

## Table 6 — Species Accounts for the 2002 Spring Bird Count

Key to Table: \* New Spring Bird Count High Total  
New species to Count are in **BOLD FACE CAPS**

# Ties Previous Spring Bird Count High Total  
Species Reported from a Single County are in **Bold Face**

Species	Total Number of		High County	(Total)
	Co.s	Birds		
Common Loon	24*	44	Sangamon	(6)
Pied-billed Grebe	61	235	Cook	(20)
Horned Grebe	3	3	Three counties	(1)
Eared Grebe	4#	4#	Four counties	(1)
American White Pelican	13#	401*	Jo Daviess	(134)
Double-crest Cormorant	59	9748*	Cook	*(4175)
American Bittern	20	44	Two counties	(6)
Least Bittern	7	10	Lake	(3)
Great Blue Heron	98	3866	Lake	(296)
Great Egret	51	1432	Will	(356)
Snowy Egret	6	33	Alexander	(20)
Little Blue Heron	17	128	St. Clair	(56)
Cattle Egret	20	363	St. Clair	(164)
Green Heron	86#	522	Cook	(43)
Black-crown Night-Heron	10	763	Cook	(638)
Yellow-crown Night-Heron	6	19	Madison	(6)
Black Vulture	6	40	Union	(18)
Turkey Vulture	98	3799*	Pike	*(168)
Gr. White-fronted Goose	4	59*	Monroe	*(52)
Snow Goose	8	45	Christian	(22)
Ross's Goose	2*	2*	Two counties	*(1)
Canada Goose	97	16448	Cook	(1586)
Mute Swan	17	149*	Lake	(43)
<b>Tundra Swan</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Massac	(1)
Wood Duck	89	2496	Cook	(175)
Gadwall	20	683*	Putnam	*(490)
American Wigeon	11	44	Putnam	(24)
American Black Duck	3	6	Cook	(4)
Mallard	85	5455	Du Page	(771)
Blue-winged Teal	84	2399	Carroll	(102)
Northern Shoveler	50	435	Putnam	(67)
Northern Pintail	5	11	Putnam	(6)
Green-winged Teal	16	74	Brown	(14)
Redhead	2	3	Cook	(2)
Ring-necked Duck	16	30	Two counties	(3)
<b>Greater Scaup</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Lake	(1)
Lesser Scaup	30	161	Putnam	(34)
<b>Long-tailed Duck</b>	<b>1#</b>	<b>1#</b>	Jasper	*(1)
Bufflehead	5	35	Putnam	(25)
<b>Common Goldeneye</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Whiteside	(1)
Hooded Merganser	22	84	Union	(12)
Common Merganser	2	3	Mercer	(2)
Red-breasted Merganser	9	561	Lake	(311)
Ruddy Duck	28	410	Putnam	(108)
Osprey	26	36	Cook	(5)
Mississippi Kite	4	34	Alexander	(21)
Bald Eagle	31*	97*	Jo Daviess	(19)
Northern Harrier	36	69	McHenry	(7)
Sharp-shinned Hawk	45	90	Lake	(11)
Cooper's Hawk	55*	210*	Du Page	(27)
Red-shouldered Hawk	35*	89	Union	*(14)
Broad-winged Hawk	28	64	Cook	(11)
<b>Swainson's Hawk</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	Kane	(2)
Red-tailed Hawk	97	1879*	Jo Daviess	(131)
<b>FERRUGINOUS HAWK</b>	<b>1*</b>	<b>1*</b>	Alexander	*(1)
<b>Rough-legged Hawk</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	McHenry	(1)
American Kestrel	95*	629	Hamilton	(32)
Merlin	4	4	Four counties	*(1)
Peregrine Falcon	2	5	Cook	(3)
<b>Gray Partridge</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	Lee	(2)
Ring-necked Pheasant	59	704	Champaign	(72)
Greater Prairie-Chicken	2	60	Marion	(37)
Wild Turkey	85*	1002*	Boone	(116)
Northern Bobwhite	79	872	Union	(75)
King Rail	2	5	Lake	(3)

