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James J Dinsmore wrote:

>  
> By any  
> chance did you see the nest at Ledges. It was on the birdline but no one  
> reported anything to me for field reports.  
>  
> jim

Jim,

Jan Wiggers of Burlington, WA, called me on Friday, July 11 and reported that she had observed an adult Mississippi kite on a nest in the lower ledges. The nest tree was near the bathrooms that are close to the junction of the two roads that run through that part of the park.

She called me back on Monday, July 14, and reported that she had revisited the site, and the nest was gone. She said that she then talked with DNR people at the ledges (Lisa Hemesath?) and was told that they (DNR) had cleaned up the remains of the nest after it had been blown down during a weekend storm. They told Jan that there was no sign of eggs or young when they found the nest remains.

Hope this helps--

Phil

P.S. I'll send you some e-mail next week regarding a presentation to DM Audubon...thanks...