10/04	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP - Also noted in MI, SA
INDIGO BUNTING:	1	09/27	SNWR, SA	BG, CS - Also noted in BA
BOBOLINK:	98	09/19	SNWR, SA	DP – Also noted in BA
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD:	2250 1	08/15 11/08	SNWR, SA Tuttle Marsh, IO	BG – Peak count. BB - Also noted in AR, BA, TU
EASTERN MEADOWLARK:	1	10/17	SNWR, SA	DP
YELLOW-HEADED BLACKBIRD:	None to report.			
RUSTY BLACKBIRD:	100	10/13	Tawas Point SP, IO	BB - Also noted in BA, HU, SA, TU
BREWER'S BLACKBIRD:	1	10/13	Tawas Pte., IO	MP
COMMON GRACKLE:	10,000	11/04	Hampton Twp, BA	JS – Peak count. - Also noted in IO, TU
BROWN-HEADED COWBIRD:	1	09/28	Tawas Pte., IO	JZ - Also noted in BA, TU
BALTIMORE ORIOLE:	9	08/26	BCSRA, BA	G&EP - Also noted in IO, SA
ORCHARD ORIOLE:	1 fem	08/14	Bangor Twp, BA	G&EP – Also, used nest observed at Tawas Pointe, IO by JS.

PINE GROSBEAK: None to report.

PURPLE FINCH: 1 10/28 Bangor Twp, BA G&EP

HOUSE FINCH: Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA

RED CROSSBILL: None to report.

WHITE-WINGED CROSSBILL: None to report.

COMMON REDPOLL: None to report.

PINE SISKIN: None to report.

AMERICAN GOLDFINCH: Noted in AR, BA, HU, IO, MI, SA

EVENING GROSBEAK: None to report.

HOUSE SPARROW: Noted in AR, BA, IO, MI, SA

TOTAL: 220 Species

OMISSIONS FROM PREVIOUS REPORTS:

Observer Key:

LA	Larry Abraham	BM	Brad Murphy
TB	Tom Beachy	G&TN	Gary & Tess Nelkie
BB	Bob Bell	KO	Karl Overman
ED	Ed DeVries	JP	Jan Palland
G&DG	Gus & Delores Gavit	DP	David Peters
JG	Jack Gillespie	G&EP	Glen & Ellen Peterson
AG	Ann Grefe	MP	Mike Petrucha
BG	Bob Grefe	BR	Betty Rainwater
JH	Jeanne Henderson	ES	Ed Smith
PH	Pearl Horton	JS	Joe Soehnel
M&JH	Mark & Joanie Hubinger	Jso	Jeff Sommer
RM	Rick McAvinchey	CS	Carolyn Szarolletta
DM	Doug McWhirter	M&MW	Myles & Marilyn Willard
SM	Stan Madziar	JZ	Jerry Ziarno

Abbreviations:

AR	Arenac County	MI	Midland County
BA	Bay County	NMB	Northern Michigan Message Board
BCSRA	Bay City State Recreation Area	PTP	Present through period
CNC	Chippewa Nature Center	SA	Saginaw County
FSL	Freeland Sewage Lagoon	SBA	Saginaw Bay Area
GPNC	Green Point Nature Center	SNWR	Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge
HU	Huron County	SSGA	Shiawassee State Game Area
IO	Iosco County	TU	Tuscola County
MCV	Midland Cogeneration Venture (Pond)		
