

BALD EAGLE NESTING IN IOWA

IMMEDIATE RELEASE

✓ DES MOINES--A bald eagle nesting in Allamakee County has been confirmed by the Iowa Conservation Commission and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

One immature eagle was found perched on a limb and another young eagle was also reportedly seen.

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Season: Summer Year: 1982Name and address Darwin Koenig

Other observers (name, city):

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Use first few lines to give weather and habitat conditions. Use line(s) below species data to give additional details, if needed. Mail to: T. H. Kent, 211 Richards St., Iowa City IA 52240

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SPECIES	NO.	DATE	LOCATION - COMMENT - OTHER OBSERVERS
✓ Least Bittern	2	12 Jun	New Albin
✓ Hooded Merganser	1	9 Jul	YRF
* " "	3	18 Jul	Lansing w/JS
✓ Bald Eagle (adult)	1	11 Jul	New Albin w/JS
✓ Cooper's Hawk	1	19 Jun	north of Effigy Mounds N.M.
✓ Red-shouldered Hawk	2	11 Jun	YRF
✓ " "	2	13 Jun	Effigy Mounds N.M.
✓ " "	1	18 Jul	north of Lansing w/JS
✓ Broad-winged Hawk	1	11 Jun	YRF
✓ Common Gallinule	11	18 Jul	Lansing adult with 10 young w/JS
✓ Upland Sandpiper	2	18 Jun	Castalia
✓ " "	1	21 Jul	near Montezuma
✓ Am. Woodcock	4	11 Jun	YRF
✓ " "	1	22 Jun	Deep River
✓ Ring-billed Gull	10	18 Jul	Lansing w/JS
✓ Forster's Tern	15	18 Jul	LD 9 w/JS
✓ Caspian Tern	1	18 Jul	LD 9 w/JS
✓ Black Tern	115	18 Jul	LD 9 w/JS
✓ Ruby-throated Hummingbird	4	11 Jun	YRF; 12 other observations during period
✓ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1	12 Jun	YRF
✓ " "	2	13 Jun	Pikes Peak S.P.
✓ " "	9	19 Jun	near Waukon Jct
✓ " "	5	18 Jul	near Lansing
✓ Willow Flycatcher	11	18 Jun	near Marquette; 10 other observations during period

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✓ Least Flycatcher	3	12 Jun	YRF
✓ "	1	18 Jun	near Marquette
✓ Brown Creeper	1	18 Jul	near Lansing
✗ Northern Mockingbird	2	21 Jun	near Searsboro
✓ Veery	12	20 Jun	White Pine Hollow S. Pre.
✗ Eastern Bluebird			10 observations during period
✗ Loggerhead Shrike	3 pairs in		Poweshiek County during period
✗ "	1	3 Jun	Hawthorne L (Mahaska Co)
✗ "	2	30 Jul	north of Lynnville
✗ White-eyed Vireo	1 all summer		at Montezuma
✓ "	1	18 Jun	Near Marquette
✓ "	1	21 Jun	near Searsboro
✓ "	1	11 Jul	YRF w/JS
✗ Bell's Vireo	1	13 Jun to 11 Jul	Decorah
✓ "	7 in		Poweshiek County during period
✓ Red-eyed Vireo	Is this species decreasing? I found more Yellow-throated (61) than Red-eyed (59) during the period.		
✗ Worm-eating Warbler	1	4 Jun	Lacy-Keosauqua S.P.
✗ Blue-winged Warbler	Only 5 observations during period, some of the traditionally prime areas are becoming too mature.		
✓ Yellow Warbler	41	18 Jun	near Marquette, many observations in other areas as well.
✗ Cerulean Warbler	8	13 Jun	Effigy Mounds N.M.
✗ Yellow-throated Warbler	1	4 Jun	Lacy-Keosauqua S.P./

