Trip Report — Mexico: Veracruz's River of Raptors 2026

October 4-14, 2026 with Micah Riegner & Jorge Montejo-Diaz



Our group watching the stream of migrants passing over Laguna la Mancha, a wetland north of Cardel. Peregrine Falcons, Merlins, Northern Harriers, Broad-winged Hawks and Scissor-tailed Flycatchers were the primary species that morning. One of the cool aspects about the tour was seeing how migrant species composition changed throughout the day and how it changed geographically, depending on how far inland we went. Photo by guide Micah Riegner.

Timing is everything when it comes to migration. A cold front just before our tour temporarily slowed down bird movement but, fortunately for us, the weather cleared up when we arrived, releasing a backlog of migrants and concentrating jaw-dropping numbers of Broad-winged Hawks, Swainson's Hawks, Turkey Vultures, American White Pelicans and Wood Storks along the narrow corridor that is coastal Veracruz. We were perfectly positioned to

witness this spectacle (and much more) during our 10 days of birding. Our first birding spot was Playa Jiote, not far from our hotel, where we saw a vocal Gray-crowned Yellowthroat on our walk to the beach. At the beach, we had close studies of Least, Western and Semipalmated sandpipers, Sanderlings, and Semipalmated, Wilson's and Black-bellied plover, all in super light. Laughing Gulls were also lined up on the sand, along with Sandwich and Royal Terns. Back at the van, we saw a Plain Chachalaca calling from a palm, its voice still audible despite the background traffic. After the breakfast buffet at the hotel, we loaded bags and left for Cardel, our base for the next several days. Our hotel, the Hotel Bienvenido, is, conveniently, one of the two hawkwatch points in town, the other being Chichicaxlte, a few miles inland. We ordered lunch from the restaurant on the 5th floor and, while we waited, we watched clouds of Broad-winged Hawks lifting on thermals and streaming south. The hawk counters were busy with their clickers, keeping tabs on the swarms of raptors that appeared more like clouds of mosquitoes on the horizon. After lunch, we visited Chichicaxtle, where we saw a few Cooper's Hawks moving through, and a Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl getting mobbed by Blue-gray Gnatcatchers and Northern Yellow Warblers. Then, we crossed Puente Nacional, the bridge built to shuttle Hernan Cortez across the Rio Antigua to eventually reach the Aztec city of Tenochtitlan. We walked the road beyond the bridge and saw some Double-striped Thick-knees, Aplomado Flacons and our first Veracruz Wrens.

The following day we visited Playa Juan Angel. Northern Jacanas and Pied-billed Grebes were at the river mouth along with Black-necked Stilts. We walked around in the dunes and found our primary target: Slender Sheartail, a Mexican endemic found mostly in the Yucatan, but also locally in coastal Veracruz. Our bird was a young male with flecks of fuchsia beginning to show in its gorget. We saw over 80 species that morning, but the other main highlights were Canivet's Emerald, Brown-crested Flycatcher, Common Black Hawk, another close Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl, and lots of migrant Kestrels, Merlins, and Peregrines streaming by. Great Blue Herons were on the move too, flying south along the beach in groups of 15 or so. Along the walk back to the van, we saw a Mexican Cycadian, a gorgeous butterfly that

specializes on cycads as a host plant. We came back to lunch in time to see more impressive kettles of Broad-winged Hawks with Turkey Vultures moving across the landscape. A few Mississippi Kites were mixed in, too. They tend to migrate earlier in the season, so we were catching the last stragglers. We had lunch, then left for another visit to Chichicaxtle. As we loaded into the van, we saw huge numbers of White Pelicans streaming over the parking lot then disappearing into the billowing clouds. At Chichicaxtle, Jorge gave us a talk about Pronatura, the Mexican NGO that supports the hawkwatch project, then we spent the last hour of the day watching large flocks of Wood Storks moving low overhead, and our first Scrub Euphonias.

We left early the next morning for Laguna La Mancha, an extensive wetland system north of Cardel. We birded the entrance road, where we saw Russet-naped Woodrails, several Common Yellowthroats, a roosting Northern Potoo that Jorge had been keeping tabs on, Olive-throated Parakeets, and a pair of Black-headed Trogons. Kestrels, Peregrines, Accipiters, Dickcissels and Scissor-tailed Flycatchers were constantly streaming by. At the lagoon, we saw Military Macaws—escaped birds, apparently, that had been there for several years. From there, we could see our first big groups of Swainson's Hawks circling over the mountains, working their way south to their wintering grounds in Argentina. We then visited the archaeological site of Quiahuitzlan, where more raptors were kettling, including a pair of Great Black Hawks, resident birds, I presume. We had lunch back at our hotel and watched more close groups of Broad-wings over the restaurant, our best views yet. We had a short break, then left for the town of Antigua, where Jorge gave us a tour of the house of Hernan Cortez that later became an immigration checkpoint, and the first church built on mainland America. We then did a boat tour on the Rio Antigua and, despite some rain. we saw a Northern Neotropical River Otter, several Yellow-crowned Night Herons, Amazon and Ringed Kingfishers and a number of shorebirds at the river mouth. We had dinner at a nearby restaurant and enjoyed some local ice cream for dessert.

