

Birds in the Saginaw Bay Area

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Summary: Observer effort this spring was average, with a less than normal number of reports from some traditional locations, such as Hampton Twp., Bay Co., but an increased number of reports from Moffatt Twp., Arenac Co., and the Oil City area, Midland Co. Efforts at the Port Crescent Hawk Watch were extensive, and despite a lack of favorable winds to fill the May skies with kettles of Broad-winged Hawks, a total of 10,155 birds were tallied this season. Such data on the birdlife of Huron Co. is particularly significant at this time, as Saginaw Bay's east shore is being targeted for extensive wind turbine construction. All totaled, 253 species from the Michigan Bird List were reported from the SBA this spring, nicely above average, for the third consecutive year. Still, the numbers of individuals from each species, particularly transitory species, was overall lower than normal. Despite this situation, observers managed to establish seventeen new SBA records. Rare occurrences were uncommon, just three - **Purple Gallinule***, **Black Vulture***, and **Ferruginous Hawk***. The first bird was seen by innumerable observers, the last two by just one, as the excitement of witnessing hawk migration remains ignored by the vast majority of SBA birders. Lastly, while annual fluctuations in numbers of birds pausing in the SBA during migration is to be expected, (due to the influences of weather fronts, etc.), one long-time SBA observer specifically noted a long-term downward trend in migrating warbler numbers. This is an example of why birders need to avoid shifting their baseline, (lowering their expectations), wherein they once accepted 150 warblers as a good day, they now accept 50 as a great day. As bird conservationists, we should only accept encountering more birds over the years (a recent example is Sandhill Crane) as an indicator of success.

*Michigan Review List Species. Inclusion of records for these species in this report does not signify that they have been verified, only that an encounter was reported. The observation will not be considered an official SBA record until it has been reviewed and accepted by the Michigan Bird Records Committee (MBRC).

Weather: March weather contrasted sharply with that of February, as mild temperatures and well below normal precipitation prevailed. (It seemed odd not to experience the cold, damp days that so often accompany spring waterfowl migration in the SBA.) The warm spring continued in April, and with several 80 degree days in the southern portion of SBA, it ended up as one of the warmest on record. Rainfall events increased during the month as well, although the total annual precipitation up to this point remained below normal. The record warm temperature trend persisted on throughout the first week of May, when the most drastic weather change of the spring occurred, as temperatures dropping significantly, and precipitation increased in both frequency and volume. The above normal temperatures returned by the end of May, but dryness did not, and rainfall for the month ended above normal.

(Weather is based upon the best available data from NOAA, which is for Saginaw MBS. While generally applicable to the greater SBA, conditions in the northern and lakeshore portions of the area may have varied to some extent.)

This report, as well as previous seasonal reports from 2000-2009, can be found at <http://www.saginawbaybirding.org>, along with updates on summer 2010 birds in the Saginaw Bay Area, as reported to Joe Soehnel at soehnelj@gmail.com or at 989-892-3687.

Many thanks to all observers who contributed their sightings directly to this compilation. Your extra efforts result in a significantly more accurate and thorough report. Additional thanks to Joe Soehnel for his ongoing input .

Species	Number	Date	Location	Observers / Comment
GRTR WHITE-FRNTD GOOSE:	1	3/12	SNWR, Sa	JDS
SNOW GOOSE:	3	3/10	SNWR, Sa	DEP - first date - also noted in Mi
	8	3/18	SNWR, Sa	DEP
	2	4/4	Bayport, Hu	MKE
ROSS'S GOOSE:	1	3/17	Port Austin, Hu	MW,MWi
ACKLING GOOSE:	2	3/10	SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Ba
	1	4/3	SNWR, Sa	JEV
CANADA GOOSE:	16020	3/24	SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
MUTE SWAN:	102	3/6	Pinconning Park, Ba	JZ - also noted in Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu
TUNDRA SWAN:	6463	3/18	Wildfowl Bay, Hu	JMS,DJP - peak count - the observers noted " The actual number present was greater, but the expansive stands of invasive phragmites prevented a full view" per JMS - last date
	2	5/8	NPSWA, Ba	- also noted in Io,Mi,Sa,Tu
TRUMPETER SWAN:	2	3/19	Tuttle Marsh, Io	WWS,RAE - also noted in Hu
	2	3/26 - 4/28	SNWR, Sa	SFK,DJP
	4	3/30	Shiawassee River SGA, Sa	JDS
	8	4/2 - 4/3	SNWR, Sa	DEP,JEV
	2	4/16	Tuttle Marsh, Io	WWS,RAE
	1	5/8 tp	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK
	2	5/14	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS
WOOD DUCK:	1	3/10	FPSWA, Tu	JEV - first date
	148	5/27	Crow Island SGA, Sa	- also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi JMS - peak count
GADWALL:	4	3/13	Dow Ponds, Mi	JZ - present here from winter period
	33	5/8	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count - also noted in Ba,Tu
AMERICAN WIGEON:	4	3/10	SNWR, Sa	DEP - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi
	86	3/22	FPSWA, Tu	DH - peak count
	2	5/27	Crow Island SGA, Sa	JMS
AMERICAN BLACK DUCK:	92	4/9	SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Ba,Io,Mi,Tu
MALLARD:	1253	3/18	SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
BLUE-WINGED TEAL:	2	3/11	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS - first date
	57	4/9	SNWR, Sa	- also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Tu DEP - peak count
NORTHERN SHOVELER:	4	3/10	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ba,Io,Mi,Tu
	157	4/15	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count
	5	5/28	SNWR, Sa	DJP
NORTHERN PINTAIL:	1	3/10	FPSWA, Tu	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi
	412	3/31	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count
GREEN-WINGED TEAL:	3	3/11	FPSWA, Tu	JMS - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi
	509	4/2	SNWR, Sa	DEP - peak count
	8	5/14	SNWR, Sa	SFK

