## **Howard County Bird Club**

A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS)

## Field Trip: Saturday, February 14, 2009

Trip Leader: Cullison, Ralph

Date of Trip: Saturday, February 14, 2009

Location: Alpha Ridge Landfill

Details: Half Day

Number on trip: 28

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

- Canada Goose: 80
- Tundra Swan: 2
- American Black Duck: 2
- Mallard: 8
- Ring-necked Duck: 4
- Hooded Merganser: 3
- Black Vulture: 8
- Turkey Vulture: 6
- Red-shouldered Hawk: 1
- Red-tailed Hawk: 1
- American Kestrel: 1
- Killdeer: 1
- Ring-billed Gull: 33
- Rock Pigeon: 1
- Mourning Dove: 2
- Great Horned Owl: 1

- Northern Flicker: 7
- Blue Jay: 1
- American Crow: 4
- Fish Crow: 1
- Horned Lark: 7
- Eastern Bluebird: 8
- American Robin: 1
- Northern Mockingbird: 3
- European Starling: 12
- Field Sparrow: 6
- Savannah Sparrow: 4
- Song Sparrow: 6
- White-throated Sparrow:
- White-crowned Sparrow: 4
- Northern Cardinal: 1
- Red-winged Blackbird: 36
- Eastern Meadowlark: 11

## Comments:

Tundra Swans seen at Alpha Ridge Park. Great Horned Owl seen on nest south of Scale House. Most species numbers provided by Joe Hanfman.