The next morning, we found ourselves back at Puente Nacional to try for Yellow-headed Amazon, which we missed during our first visit. We saw a couple fly through at a distance, then we had nice close views of a pair perched on some nearby trees. Fantastico! This is a bird that has been nailed by the pet trade and extirpated from much of its range. The falcons were well represented that morning, with Peregrines, Kestrels, Aplomados, Merlins, a Laughing Falcon (heard only) and a distant Bat Falcon. After a bathroom break in El Crucero, we birded the bridge over the Rio Santa Maria. As usual, lots of migrants were passing through overhead. Among the migrant Broad-wings and Swainsons Hawks, Jorge picked out a Hook-billed Kite with paddle-shaped wings. A Green Kingfisher sat on a tree above the river and some Spot-breasted Wrens called from the vine tangles. We were on our way back to the hotel when we saw an enormous kettle of hawks, so we jumped out to see what they were. They were mostly Broad-wings and Swainson's. Back at the hotel we did a bit more hawkwatching, seeing a nice dark morph Short-tailed Hawk and another Hook-billed Kite. In the afternoon we returned to Chichicaxtle were we had a pleasant afternoon watching American White Pelicans and Wood Storks. In the trees surrounding the observation platform we saw Indigo Bunting, Yellow-winged Tanagers and Baltimore Orioles.



Besides the multitude of migrants, we also saw numerous resident species like this (Bronze-winged) Golden-olive Woodpecker near Xalapa. Photo by guide Micah Riegner.

We had an early start the next morning to reach the flooded grasslands of Barrancas at a reasonable time. It was drizzling a bit at first, but then it cleared up nicely. Certainly, the best bird of the morning was Pinnated Bittern not far from an American Bittern. What a cool comparison! On the American Bittern we could see the rich brown cheeks, which were lacking in the Pinnated. We also picked up another Mexican Sheartail (female), a Northern Bobwhite, Lesser Yellow-headed Vultures, Fork-tailed Flycatchers, a flyover Wilson's Snipe and lots of Black-bellied Whistling Ducks. From Barrancas, we headed south to Tlacotalpan for lunch at a restaurant overlooking the Rio Papaloapan, the river draining from the mountains of Oaxaca. After lunch we toured around town and got some paletas try to stay cool in the heat. We headed back toward Cardel, making a stop along a dirt road where we tried for Fuertes's Oriole. We saw several females but no adult males. With the afternoon heat still intense, we kept the stop brief.

Alas, it was time to leave the steamy lowlands of Cardel and head for the cooler cloud forests of Xalapa. Along the way, we birded around Laguna Miradores. The cloud cover kept things cool and prolonged the bird activity throughout the morning. We wandered around the various side roads and saw Grass Wren, Botteri's Sparrows, a single Lincoln's Sparrow, several Tropical/Northern Mockingbird hybrids, Baltimore, Altamira and Orchard orioles, and a female Rose-breasted Grosbeak. We continued up in elevation toward Xalapa, and birded at Parque Natura, where we saw Rusty Sparrows, the Bronze-winged subspecies of Golden-Olive Woodpecker (a long overdue split), numerous Black-throated Green Warblers, and a young Collared Forest-Falcon getting mobbed by the resident Brown Jays. It started raining, so we headed to our hotel where we caught the end of the breakfast buffet, then checked into the rooms. That afternoon, we birded Jorge's backyard at Parque el Haya. We watched the hummingbird feeders, which attracted dozens of Azure-crowned Hummingbirds, Wedge-tailed Sabrewings and a few Rivoli's Hummingbirds. We walked the loop at El Haya and saw Smoky-brown Woodpecker, Red-throated Ant-Tanagers, some distant Gray Silky-Flycatchers and some close White-fronted Amazons. Vaux's, White-collared and Chestnut-collared Swifts were circling overhead.



One of the many kettles of Broad-winged Hawks we saw during our time at Cardel. If you look closely, you can pick out a number of Swainson's Hawks too (larger than the Broad-wings and with longer wings). Photo by guide Micah Riegner.

Our exploration of Xalapa continued at Parque Macuiltepetl. Along the way up, we saw Blue-capped Motmots, Common Squirrel Cuckoo, two Ferruginous Pygmy-Owls, an Amethyst-throated Mountain-Gem, White-winged Tanagers and Nashville, Wilson's, Hooded and MacGillivray's warblers. We had lunch at a nice seafood place owned by Jorge's friend, then we visited the Museum of Anthropology where Jorge gave us another history lesson.