CANVASBACK:	360 1	4/11 5/8	Pinconning, Ba Karn Plant, Ba	RAE - peak count - also noted in Hu,Sa,Tu per JMS
REDHEAD:	3740 14	3/18 5/27	Pinconning, Ba Crow Island SGA, Sa	RAE - also noted in Hu,lo JMS
RING-NECKED DUCK:	546 1	3/24 5/26	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu SFK
GREATER SCAUP:	42	3/18	Pinconning, Ba	RAE - also noted in Hu,Mi
LESSER SCAUP:	298 5	3/18 5/16	Wildfowl Bay, Hu Dow Ponds, Mi	JMS,DJP - peak count RD - last date - also noted in Ba,Sa,Tu
SCAUP SP:	2500	3/27	Linwood, Ba	RAE
WHITE-WINGED SCOTER:	5	3/5	AuSable River mouth, lo	RAE,WWS
LONG-TAILED DUCK:	1 15	3/5 5/16	AuSable River mouth, lo TPSP, lo	RAE,WWS - also noted in Hu,Mi KO
BUFFLEHEAD:	146 1	4/17 5/16	Linwood, Ba Dow Ponds, Mi	RAE - peak count - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,Sa,Tu RD - last date
COMMON GOLDENEYE:	300	3/21	Linwood, Ba	RAE - also noted in Hu,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
HOODED MERGANSER:	8 24	3/8 3/19	Dow Ponds, Mi Tuttle Marsh, lo	MKE - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu RAE,WWS
COMMON MERGANSER:	622	3/18	Pinconning, Ba	RAE - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
RED-BREASTED MERGANSER:	46 220 4	3/18 4/17 5/20	Harbor Beach, Hu Linwood, Ba TPSP, lo	JMS,DJP - also noted in Mi RAE - peak count JEV
RUDDY DUCK:	2 430 8	3/6 4/9 5/16	Kawkawlin R. Flooding, Mi SNWR, Sa Dow Ponds, Mi	JZ - first date - also noted in Ba,Tu DEP - peak count RD - last date
RING-NECKED PHEASANT:	11	3/8	Grindstone City, Hu	MKE - also noted in Ba,Mi,Sa,Tu
RUFFED GROUSE:	8 4	4/18 5/18	Moffatt Twp., Ar Deford SGA, Tu	DLJ - also noted in Ba,lo,Mi JEV
WILD TURKEY:	up to 30 25	tp 3/2	Midland, Mi Moffatt Twp., Ar	JZ - also noted in Ba,Hu,lo,Sa,Tu DLJ
NORTHERN BOBWHITE:	1	5/18	TPSP, lo	DLJ
COMMON LOON:	1 75	3/22 4/30	FPSWA, Tu TPSP, lo	DH - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa WWS,RAE - peak count
PIED-BILLED GREBE:	1 22	3/16 5/27	Saginaw River, Ba Crow Island SGA, Sa	GSP - first date - also noted in Ar,lo,Hu,Mi,Tu JMS - peak count
HORNED GREBE:	2 2	3/19 4/9	Freeland Sewage Pond, Sa Kawkawlin R. Flooding, Mi	JZ JZ
EARED GREBE:	1	5/16	Dow Ponds, Mi	RD

AMERICAN WHITE PELICAN:	1	5/14	Linwood, Ba	MW,DD
DOUBLE-CRSTD CORMORANT:	8	3/26	Karn Plant, Ba	JMS - first date
	150	4/17	Linwood, Ba	- also noted in Hu,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu RAE - peak count
AMERICAN BITTERN:	1	4/3	SNWR, Sa	JEV - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi
	3	5/26	SNWR, Sa	DJP
LEAST BITTERN:	1	5/15	NPSWA, Ba	DLJ - first date - also noted in Sa
	1	5/24	Tuttle Marsh, lo	JR
GREAT BLUE HERON:	1	3/5	Bridgeport Twp., Sa	JEV - first date
	60	5/28	SNWR, Sa	DJP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu
GREAT EGRET:	1	3/27	Little Prairie Hunt Club, Sa	JDS - first date
	15	4/27	NPSWA, Ba	JML - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu
SNOWY EGRET:	1	5/5	Karn Plant, Ba	JMS
	1	5/6 - 5/8	BCSRA, Ba	GSP - could easily be the same bird as at the Karn Plant on 5/5
CATTLE EGRET:	1	5/5	Bangor Twp., Ba	JMS
	1	5/18	Sebewaing, Hu	MW, MWi
GREEN HERON:	1	4/30	Hampton Twp., Ba	LMA,CS,EL - first date - also noted in lo,Sa
BLK-CROWNED NIGHT- HERON:	2	4/23	NPSWA, Ba	JMS - first date - also noted in lo,Sa,Tu
*BLACK VULTURE:	1	5/15	PCSP, Hu	MKE - 1st SBA record, 1st Hu record - pending MBRC acceptance - documentation submitted by observer
TURKEY VULTURE:	1	3/7	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP - first date - also noted in lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
	598	4/10	PCSP, Hu	MKE - new SBA peak count - a total of 4284 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
OSPREY:	1	4/2	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,lo,Mi,Sa
	6	5/14	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 47 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
BALD EAGLE:	22	4/30	PCSP, Hu	MKE - a total of 141 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
	34	5/8	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Mi,Tu
NORTHERN HARRIER:	3	4/10	TPSP, lo	WWS,RAE - also noted in Ar,Ba,Mi,Sa,Tu
	9	4/16	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 70 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
SHARP-SHINNED HAWK:	792	5/14	PCSP, Hu	MKE - new SBA peak count - a total of 2273 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring - also noted in Ba,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
COOPER'S HAWK:	16	4/30	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 152 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring -also noted in Ba,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
NORTHERN GOSHAWK:	1	3/27	PCSP, Hu	MKE - a total of 6 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring

