

Wild Feathers Project Meeting February 3rd, 2018 at Hornsby Bend Bird Observatory, Austin

Number of Attendants: 3

Decisions Made: None

Species List:

Legend: sp. = undefined species of a family

(Numeral) = number of individuals recorded

(Confirmed) = rare species confirmed by an outside expert

(Sp. Unknown) = name given by us for an unknown species

Name / name = alternate names for one species

Or = two similar species which were not defined

Name in another language = Scientific name

I = Invasive non-native species

NN = Non-invasive non-native species

R = Rare: native of the Western Hemisphere but does not normally live in the region

Birds

Ducks, Geese and Swans—Family Anatidae

Blue-winged Teal (15)

Anas discors

Ruddy Duck (40)

Oxyura jamaicensis

Northern Shoveler (600)

Anas clypeata

Green-winged Teal (13)

Anas crecca

Lesser Scaup (8)

Aythya affinis

Northern Pintail (3)

Anas acuta

Gadwall (2)

Anas strepera

Ring-necked Duck (5)

Aythya collaris

American Wigeon (1)

Anas americana

Grebes—Family Podicipedidae

Eared Grebe (2)

Podiceps nigricollis

Hérons, Bitterns and Allies—Family Ardeidae

Snowy Egret (1)

Egretta thula

New World Vultures—Family Cathartidae

Turkey Vulture (1)

Cathartes aura

Kites, Eagles, Hawks and Falcons—Families Pandionidae, Accipitridae and Falconidae

Red-shouldered Hawk (2)

Buteo lineatus

Crested Caracara (1)

Caracara cheriway

American Kestrel (1)

Falco sparverius

Rails—Families Aramididae and Rallidae

American Coot (60)

Fulica americana

Plovers and Waders-- Families Charadriidae, Jacanidae, Haematopodidae and Recurvostridae

Kildeer (3)

Charadrius vociferus

Sandpipers and Allies—Family Scolopacidae

Lesser Yellowlegs (1)

Tringa flaviceps

Least Sandpiper (20)

Calidris minutilla

Wilson's Snipe (7)

Gallinago delicata

<u>Columbiformes (Pigeons and Doves)</u> —Family Columbidae	
Mourning Dove (4)	<i>Zenaida macroura</i>
<u>Tyrant Flycatchers</u> —Family Tyrannidae	
Eastern Phoebe (4)	<i>Sayornis phoebe</i>
<u>Corvids (Jays and Allies)</u> —Family Corvidae	
Blue Jay (2)	<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>
American Crow (1)	<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>
<u>Mimids (Thrashers and Allies)</u> —Family Mimidae	
<u>Waxwings</u> —Family Bombycillidae	
Cedar Waxwing (20)	<i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>
<u>Emberizids (New Worlds Sparrows)</u> —Family Emberizidae	
Savannah Sparrow (50)	<i>Passerculus sandwichensis</i>
<u>Cardinals, Tanagers, Grosbeaks and Buntings</u> —Family Cardinalidae	
Northern Cardinal (6)	<i>Cardinalis cardinalis</i>

Plants

<u>Parsleys</u> —Apiaceae	
Hedge Parsley	<i>Torilis arvensis</i>
<u>Palms</u> —Arecaceae	
Dwarf Palmetto	<i>Sabal minor</i>
<u>Asters, Daisies, Sunflowers, Thistles and Allies</u> —Asteraceae	
Milk Thistle	<i>Silybum marianum</i>
Yellow/Texas Dandelion	
<u>Mustards</u> —Brassicaceae	
Common Giant Mustard	<i>Rapistrum rugosum</i>
<u>Cacti</u> —Cactaceae	
Prickly Pear Cactus	<i>Opuntia lindheimerii</i>
<u>Legumes</u> —Fabaceae	
Spotted Bur Clover	<i>Medicago arabica</i>
Black Medick	<i>Medicago lupulina</i>
Retama	<i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i>
<u>Oaks and Beeches</u> —Fagaceae	
Live Oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>
<u>Geraniums</u> —Geraniaceae	
Pin Clover	<i>Erodium cicutarium</i>
<u>Walnuts</u> —Juglandaceae	
Pecan	<i>Carya illinoensis</i>
<u>Mints</u> —Lamiaceae	
Common Henbit	
<u>Oxalises</u> —Oxalidaceae	
Yellow Oxalis	<i>Oxalis stricta</i>

Grasses—Poaceae

Rescuegrass

Giant Reed

Bedstraws—Rubiaceae

Grip Grass

Tiny Bluets

Sandalwoods—Santalaceae

Oak Mistletoe

Soapberries—Sapindaceae

Red Buckeye

Catbriers—Smilacaceae

Green Briar

Elms—Ulmaceae

Hackberry sp.

Grapes—Vitaceae

Mustang Grape

Bromus catharticus

Arundo donax

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Gallium aparine

Houstonia pusilla

Phoradendron serotinum

Aesculus pavia

Smilax bona-nox

Celtis sp.

Vitis mustangensis

Mammals, Reptiles, Amphibians and Fish

Reptiles and Amphibians

Turtle sp.

Mammals

Squirrel