The next day we headed up in elevation and had a picnic breakfast at Cañada Las Minas. While we were eating, we could hear Bearded Wood-Partridges calling from down in the canyon. After breakfast we walked farther along the road and saw close White-throated Swifts as well as Slate-throated

Redstarts, Golden-browed Warblers and some Brown-throated House Wrens. We then drove to a bend in the road where we tried for Hooded Yellowthroat, but it wouldn't come into view. Some folks got glimpses of it as it shot from bush to bush. In that same area we saw Buff-breasted Flycatcher, Dusky Flycatcher, and heard both Russet and Ruddy-capped Nightingale-Thrushes. A Cooper's Hawk circled alongside a resident Redtail, which was cool to watch. We drove down the road another few minutes and walked a side road where we heard White-breasted Nuthatches and saw Red Warblers in a feeding flock with Mexican Chickadees. Tufted Flycatchers were buzzing around, too. We continued to the base of Cofre del Perote and walked a side road into the woods. Strickland's Woodpecker, our primary target, showed up sooner than I expected. We also saw Golden-crowned Kinglets up in the canopy, several Olive Warblers, Brown Creepers and Pine Flycatcher. Along the main road, we saw Rufous-capped Brushfinch, Collared Towhee and Striped Sparrow, then we headed down to the town of Perote for lunch. After lunch we stopped at Caja de Agua for Transvolcanic Jays, of which there were many, then we worked our way across the valley to Los Humeros. Along the way we saw a distant Prairie Falcon flying through the clouds. At Los Humeros we tried for Ocellated Thrasher. It called back a couple times but then went silent. Darn. (Sumichrast's) Woodhouse's Scrub-Jays were easier to see. We made one last stop for Lucifer Hummingbird, then headed back down to Xalapa. Along the way we saw a Barn Owl out in broad daylight. It was much darker than the Barn Owls I'm used to seeing. Very strange. We had dinner back at our hotel.



Passerines were on the move too, like this Scissor-tailed Flycatcher photographed by guide Jorge Montejo. The majority of passerines were migrating at night. We had fun watching them pass by our hotel in Cardel with our thermal scopes.

For our final day of birding, we left Xalapa and drove down in elevation to the town of Chavarrillo where we birded along some railroad tracks. We made a brief stop along the way to appreciate glorious Pico de Orizaba, Mexico's highest mountain with a height of 18,500 feet. Along our walk, we saw Acorn Woodpeckers, several White-eyed Vireos, some flyover Red-lored Amazons, an Ivory-billed Woodcreeper, and big flocks of Montezuma Oropendolas. We saw some cool butterflies, too, including Big-spotted Beamer and Spotlight Catone. We continued down to Cardel finding Plain-breasted Ground-Doves off the highway. We had a lunch again at the Hotel Bienvenido. Migration was slow compared to the week before, but we added a juvenile White-tailed Hawk that resembled a Swainson's but with a long silvery tail. We checked Chichicaxtle, too, to see if there was much going on over there—there was just a trickle of Wood Storks and a Sharpie here and there...nothing compared to what it was the week before. We headed to

Hotel Mocambo in Ciudad Veracruz, checked into the rooms, then did the checklist at the outdoor tables before a final dinner at a nice restaurant on the beach, wrapping up a great tour in Veracruz.

Jorge and I would like to thank Nicole in our office for all her behind-the-scenes logistical support, Jorge, our fabulous driver, and you all for a fun week-and-a-half in Mexico. *Hasta la proxima*!


This is a great tour to see Double-striped Thick-knees! Photo by guide Micah Riegner.

Mammals
Red-bellied Squirrel (*Sciurus aureogaster*) The common squirrels we saw just about everywhere.
Northern Neotropical River Otter (*Lontra annectens*) A brief encounter during our boat trip.

Reptiles
Eastern Mexican Spiny-Tailed Iguana (*Ctenosaura acanthura*) Seen at the ruins at Quiahuitzlan.
Rose-bellied Lizard (*Sceloporus variabilis*)--the lizards we encountered in the lowlands.



Late afternoon is when most of the Wood Storks were on the move. This big flock we saw at Chichicaxtle, one of the Pronatura hawkwatch platforms. Photo by guide Jorge Montejo.

Butterflies (compiled by tour participants Steve Boyce and Chris Daly—thanks, guys!)
Plain Longtail (*Urbanus simplicius*)
Blue-eyed Sailor (*Dynamine dyonis)*
Four-spotted Sailor (*Dynamine postverta)*
Mexican Cycadian (*Eumaeus toxea*)
Dingy Purplewing (*Eunica monima*)

Dina Yellow (*Eurema dina*)
Carolina Satyr (*Hermeuptychia sosybius*)
Common/White Checkered-Skipper (*Pyrgus communis/albescens*)
Turk's-cap White-Skipper (*Heliopetes macaira*)
East-Mexican White-Skipper (*Heliopetes sublinea*)
Glassy-winged Skipper (*Xenophanes ruatanensis*)
Burns' Checkered-Skipper (*Burnsius burnsi*)
Guatemalan Crescent (*Tegosa guatemalena*)
Eastern-tailed Blue (*Everes comyntas*)
Klug's Dircenna (Clearwing) (*Dircenna klugii*)
Yellow-tipped Flasher (*Astraptes anaphus*)
White Theope (*Theope pieridoides*)
Giant Swallowtail (*Papilio cresphontes*)
Ceraunus Blue (*Hemiargus ceraunus*)
Celadon Sister (*Adelpha serpa*)
Crimson Patch (*Chlosyne janais*)
Ardent Crescent (*Phyciodes ardys*)
Longwing Crescent (*Eresia phillyra*)
Brown Crescent (*Anthanassa atronia*)
Anna's Eighty-eight (*Diaethra anna*)
Thick-tipped Greta (*Greta morgane*)
Pointed Clearwing (*Pterynimia artena*)
Salvin's Clearwing (*Episcada salvinia*)
Golden-banded Dartwhite (*Catasticta teutila*)
Tiger Mimic-Queen (*Lycorea cleobaea*)
Disturbed Tigerwing (*Mechanitis polymnia*)
Pearly Leafwing (*Consul electra*)
Mexican Silverspot (*Dione moneta*)
Three-tailed Swallowtail (*Papilio pilumnus*)
Western Giant Swallowtail (*Heraclides rumiko*)
Spot-celled Sister (*Adelpha basiloides*)
Veracruz Sister (*Adelpha leucerioides*)
Orange-striped Sister (*Adelpha leuceria*)
Mexican Heliconian (*Heliconius hortense*)
Splendid Mapwing (*Hypanartia godmanii*)