RED-SHOULDERED HAWK:	1 45	3/15 3/31	Moffatt Twp., Ar PCSP, Hu	DLJ - also noted in Ba,Tu MKE - peak count - a total of 218 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring GEV,JKV
	1	5/30- 5/31	Homer Twp., Mi	
BROAD-WINGED HAWK:	1	4/9	Oil City area, Mi	RD - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Sa,Tu
	606	4/30	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 1721 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
RED-TAILED HAWK:	1	3/31	PCSP, Hu	MKE - a Krider's subspecies - the observer noted "white, white, white; <u>white</u> head, white underbody; no belly band; no streaking or mottling on body, wings; perfect dark commas; white tail / d(ar)k sub-term(inal) band - maybe pinkish?; patagium - saw <u>no</u> contrast; def(initely) <u>small</u> end of red-tailed size spectrum. <u>Compact</u> , muscular."
	241	4/19	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 1042 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
*FERRUGINOUS HAWK:	1	5/30	PCSP, Hu	MKE - 2 nd SBA record - pending MBRC acceptance - documentation to be submitted by observer
ROUGH-LEGGED HAWK:	10	4/10	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 41 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
	8	5/4	PCSP, Hu	MKE - last date - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Tu
GOLDEN EAGLE:	1	3/21	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS
	1	3/26	SNWR, Sa	DJP - immature age
	4	4/30	PCSP, Hu	MKE - peak count - a total of 14 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
	1	5/6	TPSP, lo	WWS,RAE
AMERICAN KESTREL:	6	4/2	PCSP, Hu	MKE - a total of 61 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu
MERLIN:	1	3/1	Tittabawassee Trail, Mi	MKE - first date - also noted in Mi,Tu
	4	5/1	PCSP, lo	MKE - peak count - a total of 11 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
	1	5/20	TPSP, lo	GSP,EMP
PEREGRINE FALCON:	1	3/17	Karn Plant, Ba	SM - first date - also noted in Sa
	2	5/8	Karn Plant, Ba	per JMS
	7	5/14	PCSP, Hu	MKE - new SBA peak count - a total of 15 tallied at the PCSP Hawk Watch this spring
VIRGINIA RAIL:	1	3/19	Tuttle Marsh, lo	WWS,RAE - first date - also noted in Ar,Sa
	2	4/29	Tuttle Marsh, lo	DLJ
SORA:	1	4/11	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa
	5	5/15	Tuttle Marsh, lo	RAE
*PURPLE GALLINULE:	1	5/13 - 5/28	Tuttle Marsh, lo	RL,KO, et. al. - 2nd SBA record , 2 nd lo record - pending MBRC acceptance
COMMON MOORHEN:	2	4/23	NPSWA, Ba	JMS - first date - also noted in Sa
	6	5/15	NPSWA, Ba	DLJ - peak count

AMERICAN COOT:	4 134	3/12 4/9	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,MI,Tu DEP - peak count
SANDHILL CRANE:	1 40	3/7 3/27	Bangor Twp., Ba Moffatt Twp., Ar	GSP - first date - also noted in Hu,lo,Mi,Sa,Tu DLJ - peak count
BLACK-BELLIED PLOVER:	9 4 1	5/14 5/21 5/23	LeBourdais Rd., Ba SNWR, Sa LeBourdais Rd., Ba	SM - first date DJP RAE
SEMPALMATED PLOVER:	3 47 4	5/6 5/13 5/29	BCSRA, Ba SNWR, Sa Baldwin Twp., lo	GSP,EMP - first date - also noted in Mi DJP - peak count RAE
PIPING PLOVER:	1	5/20 - 5/25	Linwood, Ba	MW
KILLDEER:	2 19	3/6 4/9	Hampton Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	JMS - first date - also noted in Hu,lo,Mi,Tu DJP - peak count
AMERICAN AVOCET:	4	4/14	PCSP, Hu	MKE - the observer noted "gracefully winging their way from inland out to bay"
SPOTTED SANDPIPER:	2 11	4/30 5/6	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	DJP - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi DJP - peak count
SOLITARY SANDPIPER:	1 14 1	4/23 5/5 5/13	BCSRA, Ba Hampton Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	JMS - first date - also noted in Hu,Mi,Sa JMS - peak count DJP - last date
GREATER YELLOWLEGS:	4 80 1	3/25 4/15 5/23	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa LeBourdais Rd., Ba	JDS - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,Mi DJP - peak count RAE - last date
WILLET:	6 1	5/1 5/15 - 5/18	Harbor Beach, Hu TPSP, lo	MW RAE,KO,DLJ
LESSER YELLOWLEGS:	2 104 2	3/25 5/6 5/21	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	JDS - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu DJP - peak count DJP - last date
UPLAND SANDPIPER:	1	5/16	Wurtsmith Air Base, lo	RHo
WHIMBREL:	12	5/16	NPSWA, Ba	DD
MARbled GODWIT:	2	5/13 - 5/14	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK,DEP - a pair
RUDDY TURNSTONE:	3 1	5/20 5/27	TPSP, lo LeBourdais Rd., Ba	JEV RAE
SANDERLING:	2	5/16	TPSP, lo	KO
SEMPALMATED SANDPIPER:	1 33	5/20 5/30	TPSP, lo AuGres, Ar	GSP,EMP - first date RAE - peak count - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa
LEAST SANDPIPER:	70 1	5/6 5/28	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	DJP - first date - peak count DJP - last date - also noted in Ba,lo,Mi
WHITE-RUMPED SANDPIPER:	3	5/16	TPSP, lo	KO - also noted in Mi

PECTORAL SANDPIPER:	6	3/26	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi
	102	4/21	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count
	1	5/16	TPSP, Io	KO - last date
DUNLIN:	1	4/9	SNWR, Sa	DJP - first date - also noted in Io,Mi
	350+	5/23	LeBourdais Rd., Ba	RAE - peak count
	11	5/30	AuGres, Ar	RAE
STILT SANDPIPER:	2	5/6	SNWR, Sa	SFK
SHORT-BILLED DOWITCHER:	1	4/21	SNWR, Sa	DJP - first date - also noted in Io
	16	5/16	Dow Ponds, Mi	RD - peak count
	2	5/21	SNWR, Sa	DJP - last date
DOWITCHER SP:	1	3/26 - 4/1	SNWR, Sa	DJP
	26	5/15	Linwood, Ba	DLJ
WILSON'S SNIPE:	1	3/25	Little Prairie Hunt Club, Sa	JDS - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Io,Mi,Tu
	106	4/21	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count
AMERICAN WOODCOCK:	1	3/12	Albee Twp., Sa	JDS - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi
	6	5/18	Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - peak count
WILSON'S PHALAROPE:	1	5/4	SNWR, Sa	DEP
	5	5/6	SNWR, Sa	DJP
LITTLE GULL:	1	5/15	TPSP, Io	JB
BONAPARTE'S GULL:	2	3/27	LeBourdais, Rd., Ba	RAE - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Sa,Tu
	550	4/17	Linwood, Ba	RAE - peak count
RING-BILLED GULL:	200	4/11	BCSRA, Ba	GSP,EMP - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Sa,Tu
HERRING GULL:	52	3/17	BCSRA, Ba	GSP,EMP - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Sa
ICELAND (KUMLIEN'S) GULL:	1	3/7	Harbor Beach, Hu	MKE - 1 st winter age
GLAUCOUS GULL:	1	3/27	LeBourdais, Rd, Ba	RAE - adult age - also noted in Hu
	1	4/25	AuGres, Ar	RAE - 2 nd year age
	1	5/21	TPSP, Io	GN - last date
GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL:	2	3/12	SNWR, Sa	SFK
	2	4/3	BCSRA, Ba	GSP,EMP
	1	4/28	LeBourdais Rd., Ba	RAE
CASPIAN TERN:	1	4/6	LeBourdais Rd., Ba	RAE - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu
	22	5/2	Tawas City, Io	RAE - peak count
BLACK TERN:	1	5/8	SNWR, Sa	DJP - first date
	1	5/27	Crow Island SGA, Sa	JMS
COMMON TERN:	1	4/30	SNWR, Sa	DEP - first date
	24	5/15	Linwood, Ba	DLJ - also noted in Io,Mi
FORSTER'S TERN:	12	4/15	LeBourdais Rd., Ba	RAE - first date - also noted in Hu,Sa
	170	5/8	LeBourdais Rd., Ba	RAE - new SBA spring high count
ROCK PIGEON:	10	3/10	SNWR, Sa	SFK - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu

