Comparison of 4 Howard County Hairstreaks

Gray Hairstreak



NO white spot at center of top edge of HW Big red spot next to HW edge

White M Hairstreak



White spot at center of top edge of HW Red spot set inward of HW edge

Red-banded Hairstreak



Red band on both wings Host "plant" is dead leaves!

Juniper Hairstreak



Found in red cedars (& Mt. Pleasant garden plots!)