Tiger Heliconian (*Heliconius ismenius*)
Zebra Heliconian (*Heliconius charithonia*)
Starred Oxeo (*Oxeoschistus taropolis*)
Isabella's Heliconian (*Eueides isabella*)
Mexican Pine-Satyr (*Paramacera xicaque*)
Mexican Comma (*Polygonia gargenteum*)
Reakirt's Blue (*Hemiargus isola*)
One-Spotted Prepona (*Archaeoprepona amphimachus*)
Common Morpho (*Morpho helenor*)
Queen (*Danaus gilippus*)
Narrow-banded Dartwhite (*Catasticta flisa*)
Mexican Dartwhite (*Catasticta nimbice*)
Big-spotted Beamer (*Phocides belus*)
Variable Cattleheart (*Parides erithalion*)
Rusty-tipped Page (*Siproeta epaphus*)
Malachite (*Siproeta stelenes*)
Great Southern White (*Ascia monuste*)
Florida White (*Appias drusilla*)
Cloudless Sulphur (*Phoebis senna*)
Large Orange Sulphur (*Phoebis agarithe*)
Apricot Sulphur (*Phoebis argante*)
Banded Peacock (*Anartia fatima*)
White Peacock (*Anartia jatrophae*)
Julia Heliconian (*Dryas iulia*)
Red-bordered Pixie (*Melanis pixe*)
Sickle-winged Skipper (*Achlodes thraso*)
Stoplight Catone (*Catonephele numilia*)
Navy Eighty-eight (*Diaethra astala*)
Barred Yellow (*Eurema daira*)
Plain Satyr (*Cissia pompilia*)
Gray Cracker (*Hamadryas februa*)
Variable Cracker (*Hamadryas feronia*)
Common Mestra (*Mestra amymone*)
(no common name) (*Dircenna kolijkensis*)

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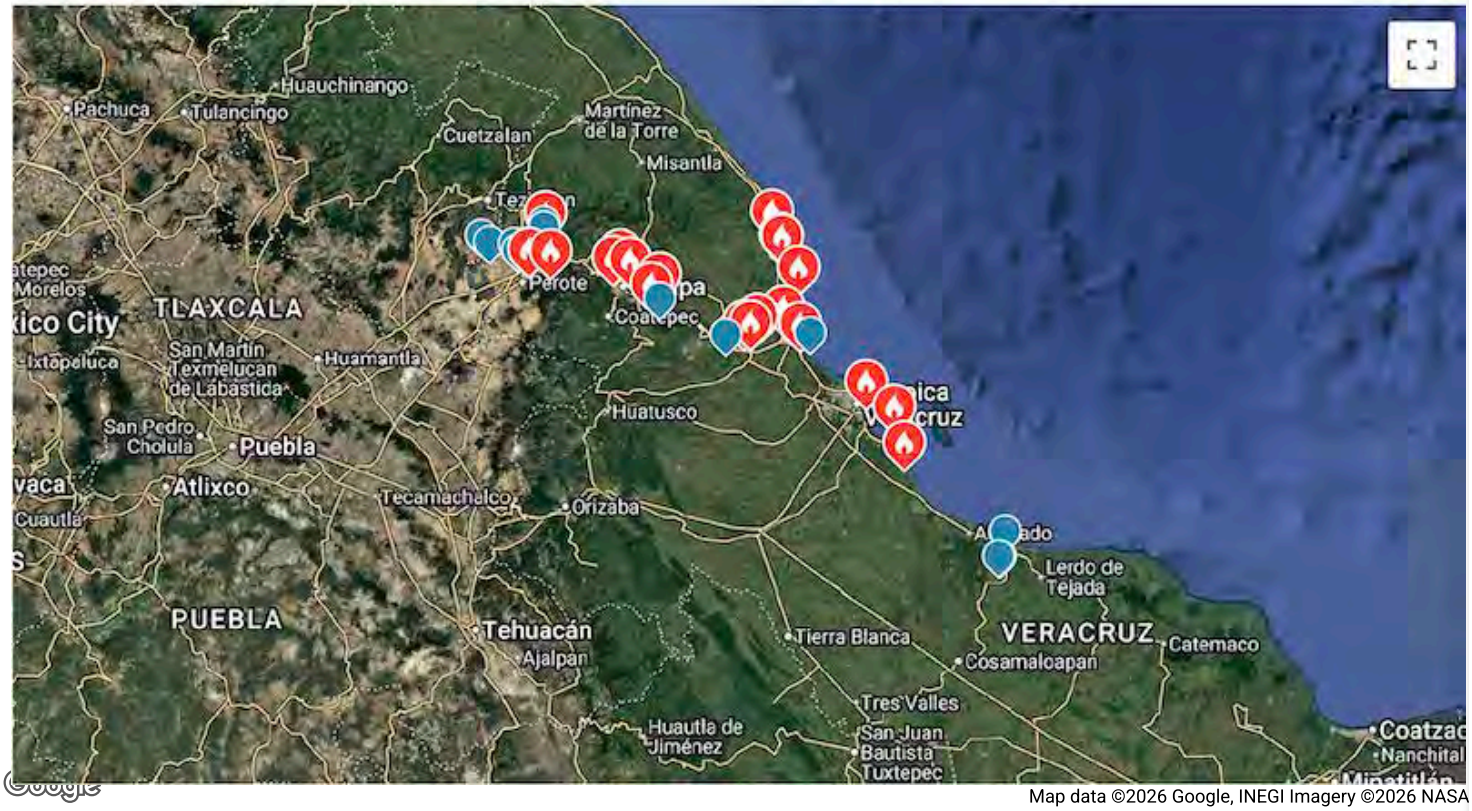