MOURNING DOVE:	46	3/10	SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
YELLOW-BILLED CUCKOO:	1	5/15	PCSP, Hu	MKE - first date - also noted in Ar,Mi,Tu
BLACK-BILLED CUCKOO:	1 2	5/15 5/22	TPSP, Io SNWR, Sa	RAE - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Mi,Tu JDS
EASTERN SCREECH OWL:	1 1	3/10 3/29	Deford SGA, Tu Bridgeport Twp., Sa	JEV LMA
GREAT HORNED OWL:	1 1	3/5 4/8	SNWR, Sa CNC, Mi	DEP - also noted in Ba JML
SNOWY OWL:	1	3/3	Akron Rd., Tu	LZ
BARRED OWL:	1 1 2 1	3/31 5/1 5/4 5/30	Deford SGA, Tu Rogers Rd., Ba Oil City area, Mi Manor Rd., Ar	JEV JMS RD RAE
LONG-EARED OWL:	2	3/5	SNWR, Sa	JEV
SHORT-EARED OWL:	1	4/9	Hampton Twp., Ba	SM
NORTHERN SAW-WHET OWL:	1	5/10	Tuttle Marsh, Io	RAE
COMMON NIGHTHAWK:	1	5/5	Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - new SBA spring early date - also noted in Hu,Mi
WHIP-POOR-WILL:	1 1	5/8 5/17- 5/19	NPSWA, Ba TPSP, Io	per JMS - first date GN,DLJ
CHIMNEY SWIFT:	1 172	4/16 5/8	Rush Lake SGA, Hu SNWR, Sa	MKE - first date - also noted in Ba,Io,Mi SFK,DJP - peak count
RUBY-THRTD HUMMINGBIRD	1 2	5/2 5/18	Bangor Twp., Ba Deford SGA, Tu	GSP,EMP - first date JEV - also noted in Hu,Mi,Sa
BELTED KINGFISHER:	2 2	4/30 5/8	TPSP, Io SNWR, Sa	WWS,RAE - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Tu DJP
RED-HEADED WOODPECKER:	2 2 2	5/6 5/9 5/28	Tyler Plains, Ar BCSRA, Ba Pine Barrens, Io	DLJ - also noted in Hu,Tu GSP,EMP WWS,RAE
RED-BELLIED WOODPECKER:	15	5/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK,JDS,DJP - peak count - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
YELLOW-BELLIED SAPSUCKER:	1 4	4/3 4/15	SNWR, Sa WBSWA, Ar	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Io,Mi,Tu DLJ - peak count
DOWNY WOODPECKER:	5 6	3/1 5/8	Bangor Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	GSP.EMP - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Tu JDS,DJP,SFK
HAIRY WOODPECKER:	3 5	4/3 4/3	Bangor Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	GSP.EMP- also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Tu JEV
NORTHERN FLICKER:	137 269	4/5 4/16	PCSP, Hu TPSP, Io	MKE - also noted in Ar,Ba,Mi,Sa,Tu WWS,RAE - new SBA peak count
PILEATED WOODPECKER:	3	4/1	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu

OLIVE-SIDED FLYCATCHER:	1 1	5/16 5/25	Homer Twp., Mi SNWR, Sa	MKE - first date - also noted in Hu JDS
EASTERN WOOD-PEWEE:	1	5/14	BCSRA, Ba	GSP - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Sa
ACADIAN FLYCATCHER:	1 1	5/16 5/21	Mayville, Tu Laur Big Salt R. Park, Mi	MW RD
ALDER FLYCATCHER:	1 2 1	5/20 5/27 5/28	Tuttle Marsh, Io Sterling Truck Trail, Ar Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - first date - also noted in Sa DLJ JEV
WILLOW FLYCATCHER:	4 6	5/15 5/28	Hampton Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	JMS - first date - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Tu DJP
LEAST FLYCATCHER:	2 24	5/1 5/18	Rogers Rd., Ba TPSP, Io	JMS - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa DLJ - new SBA peak count
EASTERN PHOEBE:	1 22	3/20 4/1	Homer Twp., Mi TPSP, Io	MKE - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Sa,Tu DLJ - peak count
GRT-CRESTED FLYCATCHER:	1 5	4/30 5/8	TPSP, Io SNWR, Sa	WWS,RAE - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Tu JDS,SFK
WESTERN KINGBIRD:	1	5/15	TPSP, Io	JB
EASTERN KINGBIRD:	1 11	4/10 5/16	CNC, Mi TPSP, Io	JZ - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Sa,Tu WWS
NORTHERN SHRIKE:	1	3/19	Tuttle Marsh, Io	WWS,RAE - last date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Sa,Tu
YELLOW-THROATED VIREO:	1 5	5/1 5/8	Oil City area, Mi SNWR, Sa	RD - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io SFK,JDS,DJP
BLUE-HEADED VIREO:	1 1	4/30 5/20	Oil City area, Mi TPSP, Io	RD - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu JEV
WARBLING VIREO:	1 52	4/30 5/8	Oil City area, Mi SNWR, Sa	RD - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,tu DJP,SFK,JDS - new SBA peak count
PHILADELPHIA VIREO:	1	5/20	TPSP, Io	JEV
RED-EYED VIREO:	2	5/6	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Sa,Tu
BLUE JAY:	933 113	5/1 5/6	PCSP, Hu TPSP, Io	MKE - new SBA spring high count WWS,RAE - also noted in Ar,Ba,Mi,Sa,Tu
AMERICAN CROW:	57 65	3/18 5/17	Harbor Beach, Hu Deford SGA, Tu	JMS,DJP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Io,Mi,Sa JEV
COMMON RAVEN:	1 2 1 1 4	3/31 4/11 4/30 5/8 5/28	PCSP, Hu Moffatt Twp., Ar Oil City area, Mi Gibson Twp., Ba Pine Barrens, Io	MKE DLJ RD per JMS WWS,RAE
HORNED LARK:	50	3/5	SNWR, Sa	JEV - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu