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Virginia Rail	16	101	Lake	(33)
Sora	49	625	Lake	(83)
Common Moorhen	7	10	Two counties	(3)
American Coot	72	7668	Putnam	(3720)
Sandhill Crane	12#	135	McHenry	(43)
Black-bellied Plover	7	12	Hancock	(3)
American Golden-Plover	16	6944	McLean	(2500)
Semipalmated Plover	12	34	Stephenson	(8)
Killdeer	99	3137	Winnebago	(111)
<b>American Avocet</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Champaign	(1)
Greater Yellowlegs	49	280	Henry	(38)
Lesser Yellowlegs	72	1535	Champaign	(277)
Solitary Sandpiper	77	691	Union	(43)
Willet	14*	45	Christian	(14)
Spotted Sandpiper	72	579	Three counties	(31)
Upland Sandpiper	10	22	La Salle	(4)
<b>Ruddy Turnstone</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Lake	(1)
<b>Sanderling</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	Mason	(7)
Semipalmated Sandpiper	14	62	Henry	(12)
Least Sandpiper	42	410	Clinton	(106)
White-rumped Sandpiper	2	60	Brown	*(40)
Pectoral Sandpiper	49	5100*	Champaign	*(1230)
Dunlin	17	73	Wabash	(14)
<b>Ruff</b>	<b>1#</b>	<b>1#</b>	Mason	*(1)
Short-billed Dowitcher	11	34	La Salle	(8)
Long-billed Dowitcher	3	7	Morgan	(5)
Common Snipe	32	120	Du Page	(24)
American Woodcock	36	133	Lake	(29)
Wilson's Phalarope	2	3	Du Page	(2)
Bonaparte's Gull	9	68	Lake	(39)
Ring-billed Gull	56	18728	Cook	(13171)
Herring Gull	17	909	Cook	(687)
<b>Thayer's Gull</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Lake	(1)
Caspian Tern	8	593	Cook	(297)
Common Tern	13	84	Lake	(21)
Forster's Tern	20	329	Lake	(185)
Black Tern	5	21	Lake	(16)
Rock Dove	92	4724	Edgar	(255)
Eurasian Collared-Dove	19*	58*	Clinton	(9)
Mourning Dove	99	10551	Edgar	(425)
<b>Monk Parakeet</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>63*</b>	Cook	*(63)
Black-billed Cuckoo	8	14	Jackson	(7)
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	42	170	Two counties	(33)
<b>Barn Owl</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	Union	(6)
Eastern Screech-Owl	38	84	De Kalb	(7)
Great Horned Owl	80*	347	Union	(19)
Barred Owl	81	560*	Union	(50)
Common Nighthawk	38	135	Union	(16)
Chuck-will's-widow	14	28	Massac	(9)
Whip-poor-will	63	455	Union	(79)
Chimney Swift	94	4387	McDonough	(304)
Ruby-thrt'd Hummingbird	73	760	Calhoun	(66)
Belted Kingfisher	79	432	Winnebago	(31)
Red-headed Woodpecker	98	2240	McDonough	(178)
Red-bellied Woodpecker	98	3548*	Winnebago	*(212)
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	19	70	Jo Daviess	(23)
Downy Woodpecker	99	2835*	Du Page	(233)
Hairy Woodpecker	84#	527*	Cook	*(49)
Northern Flicker	96	2247	Du Page	(180)
Pileated Woodpecker	62*	352*	Union	(44)
Olive-sided Flycatcher	9	14	Williamson	*(5)
Eastern Wood-Pewee	80	460	Union	(57)
<b>Yellow-bellied Flycatcher</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Massac	(1)
Acadian Flycatcher	33	200	Union	(53)
<b>Alder Flycatcher</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	De Kalb	(1)
Willow Flycatcher	19	27	Two counties	(3)
Least Flycatcher	54	200	Cook	(18)
Eastern Phoebe	93	1482*	McDonough	(71)
Great Crested Flycatcher	89	1275	Union	(75)
Western Kingbird	2#	4	Madison	(3)