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## BIRDS 'N' BOGS CITIZEN SCIENCE PROGRAM: FIELD NOTES

Survey Period (circle one):

Early (May 15 - 20)      Middle (May 21 - 26)      Late (May 27 - June 1)      Last (June 2 - June 7)

Actual date of Observation (MM/DD/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

### *Location Information*

Location Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### *Site Characteristics*

Start time (24-hour): \_\_\_\_\_ End time (24-hour): \_\_\_\_\_

Type of survey (circle one): POINT      WALKING

If you did a walking survey (survey takes you out of earshot from start point), how far did you walk?  
\_\_\_\_\_ miles (approximately)

Air temperature (°F): \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Observers: \_\_\_\_\_

Cloud cover (circle one):    0-10%    11-25%    25-50%    50-75%    76-100%

Subjective precipitation (circle):    No rain    Mist    Light rainfall    Moderate rainfall    Heavy rainfall

Wind speed: 0 (still)    1 (light wind)    2 (feel wind on face)    3 (leaves and small twigs moving)  
4 (moderate breeze, small branches move)    5 (small trees sway)    6 (large trees sway, hard to open umbrella)

### *Organisms*

Species	# Seen	#Heard	Sex	Behavior codes
Olive-sided Flycatcher ( <i>Contopus cooperi</i> )				
Rusty Blackbird ( <i>Euphagus carolinus</i> )				
Common Loon ( <i>Gavia immer</i> )				
Pacific Loon ( <i>Gavia pacifica</i> )				
Red-throated Loon ( <i>Gavia stellata</i> )				
Horned Grebe ( <i>Podiceps auritus</i> )				
Red-necked Grebe ( <i>Podiceps grisegena</i> )				
Tree Swallow ( <i>Tachycineta bicolor</i> )				
Violet-green Swallow ( <i>Tachycineta thalassina</i> )				
Lesser Yellowlegs ( <i>Tringa flavipes</i> )				
Greater Yellowlegs ( <i>Tringa melanoleuca</i> )				
Solitary Sandpiper ( <i>Tringa solitaria</i> )				

**KEY: Avian Behavior Codes**

FLY	Flyover
AB	Agitated Behavior
FOR	Foraging
SM	Singing male
VOC	Vocal/calling
COURT	Courtship/copulation
SWIM	Swimming/diving/floating
INC	Incubation

**Comments (include info on banded birds):**

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**Photo**

If you would like a map of your lake or wetland, please email Arin Underwood to receive a copy. We are also looking for photos of study species and banded birds for education purposes, please email any photos of interest you would like to share.

Thank you for your time and please enter your field observations into the eBird app or at <https://ebird.org/region/US-AK>. More resources can be found on the Birds 'n' Bogs website at the Alaska Department of Fish & Game [website www.adfg.alaska.gov](http://www.adfg.alaska.gov)

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