PURPLE MARTIN:	4 8 30	4/23 5/5 5/20	Ricoma Beach, Ba Bangor Twp., Ba Tawas Bay, Io	JMS - first date JMS - also noted in Hu,Tu JEV
TREE SWALLOW:	6 500+	3/19 4/25	SNWR, Sa AuGres, Ar	KL - first date RAE - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
N ROUGH-WINGED SWALLOW:	2 51	4/23 5/8	BCSRA, Ba SNWR, Sa	JMS - first date - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi, Tu DJP,SFK,JDS - new SBA spring high count
BANK SWALLOW:	13 271	5/6 5/8	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi SFK,DJP,JDS - new SBA spring high count
CLIFF SWALLOW:	1 67 27	4/26 5/8 5/14	Cemetery Rd. / Cass R.,Tu SNWR, Sa Cooke Dam, Io	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi SFK,DJP - peak count WWS - nesting under the eaves
BARN SWALLOW:	1 304	4/4 5/8	Kochville Twp., Sa SNWR, Sa	JMS - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu SFK,DJP,JDS - new SBA peak count - GSP,EMP noted 125 at BCSRA, Ba on this same date
BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE:	8 32	4/2 5/8	Koylton Twp., Tu SNWR, Sa	JEV - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Sa JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
TUFTED TITMOUSE:	13 4	5/8 tp	SNWR, Sa Midland, Mi	JDS,SFK - peak count JZ - also noted in Ba,Hu,Tu
RED-BREASTED NUTHATCH:	3 4	3/4 3/11	Hampton Twp., Ba Cooke Dam area, Io	JMS - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu WWS
WHITE-BREASTED NUTHATCH:	4 4	3/17 4/3	BCSRA, Ba SNWR, Sa	GSP,EMP - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu JEV
BROWN CREEPER:	12 7	4/11 5/8	Moffatt Twp., Ar SNWR, Sa	DLJ - peak count JDS,SFK,DJP - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
CAROLINA WREN:	1	3/7	Saginaw, Sa	DJP
HOUSE WREN:	4 38	4/23 5/8	Koylton Twp., Tu SNWR, Sa	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
WINTER WREN:	1 3 1	4/3 4/10 5/15	SNWR, Sa TPSP, Io Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Mi WWS,RAE JEV
SEDGE WREN:	1 8	5/6 5/27	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu DEP - peak count
MARSH WREN:	1 14	3/2 - 3/6 5/26	BCSRA, Ba SNWR, Sa	LD,GSP - this bird present from winter period - also noted in Hu,Tu DJP - peak count
GOLDEN-CROWNED KINGLET:	16	4/11	Moffatt Twp., Ar	DLJ - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Sa,Tu
RUBY-CROWNED KINGLET:	1 18 2	4/7 5/8 5/31	FPSWA, Tu SNWR, Sa Bangor Twp., Ba	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Mi JDS,DJP - peak count GSP,EMP - last date

BLUE-GRAY GNATCATCHER:	1 34	4/28 5/8	Bangor Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	GSP, EMP - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu JDS,DJP,SFK - peak count
EASTERN BLUEBIRD:	20 17	3/13 4/1	Koylton Twp., Tu Cooke Dam area, lo	JEV - peak count WWS - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa
VEERY:	1 4	5/5 5/13	Oil City area, Mi Oil City area, Mi	RD - first date RD - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Sa,Tu
GRAY-CHEEKED THRUSH:	1	5/15	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV - also noted in Ba
SWAINSON'S THRUSH:	1 3	5/15 5/22	Bangor Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa	GSP,EMP - also noted in Hu,lo,Mi JEV
HERMIT THRUSH:	1 8	4/9 5/6	SNWR, Sa Tyler Plains, Ar	DEP - first date DLJ - also noted in Ba,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu
WOOD THRUSH:	1	4/30	Hampton Twp., Ba	LMA,CS,EL - first date - also noted in Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu
AMERICAN ROBIN:	300+	4/1	TPSP, lo	DLJ - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa
GRAY CATBIRD:	1 25	4/18 5/8	Koylton Twp., Tu SNWR, Sa	JEV - new SBA spring early date - also noted in Ba,Hu,lo,Mi JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
NORTHERN MOCKINGBIRD:	1 1	5/3 5/5	Becroft Lake Trail, Tu Grindstone City, Hu	JEV MKE
BROWN THRASHER:	1 1 13	3/2 4/5 4/30	BCSRA, Ba SNWR, Sa TPSP, lo	LD - this bird present from winter period DJP - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Tu WWS,RAE - peak count
EUROPEAN STARLING:	72	4/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu
AMERICAN PIPIT:	4 30 1	4/30 5/18 5/25	SNWR, Sa TPSP, lo TPSP, lo	DEP - first date - also noted in Hu,Mi DLJ - peak count JR - last date
CEDAR WAXWING:	25 50+	4/4 4/8	Bangor Twp., Ba Tawas, lo	GSP,EMP - also noted in Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu RAE - peak count
BLUE-WINGED WARBLER:	1 4	4/30 5/18	Oil City area, Mi Deford SGA, Tu	RD - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,lo,Sa JEV
GOLDEN-WINGED WARBLER:	1 8	4/30 5/12	BCRSA, Ba Ditch & Manor Rd. area, Ar	KK - first date - also noted in lo,Mi,Tu DLJ
TENNESSEE WARBLER:	1 2 1	5/8 5/15 5/21	Pinconning Park, Ba Hampton Twp., Ba Oil City area, Mi	JZ - first date - also noted in Hu,lo,Sa JMS RD - last date
ORANGE-CROWNED WARBLER:	1 6 1	5/4 5/8 5/20	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa TPSP, lo	JDS - first date - also noted in Ba JDS,DJP - peak count JEV - last date
NASHVILLE WARBLER:	2 16	4/29 5/8	SNWR, Sa SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date JDS,SFK - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu
NORTHERN PARULA:	2 5 3	4/30 5/8 5/20	Hampton Twp., Ba SNWR, Sa TPSP, lo	LMA,CS,EL - first date SFK,JDS,DJP JEV - last date - also noted in Mi,Tu

