## **Howard County Bird Club**

## A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS)

Field Trip: Saturday, October 11, 2008

Trip Leader: Wilkinson, Jim

Date of Trip: Saturday, October 11, 2008

Location: Elkhorn Garden Plots

Details: two hours (830-1030 AM), weather sunny and cool

Number on trip: 15

(Numbers of individuals are shown if they were recorded.)

• Canada Goose:

• Great Blue Heron:

• Turkey Vulture:

Red-shouldered Hawk:

• Mourning Dove:

• Red-bellied Woodpecker:

• Downy Woodpecker:

Northern Flicker:

• Eastern Phoebe: 1

• Blue Jay:

• American Crow:

Carolina Chickadee:

• Tufted Titmouse:

White-breasted Nuthatch:

• Carolina Wren:

• House Wren: 5

• Ruby-crowned Kinglet: 1

• Eastern Bluebird:

• American Robin:

• Gray Catbird:

Northern Mockingbird:

• European Starling:

• Tennessee Warbler: 1

• Black-throated Blue Warbler: 1

Yellow-rumped Warbler: 2

• Palm Warbler: 13

• Connecticut Warbler: 1

Common Yellowthroat:

• Eastern Towhee:

Chipping Sparrow:

• Field Sparrow:

• Song Sparrow:

• Lincoln's Sparrow: 2

• Swamp Sparrow: 1

• White-throated Sparrow:

• Northern Cardinal:

• Indigo Bunting: 2

• Red-winged Blackbird:

• Brown-headed Cowbird:

• House Finch:

• American Goldfinch:

House Sparrow:

## Comments:

We had good looks at a Swamp and two Lincoln's Sparrows, and Palm Warblers. Estimated 3 Yellow and 10 Western Palms. A Great Blue Heron flew over at the very end of the trip. We also had butterflies: Cabbage White, Orange Sulphur, Variegated Fritillary, Common Buckeye, and Common Checkered Skipper.