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Good to see you at the city hall meeting the other night, Jim. Here are several recent eagle nest reports:

Palo Alto Co., 4 mi. w. of Rodman on W. DSM River. Unknown if successful.

Cass Co., 1 1/2 mi. SW of Atlantic on Nishnabotna R. Second or third year nest active--unknown outcome.

Louisa Co., 2 mi. W. of Cone Marsh on Iowa R. Unsuccessful.

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Butler Co., near Dumont, presumably on W. Fork of Cedar R.---no details on exact location or outcome of nest--yet.

20 new nests have been reported this year without our solicitation. New counties with nests include Cass, Guthrie, Cherokee, Palo Alto, and probably Warren and Marion.

I noticed recovery of eagle nesting in Missouri is gaining steadily, too. I t appears they have nearly half as many nests as Iowa now, but with more potential nest habitat, it will be interesting to see how long it takes for their nest numbers to surpass ours.

On another note, I was asked if we can bring your raptor study skins to Effigy Mds. Hawk Watch again. Could we please borrow them for the weekend of Sept. 23rd?

Finally--I would like to chat with you more about the possibility of me entering graduate school. Do you have time to meet with me at either end of the day on Aug.10th, 11th, or 14th? If that doesn't work, may I meet with you during the first week of school? Thanks for being supportive----Bruce