YELLOW WARBLER:	3	4/29	BCSRA, Ba	GSP,EMP - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,Mi,Tu
	148	5/8	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK,JDS - peak count
CHESNUT-SIDED WARBLER:	1	5/6	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - also noted in Ar,HU,Mi,Tu
	5	5/14	TPSP, lo	JZ
MAGNOLIA WARBLER:	1	5/5	Bangor twp., Ba	GSP - first date - also noted in Hu,lo,Sa
	3	5/15	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV
	1	5/21	Oil City area, Mi	RD - last date
CAPE MAY WARBLER:	2	5/15	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS
	1	5/15	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV
BLK-THRTD BLUE WARBLER:	1	4/30	BCSRA, Ba	RH,KK,PR - first date - also noted in Sa
	5	5/15	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS
	2	5/20	TPSP, lo	GSP,EMP,JEV - last date
YELLOW-RUMPED WARBLER:	1+	3/20	Sand Lake, lo	SD - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu
	50+	4/30	Hampton Twp., Ba	LMA,CS,EL - peak count
	2	5/20	TPSP, lo	JEV
BLK-THRTD GREEN WARBLER:	1	4/29	TPSP, lo	DLJ,RAE - first date
	6	5/22	Murphy Lake SGA, Tu	JDS - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa
BLACKBURNIAN WARBLER:	1	5/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Hu,Mi
	2	5/20	TPSP, lo	JEV
	1	5/28	Big Creek Rd., Ar	WWS,RAE - last date
PINE WARBLER:	1	4/8	Baldwin Twp., lo	RAE - first date, here and in Sa (SFK) - also noted in Hu,Mi
	4	5/24	Sterling Truck Trail, Ar	DLJ
KIRTLAND'S WARBLER:	1	5/15	TPSP, lo	RAE,JB
PALM WARBLER:	1	4/16	TPSP, lo	WWS,RAE - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu
	10	4/30	Hampton Twp., Ba	LMA,CS,EL - peak count
	2	5/20	TPSP, lo	GSP,EMP,JEV - last date
BAY-BREASTED WARBLER:	1	5/20	TPSP, lo	GSP,EMP
BLACKPOLL WARBLER:	2	5/15	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - first date - also noted in lo,Mi
	3	5/21	Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - last date
CERULEAN WARBLER:	2	5/12	Ditch & Manor Rd. area, Ar	DLJ - also noted in lo,Mi
	1	5/22	SNWR, Sa	JDS
	8	5/28	Big Creek Rd., Ar	WWS,RAE
BLACK & WHITE WARBLER:	1	4/30	Oil City area, Mi	RD- first date
	6	5/14	TPSP, lo	JZ - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Sa,Tu
AMERICAN REDSTART:	1	5/5	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP - first date - also noted in Ar,Hu,lo,MI,Tu
	18	5/8	SNWR, Sa	JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
PROTHONOTARY WARBLER:	2	5/2	SNWR, Sa	JDS - first date
	1	5/14	Tobico Marsh, Ba	KK
	1	5/15	TPSP, lo	RAE,JB
	8	5/25	SNWR, Sa	DJP

OVENBIRD:	1	5/2	Oil City area, Mi	RD - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Sa,Tu
	14	5/14	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS - new SBA peak count
NORTHERN WATERTHRUSH:	1	4/30	Mayville, Tu	MW - first date
	6	5/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK,JDS,DJP - also noted in Ar,Ba,Io,Mi
LOUISIANA WATERTHRUSH:	1	4/27	Mayville, Tu	MW
	3	5/22	Murphy Lake SGA, Tu	JDS
CONNECTICUT WARBLER:	1	5/21	BCSRA, Ba	KK
MOURNING WARBLER:	1	5/1	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV - new SBA spring early date
	1	5/14	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS - also noted in Mi
COMMON YELLOWTHROAT:	1	4/29	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
	42	5/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK,DJP,JDS - peak count
HOODED WARBLER:	1	5/30	Big Creek Rd., Ar	RAE - 2 nd Ar record
WILSON'S WARBLER:	1	5/3	Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Mi
	2	5/25	TPSP, Io	JR
	1	5/27	Baldwin Twp., Io	RAE
CANADA WARBLER:	1	5/16	Averill Preserve, Mi	JZ - first date
	2	5/24	Sterling Truck Trail, Ar	DLJ
	1	5/25	TPSP, Io	JR
SCARLET TANAGER:	1	5/4	Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi,Sa
	5	5/16	TPSP, Io	WWS
EASTERN TOWHEE:	1	4/1 - tp	Albee Twp., Sa	JDS,JLS - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi
	6	5/18	Deford SGA, Tu	JEV - peak count
AMERICAN TREE SPARROW:	50	3/30	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP,EMP - peak count - also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Sa,Tu
	1	4/29	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP,EMP - last date
CHIPPING SPARROW:	1	4/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Mi,Tu
	100+	4/30	TPSP, Io	RAE,WWS - new SBA peak count
CLAY-COLORED SPARROW:	2	5/16	TPSP, Io	KO - first date - also noted in Mi,Sa
	2	5/28	Hickory Island Rd., Ar	DLJ
FIELD SPARROW:	1	3/30	Oil City, Mi	RD - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Sa,Tu
	10	4/18	Moffatt Twp., Ar	DLJ - peak count
VESPER SPARROW:	1	3/31	SNWR, Sa	DJP - first date - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
	10	4/20	Tyler Plains, Ar	DLJ - peak count
SAVANNAH SPARROW:	5	4/10	northwest Mi	RD - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Sa,Tu
	25	4/22	Moffatt Twp., Ar	DLJ - peak count
GRASSHOPPER SPARROW:	4	5/4	E. Blackmore Rd., Tu	JEV - first date
	7	5/21	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK - peak count
	1	5/24	Tuttle Marsh area, Io	JR

