

**HOWARD COUNTY  
WINTER FEEDER/YARD CHECKLIST**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Area: \_\_\_\_\_

Within three days of the count, please email/mail this sheet to Joe Hanfman, 6239 Martin Drive, Columbia, MD 21044, or call in results to him at (410) 772-8424. His email address is [auk1844@gmail.com](mailto:auk1844@gmail.com).

Any species observed that is not listed below should be added at the end of the list along with a description including field marks seen, behavior, length of the observation and lighting conditions. For tally purposes, if you see 10 White-throated Sparrows at 9:00 a.m., three at 10:30 a.m. and 16 at 5:00 p.m., the total you would list would be 16, *not* 29 (i.e., the greatest number of a species seen at one time). *Be particularly careful of House Finch and Purple Finch counts.* House Finches are year-round residents often visiting feeders in large flocks. Purple Finches are erratic *winter visitors only* which in some years do not appear at all. Fish and American Crows are separable by voice only. If you hear any, list specific species, otherwise they should be tabulated under *crow species*.

SPECIES	TOTAL
Rock Pigeon _____	
Mourning Dove _____	
Sharp-shinned Hawk _____	
Cooper's Hawk _____	
Red-_____ Hawk _____	
<i>hawk species</i> _____	
Red-bellied Woodpecker _____	
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker _____	
Downy Woodpecker _____	
Hairy Woodpecker _____	
Northern Flicker _____	
Pileated Woodpecker _____	
Blue Jay _____	
American Crow _____	
<i>crow species</i> _____	
Carolina Chickadee _____	
Tufted Titmouse _____	
Golden-crowned Kinglet _____	
Red-breasted Nuthatch _____	
White-breasted Nuthatch _____	
Brown Creeper _____	
Carolina Wren _____	
Northern Mockingbird _____	
European Starling _____	
Eastern Bluebird _____	
American Robin _____	
House Sparrow _____	
House Finch _____	
Purple Finch _____	
American Goldfinch _____	
Dark-eyed Junco _____	
White-throated Sparrow _____	
Song Sparrow _____	
_____ Sparrow _____	
<i>Unidentified sparrow</i> _____	
Eastern Towhee _____	
Red-winged Blackbird _____	
Brown-headed Cowbird _____	
Common Grackle _____	
<i>unidentified blackbirds</i> _____	
Northern Cardinal _____	
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_____	

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

TIME STARTED \_\_\_\_\_

TIME STOPPED \_\_\_\_\_

ESTIMATED TOTAL TIME \_\_\_\_\_

Description of species not on list (other than crows).  
Continue on back as needed.

Did you hear (or see) any owls?