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Species Observed

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153	Black-bellied Whistling-Duck	*Dendrocygna autumnalis*	3
1	Muscovy Duck	*Cairina moschata*	1
8	Blue-winged Teal	*Spatula discors*	3
15	Plain Chachalaca	*Ortalis vetula*	6
5	Bearded Wood-Partridge	*Dendrortyx barbatus*	1
2	Northern Bobwhite	*Colinus virginianus*	2
66	Rock Pigeon	*Columba livia* *	5
50	Red-billed Pigeon	*Patagioenas flavirostris*	10
8	Eurasian Collared-Dove	*Streptopelia decaocto* *	6
24	Inca Dove	*Columbina inca*	9
4	Common Ground Dove	*Columbina passerina*	2
2	Plain-breasted Ground Dove	*Columbina minuta*	1
6	Ruddy Ground Dove	*Columbina talpacoti*	2
2	White-tipped Dove	*Leptotila verreauxi*	1
6431	White-winged Dove	*Zenaida asiatica*	10
60	Mourning Dove	*Zenaida macroura*	10
18	Groove-billed Ani	*Crotophaga sulcirostris*	9
9	Common Squirrel-Cuckoo	*Piaya cayana*	6
1	Northern Potoo	*Nyctibius jamaicensis*	1
5	Chestnut-collared Swift	*Streptoprocne rutila*	2

46	White-collared Swift	*Streptoprocne zonaris*	2
17	Vaux's Swift	*Chaetura vauxi*	2
30	White-throated Swift	*Aeronautes saxatalis*	1
2	Rivoli's Hummingbird	*Eugenes fulgens*	1
1	Amethyst-throated Mountain-gem	*Lampornis amethystinus*	1
3	Mexican Sheartail	*Doricha eliza*	3
2	Lucifer Hummingbird	*Calothorax lucifer*	1
7	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	*Archilochus colubris*	6
4	Canivet's Emerald	*Cynanthus canivetii*	3
13	Wedge-tailed Sabrewing	*Pampa curvipennis*	3
22	Azure-crowned Hummingbird	*Saucerottia cyanocephala*	2
10	Buff-bellied Hummingbird	*Amazilia yucatanensis*	9
2	Russet-naped Wood-Rail	*Aramides albiventris*	1
2	Common Gallinule	*Gallinula galeata*	1
2	American Coot	*Fulica americana*	1
3	Limpkin	*Aramus guarauna*	2
13	Double-striped Thick-knee	*Hesperoburhinus bistriatus*	3
48	Black-necked Stilt	*Himantopus mexicanus*	5
65	American Avocet	*Recurvirostra americana*	5
6	Black-bellied Plover	*Pluvialis squatarola*	3
12	Semipalmated Plover	*Charadrius semipalmatus*	4
2	Wilson's Plover	*Anarhynchus wilsonia*	1
1	Collared Plover	*Anarhynchus collaris*	1