FOX SPARROW:	1	3/19	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP,EMP - first date
	10	4/12	Hampton Twp., Ba	- also noted in Io,Mi,Sa,Tu DLJ - peak count
SONG SPARROW:	163	5/8	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK,JDS - peak count - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
LINCOLN'S SPARROW:	1	4/30	Hampton Twp., Ba	LMA,CS,EL - first date
	1	5/16	TPSP, Io	- also noted in Mi,Sa KO - last date
SWAMP SPARROW:	1	3/5	SNWR, Sa	JEV - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
	22	4/15	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count
WHITE-THROATED SPARROW:	1	4/8	Baldwin Twp., Io	RAE - first date - also noted in Hu,Mi,Tu
	51	5/8	SNWR, Sa	JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
	6	5/20	TPSP, Io	JEV
HARRIS'S SPARROW:	1	5/2	SNWR, Sa	JDS
WHITE-CROWNED SPARROW:	1	4/29	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi,Tu
	31	5/8	SNWR, Sa	DJP,SFK,JDS - peak count
	3	5/20	TPSP, Io	GSP,EMP,JEV - last date
DARK-EYED JUNCO:	20	4/10	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV - peak count
	1	5/22	Koylton Twp., Tu	JEV - last date - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Sa
LAPLAND LONGSPUR:	73	3/18	Harbor Beach, Hu	DJP,JMS - also noted in Tu
	6	4/30	SNWR, Sa	DJP - last date
SNOW BUNTING	285	3/4	SNWR, Sa	DEP - also noted in Hu
	15	4/7	FPSWA, Tu	JEV - last date
NORTHERN CARDINAL:	22	3/3	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP,EMP- also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
	36	5/8	SNWR, Sa	JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
ROSE-BREASTED GROSBEAK:	1	4/27	CNC, Mi	KB - first date
	29	5/8	SNWR, Sa	- also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Tu JDS,SFK,DJP - peak count
INDIGO BUNTING:	1	4/17	Bridgeport Twp., Sa	LMA - new SBA spring early date
	10	5/26	SNWR, Sa	SFK - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
BOBOLINK:	2	4/30	Oil City area, Mi	RD - first date - also noted in Ba,Hu,Io,Sa
	12	5/29	Jarish Rd., Mason Twp., Ar	DLJ - peak count
RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD:	10	3/2	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - first date
	1400	3/22	FPSWA, Tu	DH - also noted in Ar,Hu,IoMi,Sa,Tu
EASTERN MEADOWLARK:	1	3/10	SNWR, Sa	SFK - first date
	13	4/20	Rubicon Twp., Hu	- also noted in Ar,Ba,Io,Mi,Tu MKE - peak count
WESTERN MEADOWLARK:	1	3/13	Little Prairie Hunt Club, Sa	SJ
	1	5/15	Brooks & May Rd., Io	SS,DF
YELLOW-HEADED BLACKBIRD:	12	4/27	NPSWA, Ba	JML
	3	5/27	Crow Island SGA, Sa	JMS
RUSTY BLACKBIRD:	6	3/9	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - first date - also noted in Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
	337	4/9	SNWR, Sa	DJP - peak count
	5	5/16	BCSRA, Ba	GSP,EMP - last date

BREWER'S BLACKBIRD:	28	5/9	Woods Rd., Io	RAE
COMMON GRACKLE:	25	3/2	Hampton Twp., Ba	JMS - first migrants
	96	4/9	SNWR, Sa	- also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Tu DEP
BROWN-HEADED COWBIRD:	2	3/8	Grindstone City, Hu	MKE - also noted in Ba,Io,Mi,Tu
	78	5/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK,JDS,DJP
ORCHARD ORIOLE:	1	5/1	Albee Twp., Sa	JDS - first date
	1	5/12	Homer Twp., Mi	MKE - also noted in Ba,Sa
	4	5/15	TPSP, Io	RAE
BALTIMORE ORIOLE:	1	4/30	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP,EMP - first date, here and in Io
	63	5/8	SNWR, Sa	- also noted in Ar,Hu,Mi,Tu DJP,SFK,JDS - peak count
PURPLE FINCH:	6	3/2	Moffatt Twp., Ar	DLJ - also noted in Ba,Mi,Sa,Tu
	25+	4/25	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS
	8	5/14	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS
HOUSE FINCH:	13	3/10	SNWR, Sa	SFK - also noted in Ba,Hu,Mi,Tu
PINE SISKIN:	1	4/30	Oil City area, Mi	RD
AMERICAN GOLDFINCH:	33	4/3	Bangor Twp., Ba	GSP,EMP - also noted in Ar,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu
	60	5/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK,DJP,JDS - peak count
EVENING GROSBEAK:	34	3/11	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS
	1	5/15	Cooke Dam area, Io	WWS
HOUSE SPARROW:	14	4/8	SNWR, Sa	SFK - also noted in Ar,Ba,Hu,Io,Mi,Tu

