



FRIENDS OF
OTTAWA
NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

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OTTAWA NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE MONTHLY CENSUS

ROUTES: Same usual morning & afternoon routes.

TIME: 8:00am - 12:00pm; 1:35pm - 5:15pm

TEMP.: 37~43~39

COND.: Cloudy, light south winds; no snow cover - all water open.

OBS.: (Morning only): Katie Clink, Dave Myles, Al & Betty Schlecht, Tony Szilagye (partial); (All day): Ed Pierce, Jim Reyda & Douglas W. Vogus.

I. MAMMALS: 4 SPECIES.

- Virginia Opossum - 1
- Eastern Fox Squirrel - 6
- Common Muskrat - 2
- White-tailed Deer - 1 (doe)

II. BIRDS: 60 SPECIES.

- Canada Goose - 803
- Trumpeter Swan - 46
- Tundra Swan - 346
- Gadwall - 1,487
- American Wigeon - 5
- American Black Duck - 54
- Mallard - 2,590
- Northern Shoveler - 73
- Northern Pintail - 116
- Green-winged Teal - 5
- Bufflehead - 38
- Common Goldeneye - 4
- Hooded Merganser - 4
- Common Merganser - 18
- Ruddy Duck - 15
- Pied-billed Grebe - 5
- Mourning Dove - 119
- American Coot - 303
- Sandhill Crane - 41
- Killdeer - 9



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- Marbled Godwit - 3 (Moist Soil Unit 3)
- Dunlin - 4 (Moist Soil Unit 3)
- Bonaparte's Gull - 68
- Ring-billed Gull - 257
- Herring Gull - 11
- Double-crested Cormorant - 4
- Great Blue Heron - 64
- Bald Eagle - 10 (4 adult, 6 immature)
- Northern Harrier - 7
- Red-tailed Hawk - 10
- Eastern Screech-Owl - 1
- Great Horned Owl - 1
- Long-eared Owl - 4
- Red-headed Woodpecker - 6
- Red-bellied Woodpecker - 17
- Downy Woodpecker - 24
- Hairy Woodpecker - 3
- Northern Flicker - 4
- American Kestrel - 2
- Northern Shrike - 3
- Blue Jay - 44
- Horned Lark - 18
- Black-capped Chickadee - 13
- Tufted Titmouse - 2
- White-breasted Nuthatch - 18
- Brown Creeper - 3
- Winter Wren - 2
- Carolina Wren - 1
- Golden-crowned Kinglet - 2
- European Starling - 50
- House Sparrow - 7
- American Goldfinch - 12
- Yellow-rumped Warbler - 1
- American Tree Sparrow - 141
- Fox Sparrow - 8
- Song Sparrow - 10
- Swamp Sparrow - 1
- Dark-eyed Junco - 38
- Northern Cardinal - 27
- Red-winged Blackbird - 11

Thank you to Douglas W. Vogus of Akron, Ohio for compiling this list.