6	Northern Jacana	*Jacana spinosa*	2
2	Long-billed Curlew	*Numenius americanus*	1
2	Wilson's Snipe	*Gallinago delicata*	1
5	Spotted Sandpiper	*Actitis macularius*	5
15	Prairie Willet	*Tringa inornata*	3
6	Greater Yellowlegs	*Tringa melanoleuca*	2
2	Ruddy Turnstone	*Arenaria interpres*	2
34	Sanderling	*Calidris alba*	3
1	Least Sandpiper	*Calidris minutilla*	1
1	Western Sandpiper	*Calidris mauri*	1
1	Semipalmated Sandpiper	*Calidris pusilla*	1
13	Laughing Gull	*Leucophaeus atricilla*	5
26	Black Skimmer	*Rynchops niger*	2
28	Sandwich Tern	*Thalasseus sandvicensis*	4
13	Royal Tern	*Thalasseus maximus*	2
7	Least Grebe	*Tachybaptus dominicus*	3
3	Pied-billed Grebe	*Podilymbus podiceps*	1
1257	Wood Stork	*Mycteria americana*	14
26	Magnificent Frigatebird	*Fregata magnificens*	7
32	Anhinga	*Anhinga anhinga*	4
32	Neotropic Cormorant	*Nannopterum brasilianum*	5
86	White Ibis	*Eudocimus albus*	5
5	White-faced Ibis	*Plegadis chihi*	3

2	Roseate Spoonbill *Platalea ajaja*	1
1	American Bittern *Botaurus lentiginosus*	1
1	Pinnated Bittern *Botaurus pinnatus*	1
3	Yellow-crowned Night Heron *Nyctanassa violacea*	2
1	Black-crowned Night Heron *Nycticorax nycticorax*	1
6	Little Blue Heron *Egretta caerulea*	5
17	Tricolored Heron *Egretta tricolor*	7
7	Reddish Egret *Egretta rufescens*	3
4	Snowy Egret *Egretta thula*	4
24	Green Heron *Butorides virescens*	8
153	Western Cattle-Egret *Ardea ibis*	8
5	Great Egret *Ardea alba*	5
258	Great Blue Heron *Ardea herodias*	7
2253	American White Pelican *Pelecanus erythrorhynchos*	6
78	Brown Pelican *Pelecanus occidentalis*	5
276	Black Vulture *Coragyps atratus*	14
2679	Turkey Vulture *Cathartes aura*	9
2	Lesser Yellow-headed Vulture *Cathartes burrovianus*	1
24	Osprey *Pandion haliaetus*	14
2	White-tailed Kite *Elanus leucurus*	1
1	Hook-billed Kite *Chondrohierax uncinatus*	1
50	Sharp-shinned Hawk *Accipiter striatus*	12
36	Cooper's Hawk *Astur cooperii*	14

10	Northern Harrier *Circus hudsonius*	4
32	Mississippi Kite *Ictinia mississippiensis*	8
3	Common Black Hawk *Buteogallus anthracinus*	3
2	Great Black Hawk *Buteogallus urubitinga*	1
9	Roadside Hawk *Rupornis magnirostris*	5
1	White-tailed Hawk *Geranoaetus albicaudatus*	1
4	Gray Hawk *Buteo plagiatus*	4
118,394	Broad-winged Hawk *Buteo platypterus*	14
6	Zone-tailed Hawk *Buteo albonotatus*	3
5	Short-tailed Hawk *Buteo brachyurus*	4
875	Swainson's Hawk *Buteo swainsoni*	7
1	Red-tailed Hawk *Buteo jamaicensis*	1
1	American Barn Owl *Tyto furcata*	1
13	Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl *Glaucidium brasilianum*	9
2	Black-headed Trogon *Trogon melanocephalus*	1
1	Gartered Violaceous Trogon *Trogon caligatus*	1
4	Blue-capped Motmot *Momotus coeruliceps*	2
3	Ringed Kingfisher *Megaceryle torquata*	3
3	Belted Kingfisher *Megaceryle alcyon*	3
3	Amazon Kingfisher *Chloroceryle amazona*	3
1	Green Kingfisher *Chloroceryle americana*	1
1	Keel-billed Toucan *Ramphastos sulfuratus*	1
7	Acorn Woodpecker *Melanerpes formicivorus*	2

20	Golden-fronted Woodpecker	*Melanerpes aurifrons*	15
4	Ladder-backed Woodpecker	*Dryobates scalaris*	4
1	Smoky-brown Woodpecker	*Leuconotopicus fumigatus*	1
2	Strickland's Woodpecker	*Leuconotopicus stricklandi*	1
3	Lineated Woodpecker	*Dryocopus lineatus*	3
4	Golden-olive Woodpecker	*Colaptes rubiginosus*	2
2	Northern Flicker	*Colaptes auratus*	1
1	Laughing Falcon	*Herpetotheres cachinnans*	1
2	Collared Forest-Falcon	*Micrastur semitorquatus*	2
9	Crested Caracara	*Caracara plancus*	2
355	American Kestrel	*Falco sparverius*	12
4	Merlin	*Falco columbarius*	2
15	Aplomado Falcon	*Falco femoralis*	6
1	Bat Falcon	*Falco rufigularis*	1
25	Peregrine Falcon	*Falco peregrinus*	12
1	Prairie Falcon	*Falco mexicanus*	1
3	Monk Parakeet	*Myiopsitta monachus* *	1
2	Red-lored Amazon	*Amazona autumnalis*	1
4	Yellow-headed Amazon	*Amazona oratrix* Sensitive	1
6	White-fronted Amazon	*Amazona albifrons*	2
17	Olive-throated Parakeet	*Eupsittula nana*	4
1	Ivory-billed Woodcreeper	*Xiphorhynchus flavigaster*	1
4	Masked Tityra	*Tityra semifasciata*	3