TOTAL: 253 Species

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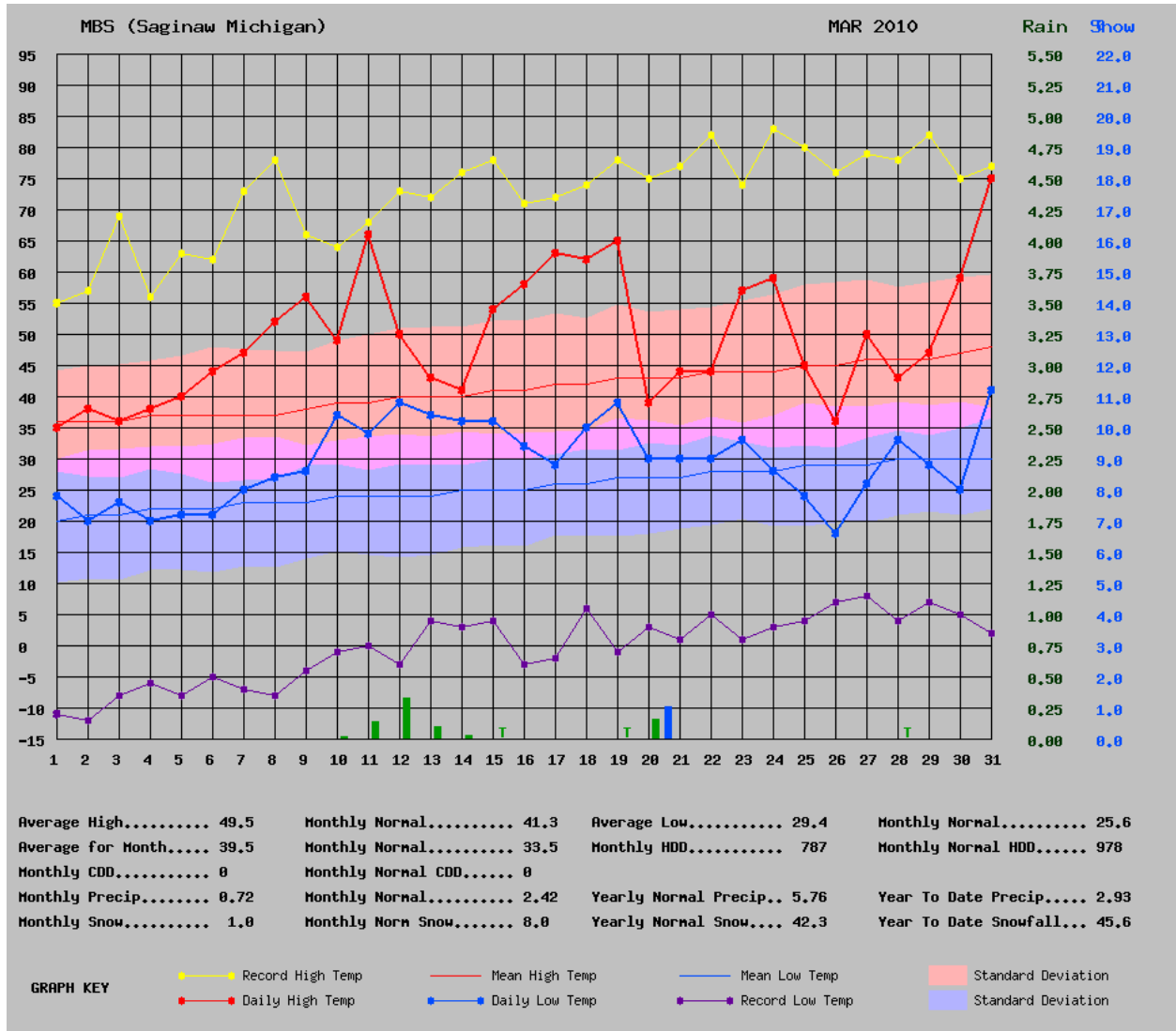
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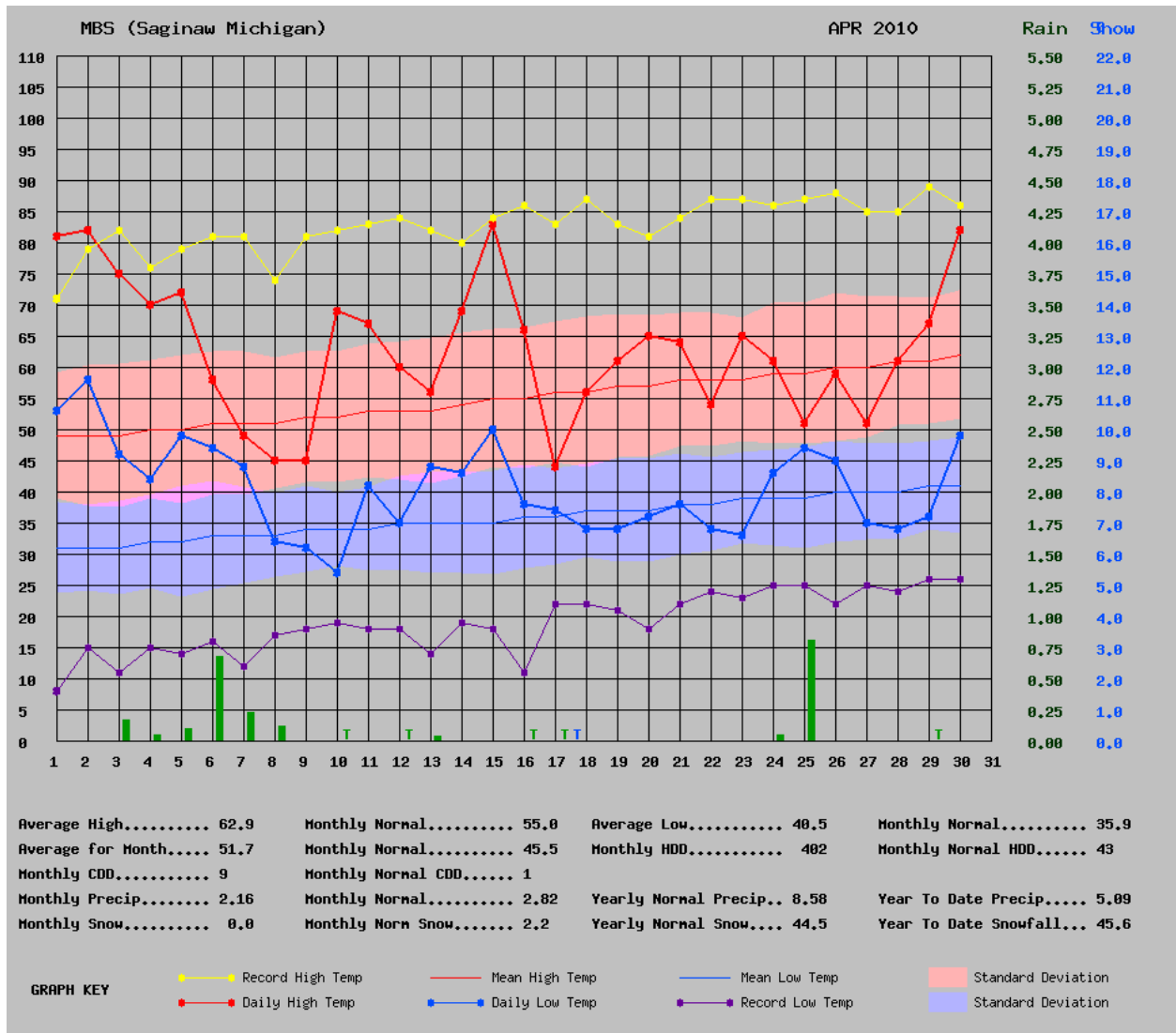
Abbreviations:

Ar	Arenac County	Mi	Midland County
Ba	Bay County	Sa	Saginaw County
BCSRA	Bay City State Recreation Area	SBA	Saginaw Bay Area
CNC	Chippewa Nature Center	SNWR	Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge
FPSWA	Fish Point State Wildlife Area	SGA	State Game Area
Hu	Huron County	tp	throughout entire period
Io	Iosco County	Tu	Tuscola County
MBRC	Michigan Bird Records Committee	WBSWA	Wigwam Bay State Wildlife Area
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