

(Moultrie Co), 22 Feb (TDF, TAM); 9, Alexander Co, 28 Dec (SDB, PM); 8, Thomasboro (Champaign Co), 5 Jan (SDB); 5, Kank., 14 Feb (JBH); 4, Mazonia-Braidwd, 10,18 Dec (JBH). **Others:** 7, Rend L, 20 Dec (KAM, MSS); 3, Cordova (Rock Island Co), 22 Dec (KJM); 3, Decatur (Macon Co), 1 Feb (TAM); 3, Paris (Edgar Co), 15 Feb (EWW); 3, Newton (Jasper Co), 22 Dec (SDB, MPW); Brookfield (Cook Co), 29 Jan (CAT); Annawan (Henry Co), 1 Feb (EWW); Joliet (Will Co), 28 Feb (EWW); Urb., 24 Jan (DMK, MSS, TAM).

**Mourning Dove**

**MC:** 238, Mercer Co, 23 Dec (TM, WZ, m.ob.); 212, Carroll & Whiteside Cos, 18 Dec (EAA, JH, m.ob.); 150, Carl.L., 19 Jan (DMK, MSS); 122, McDonough Co, 6 Jan (LLH); 121, Schuyler Co, 25 Jan (CAT); 117, QC, 14 Dec (KJM, SBH, SC, m.ob.); 110, PrRdg, 22 Dec (fide JWW); 107, Champaign Co, 20 Dec (SDB, GSL, RK); 106, Shelby Co, 3 Jan (CAT, TLK); 100, Kank., 26 Jan (JBH); 90, Downers Grove (Du Page Co), 14 Jan (REF, KDF); 77, Rock Island Co, 2 Jan (CM, JMo, m.ob.); 75, St. Clair Co, 24 Feb (KAM). Lowest numbers since 2001-2002.

**Monk Parakeet**

**MC:** 56, Burnham (Cook Co), 1 Jan (JAS, MAM); 22, LCal, 31 Jan (WJM, DKA, FM).

**BARN OWL**

Eldon Hazlet SP (Clinton Co), 24 Jan (MSS).

**Eastern Screech-Owl**

**MC:** 10, no. Vermilion Co, 1 Jan (SDB); 9, Lake Co, 31 Dec (EWW); 9, Kankakee Co, 1 Jan (DFS); 7, Whiteside & Lee Cos, 3 Jan (SBH, KJM, SV); 6, Cook & Du Page Cos, 14 Dec (CAT, TLK); 6, Carl.L., 30 Jan (DMK); 6, Rend L, 20 Dec (DMK); 5, Rock Island Co, 2 Jan (KJM, SV, MJR); 4, Palos (Cook Co), 14 Dec (WJM, WSS, SCi); 4, Champaign Co, 31 Jan (GSL); **Others:** 2, Langley Bottoms (Vermilion Co), 17 Dec (SDB); 2,

*Snowy Owl at Christy Webber Landscape, west side of Chicago, Cook County. Early December 2008. Photo by Mark Bowman.*

*Some of the 51 Eurasian Collared-Doves seen perched on fences in Geneseo, Henry County. 20 February 2009. Photo by Steve Hager.*



*Snowy Owl, LaSalle County. 10 February 2009. Photo by Brian Tang.*

Alexander Co, 28 Dec (SDB, PM); Volo Bog SNA (Lake Co) (red morph), 31 Jan (SDB); Trail of Tears SF (Union Co), 26 Feb (SDB).

**Great Horned Owl**

**MC:** 11, Lee & Whiteside Cos, 3 Jan (KJM, SV, SBH); 7, no. Vermilion Co, 1 Jan (SDB); 6, Carl.L., 30 Jan (DMK); 5, Mackinaw Bluffs, 11 Jan (MEF); 5, Ten Mile Creek FWA, Eads Unit (Jefferson Co), 24 Feb (SDB); 4, Lake Co, 31 Dec & 1 Jan (EWW); 4, Whiteside & Carroll Cos, 18 Dec (EAA, JH, m.ob.); 4, QC, 14 Dec (KJM, SBH, SC); 4, Mercer Co, 23 Dec (KJM, SBH); 4, Sam Parr FWA (Jasper Co), 22 Dec (SDB, MPW); 3, Rock Island Co, 21 Dec (KJM, SBH, SV); 3, Kank., 3 Jan (JBH); 3, Union Co, 29 Dec (SDB, PM); 2, IBSP (south unit), 3 Dec (JRG); 2, Crab Or., 25 Feb (SDB).

**Snowy Owl**

**MC:** 4, La Salle Co, 7 Feb (JAS), thru period (SDB). **Others:** De Kalb Co, 2- 8 Dec & 8 Feb (MJB, APS, SDB, DJS, GAW); Wilmette (Cook Co), 20 Dec (GN); Chi (west side), 4-7 Dec (CAT, m.ob.); Chi, 25 Feb (ADF, GAW); LCal, 21 Feb (fide CAM); Kewanee Airport (Henry Co) (ad female), 23 Feb (DL ph in local newspaper); Princeton (Bureau Co) (ad male), 24 -27 Feb (DBJ, MAM, APS, AFS, SP); Warren Co, 31 Dec (JF); **Brown Co**, Dec 2 (TH, TWd) /**Pike Co**, 7 Dec (JMy, BAD). Same bird near county line; **Carl.L.**, 10 Dec (MSS, DR, GR).

**Barred Owl**

**MC:** 8, Alexander Co, 28 Dec (SDB, PM); 7, Rock Island Co, 2 Jan (KJM, SV, MJR, m.ob.); 6, Mackinaw Bluffs, 11 Jan (MEF); 6, no. Vermilion Co, 1 Jan (SDB); 6, Union Co, 29 Dec (SDB, PM); 5, LShel, 3 Jan (SDB, TAM); 4, Rend L, 20 Dec (KAM, MSS, DMK); 3, Whiteside & Lee Cos, 3 Jan (SBH, KJM, SV); 3, Sam Parr FWA (Jasper Co), 22 Dec (SDB, MPW). **Others** (outside s. and far w. counties): 2, Lake Le-Aqua-Na SP (Stephenson Co), 23 Feb (EWW); McDonough Co, 25 Jan (CAT); 2, Mason Co, 30 Dec (CAT); 2, Allerton P (Piatt Co), 24 Jan (DMK, MSS, TAM); 2, LOW, 8 Feb (CKA); 2, Ivesdale (Champaign Co), 25 Dec (BS). Very unusual location for previous record, in small town on the "prairie" surrounded for ~10 miles in all directions by corn and soybeans w/closest known breeding birds at Allerton Park (Piatt Co).

