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SPECIES DATA

Double-crested Cormorant: Three were found along a creek, near Castalia, Winneshiek Co. on 11 Jun - an unexpected find on the Festina BBS.

Ruddy Duck: A female or Immature was seen at Cardinal Marsh, Winneshiek Co. on 3 July.

Northern Harrier: 1 was seen at Hayden Prairie on 20 Jul.

Cooper's Hawk: Present throughout the period at Lake Meyer Park, Winneshiek Co.; also 1 at Decorah on 10 Jul.

Caspian Tern: A flock of 8 circled low over Lake Meyer on 18 Jul, then moved on.

Ruby-throated Hummingbird: found in Allamakee and Winneshiek^{counties.}

Willow Flycatcher: a few found in Winneshiek Co.

Bank Swallow: A colony of 16 was found near Postville, Allamakee Co. on 11 Jun; also a colony of 14 near Decorah, throughout the period.

Cliff Swallow: numerous and widespread in Winneshiek Co., including 100+ at one of the Decorah bridges on 24 Jul.

Wood Thrush: found at Effigy Mounds NM, Allamakee Co.

Solitary Vireo: 1 at Lake Meyer, Winneshiek Co. on 18 Jul was unexpected.

Blue-winged Warbler: 3 singing males were at Coon Creek WA, Winneshiek Co. on 4 Jun.

Scarlet Tanager: found in Allamakee and Winneshiek counties.

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