

Details of Sighting on Cedar Falls - Waterloo CBC held 12/20/98.

Red-breasted Merganser - 1, adult male

the head was green color with a shaggy looking crest at the rear of the head. There was a wide white collar around the neck. The breast was a ~~reddish~~ <sup>buffy</sup> brown, finely striped with reddish brown. The bill was a reddish orange color. The sides were grayish color. The back and flight feathers were black with some white showing in the scapular area. The upper + lower wing coverts were mostly white, showing when it stretched.