

## DOCUMENTATION FORM for extraordinary bird sightings in Iowa

What species? Pine Warbler How many? 1Location? Lake Macbride area Johnson Co.Type of habitat? deciduous woods next to lakeWhen? date(s): MAY 4, 1984 time: early AM to \_\_\_\_\_Who? your name and address: THOMAS J STAMT 931 N. Summit Iowa cityothers with you: Jim Fuller, Tom Kentothers before or after you: none

Describe the bird(s) including only what you observed. Include size, shape, details of all parts (bill, eye, head, neck, back, wing, tail, throat, breast, belly, under tail, legs, feet). Also mention voice and behavior.

Warbler sized bird with greenish-olive head, back, back and rump.  
 Back unstreaked. wings darker than upperparts with two white  
 wing bars. Throat yellow, breast yellow lightly streaked on sides.  
 Belly and under tail coverts white. White spots in under tail

## Similar species and how eliminated:

Female Cape May has streaking on the back, stronger streaks on breast.

Female Prairie has heavier streaks on side and yellow belly

Nashville has a gray head, eye ring and yellow belly

Did any one disagree or have reservations about identification? no

If yes, explain:

Viewing conditions: give lighting, distance (how measured), and optical equipment:  
clear, sun to our backs 10 to 15 yds > X binoculars

Previous experience with species and similar ones:

sightings in Florida and Minnesota ~~last~~ Summer 1983

References and persons consulted before writing description:

How long before field notes made? 5 hrs this form completed? MAY 7

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