2	Rose-throated Becard *Pachyramphus aglaiae*	1
3	Common Tody-Flycatcher *Todirostrum cinereum*	2
1	Yellow-olive Flatbill *Tolmomyias sulphurescens*	1
1	Northern Beardless-Tyrannulet *Camptostoma imberbe*	1
1	Tawny Tufted-Flycatcher *Mitrephanes phaeocercus*	1
3	Olive-sided Flycatcher *Contopus cooperi*	2
2	Greater Pewee *Contopus pertinax*	2
1	Western Wood-Pewee *Contopus sordidulus*	1
5	Eastern Wood-Pewee *Contopus virens*	4
9	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher *Empidonax flaviventris*	6
12	Least Flycatcher *Empidonax minimus*	8
1	Dusky Flycatcher *Empidonax oberholseri*	1
1	Pine Flycatcher *Empidonax affinis*	1
2	Western Flycatcher *Empidonax difficilis*	1
1	Buff-breasted Flycatcher *Empidonax fulvifrons*	1
1	Black Phoebe *Sayornis nigricans*	1
1	Say's Phoebe *Sayornis saya*	1
8	Vermilion Flycatcher *Pyrocephalus rubinus*	5
2	Dusky-capped Flycatcher *Myiarchus tuberculifer*	2
5	Great Crested Flycatcher *Myiarchus crinitus*	5
2	Brown-crested Flycatcher *Myiarchus tyrannulus*	2
10	Great Kiskadee *Pitangus sulphuratus*	8
14	Boat-billed Flycatcher *Megarynchus pitangua*	5

17	Social Flycatcher	*Myiozetetes similis*	8
27	Tropical Kingbird	*Tyrannus melancholicus*	13
2	Couch's Kingbird	*Tyrannus couchii*	1
5	Eastern Kingbird	*Tyrannus tyrannus*	3
253	Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	*Tyrannus forficatus*	7
2	Fork-tailed Flycatcher	*Tyrannus savana*	1
1	Rufous-browed Peppershrike	*Cyclarhis gujanensis*	1
5	White-eyed Vireo	*Vireo griseus*	3
1	Hutton's Vireo	*Vireo huttoni*	1
1	Cassin's Vireo	*Vireo cassinii*	1
1	Blue-headed Vireo	*Vireo solitarius*	1
1	Loggerhead Shrike	*Lanius ludovicianus*	1
27	Brown Jay	*Cyanocorax morio*	9
4	Green Jay	*Cyanocorax yncas*	1
4	Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay	*Aphelocoma woodhouseii*	1
11	Transvolcanic Jay	*Aphelocoma ultramarina*	1
6	Mexican Chickadee	*Poecile sclateri*	2
3	Black-crested Titmouse	*Baeolophus atricristatus*	1
1	Horned Lark	*Eremophila alpestris*	1
4	Bank Swallow	*Riparia riparia*	2
3	Mangrove Swallow	*Tachycineta albilinea*	1
1	Violet-green Swallow	*Tachycineta thalassina*	1
8	Purple Martin	*Progne subis*	2

8	Gray-breasted Martin *Progne chalybea*	3
304	Northern Rough-winged Swallow *Stelgidopteryx serripennis*	12
268	Barn Swallow *Hirundo rustica*	10
662	Cliff Swallow *Petrochelidon pyrrhonota*	7
7	Bushtit *Psaltriparus minimus*	1
2	Golden-crowned Kinglet *Regulus satrapa*	1
1	White-breasted Nuthatch *Sitta carolinensis*	1
1	Brown Creeper *Certhia americana*	1
23	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher *Polioptila caerulea*	13
3	Northern House Wren *Troglodytes aedon*	1
1	Grass Wren *Cistothorus platensis*	1
1	Bewick's Wren *Thryomanes bewickii*	1
19	Band-backed Wren *Campylorhynchus zonatus*	6
11	Veracruz Wren *Campylorhynchus rufinucha*	5
2	Spot-breasted Wren *Pheugopedius maculipectus*	2
3	Gray-breasted Wood-Wren *Henicorhina leucophrys*	1
2	Blue Mockingbird *Melanotis caerulescens*	1
1	Curve-billed Thrasher *Toxostoma curvirostre*	1
1	Ocellated Thrasher *Toxostoma ocellatum*	1
3	Tropical Mockingbird *Mimus gilvus*	1
2	Northern Mockingbird *Mimus polyglottos*	2
2	Brown-backed Solitaire *Myadestes occidentalis*	1
1	Russet Nightingale-Thrush *Catharus occidentalis*	1

2	Ruddy-capped Nightingale-Thrush *Catharus frantzii*	2
9	Clay-colored Thrush *Turdus grayi*	6
9	Gray Silky-flycatcher *Ptiliogonys cinereus*	3
6	Olive Warbler *Peucedramus taeniatus*	2
6	House Sparrow *Passer domesticus* *	2
10	Scrub Euphonia *Euphonia affinis*	6
2	Yellow-throated Euphonia *Euphonia hirundinacea*	2
1	House Finch *Haemorhous mexicanus*	1
1	Pine Siskin *Spinus pinus*	1
15	Lesser Goldfinch *Spinus psaltria*	3
1	Common Chlorospingus *Chlorospingus flavopectus*	1
2	Botteri's Sparrow *Peucaea botterii*	1
6	Lark Sparrow *Chondestes grammacus*	4
4	Yellow-eyed Junco *Junco phaeonotus*	1
2	Striped Sparrow *Oriturus superciliosus*	1
1	Lincoln's Sparrow *Melospiza lincolnii*	1
1	Canyon Towhee *Melozone fusca*	1
4	Rusty Sparrow *Aimophila rufescens*	1
1	Collared Towhee *Pipilo ocai*	1
1	Rufous-capped Brushfinch *Atlapetes pileatus*	1
20	Yellow-breasted Chat *Icteria virens*	9
10	Eastern Meadowlark *Sturnella magna*	1
2	Yellow-billed Cacique *Amblycercus holosericeus*	2

24	Montezuma Oropendola	*Psarocolius montezuma*	5
5	Orchard Oriole	*Icterus spurius*	3
15	Altamira Oriole	*Icterus gularis*	8
3	Audubon's Oriole	*Icterus graduacauda*	3
14	Baltimore Oriole	*Icterus galbula*	8
8	Bronzed Cowbird	*Molothrus aeneus*	2
26	Melodious Blackbird	*Dives dives*	8
58	Great-tailed Grackle	*Quiscalus mexicanus*	11
2	Ovenbird	*Seiurus aurocapilla*	2
2	Louisiana Waterthrush	*Parkesia motacilla*	2
3	Northern Waterthrush	*Parkesia noveboracensis*	3
1	Blue-winged Warbler	*Vermivora cyanoptera*	1
8	Black-and-white Warbler	*Mniotilta varia*	8
1	Tennessee Warbler	*Leiothlypis peregrina*	1
1	Orange-crowned Warbler	*Leiothlypis celata*	1
3	Nashville Warbler	*Leiothlypis ruficapilla*	3
3	Gray-crowned Yellowthroat	*Geothlypis poliocephala*	3
2	MacGillivray's Warbler	*Geothlypis tolmiei*	2
3	Common Yellowthroat	*Geothlypis trichas*	2
3	Hooded Yellowthroat	*Geothlypis nelsoni*	2
3	Hooded Warbler	*Setophaga citrina*	3
9	American Redstart	*Setophaga ruticilla*	5
4	Northern Parula	*Setophaga americana*	3

3	Tropical Parula *Setophaga pitiayumi*	1
6	Magnolia Warbler *Setophaga magnolia*	5
9	Northern Yellow Warbler *Setophaga aestiva*	6
3	Yellow-throated Warbler *Setophaga dominica*	3
2	Townsend's Warbler *Setophaga townsendi*	2
1	Hermit Warbler *Setophaga occidentalis*	1
6	Black-throated Green Warbler *Setophaga virens*	4
2	Golden-browed Warbler *Basileuterus belli*	1
1	Golden-crowned Warbler *Basileuterus culicivorus*	1
13	Wilson's Warbler *Cardellina pusilla*	9
4	Red Warbler *Cardellina rubra*	2
2	Slate-throated Whitestart *Myioborus miniatus*	1
5	Summer Tanager *Piranga rubra*	5
6	White-winged Tanager *Piranga leucoptera*	2
5	Red-throated Ant-Tanager *Driophlox fuscicauda*	2
2	Northern Cardinal *Cardinalis cardinalis*	2
2	Rose-breasted Grosbeak *Pheucticus ludovicianus*	2
16	Blue Grosbeak *Passerina caerulea*	3
3	Indigo Bunting *Passerina cyanea*	3
1	Painted Bunting *Passerina ciris*	1
595	Dickcissel *Spiza americana*	6
22	Blue-gray Tanager *Thraupis episcopus*	7
13	Yellow-winged Tanager *Thraupis abbas*	5

1	Cinnamon-bellied Flowerpiercer *Diglossa baritula*	1
12	Blue-black Grassquit *Volatinia jacarina*	4
4	Morelet's Seedeater *Sporophila morelletti*	3
1	Yellow-faced Grassquit *Tiaris olivaceus*	1
13	Black-headed Saltator *Saltator atriceps*	2
3	Cinnamon-bellied Saltator *Saltator grandis*	2

EXOTIC: ESCAPEE

4	Military Macaw *Ara militaris* Sensitive	1

ADDITIONAL TAXA

1	Chimney/Vaux's Swift *Chaetura pelagica/vauxi*	1
3	Sharp-shinned/Cooper's Hawk *Accipiter striatus/Astur cooperii*	1
1	Western/Eastern Wood-Pewee *Contopus sordidulus/virens*	1
1	Alder/Willow Flycatcher (Traill's Flycatcher) *Empidonax alnorum/traillii*	1
3	Eastern/Western Warbling Vireo *Vireo gilvus/swainsoni*	2
700	swallow sp. *Hirundinidae sp.*	1