

NORTH AMERICAN WOODCOCK SINGING GROUND SURVEY

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DIVISION OF MIGRATORY BIRD MANAGEMENT
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SURVEY YEAR: **2024**

STATE OR PROVINCE: **MD**

COUNTY: **Montgomery**

ROUTE NUMBER: **6**

DATE OF SURVEY

4 / 1221 / 2024
MONTH DAY YEAR

OBSERVER'S NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL, LAST)

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AGENCY

- 1 STATE
- 3 PROVINCIAL
- 5 FEDERAL
- 7 OTHER

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OFFICIAL SUNSET

7:53 PM

SKY CONDITION

- 0 CLEAR
- 1 1/4 OVERCAST
- 3 1/2 OVERCAST
- 5 3/4 OVERCAST
- 7 > 3/4 OVERCAST - ADD 15 MIN

ADD 22 MIN
TO SUNSET
FOR
STARTING
TIME

TEMPERATURE

° F ° C

35-39 2-4

40-49 5-9

50-59 10-15

60+ 16+

WIND

- 1 CALM
- 2 GENTLE (1-3 mph)
- 3 LIGHT (4-7 mph)
- 4 MODERATE (8-12 mph)
- 5 STRONG (> 12 mph)

PRECIPITATION

- 0 NONE
- 1 MIST
- 3 SNOW, HVY RAIN
- 5 FOG
- 7 LIGHT RAIN

ROUTE NAME

Damascus

DID YOU ENTER RESULTS THROUGH THE INTERNET?

YES NO

| STOP # | ODOMETER 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Miles or 3 <input type="checkbox"/> KM | TIME (CIVILIAN) | # HEARD PEENTING | DISTURBANCE-SEE INSTRUCTIONS | | | | REMARKS / COMMENTS |
|--------|--|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------------------|
| | | | | NONE 0 | LOW 1 | MOD 3 | HIGH 5 | |
| 1 | 0.0 | 8:15 | 0 | | X | | | car drove by |
| 2 | 0.4 | 8:18 | 0 | | | X | | barking dog |
| 3 | 0.8 | 8:21 | 0 | X | | | | |
| 4 | 1.2 | 8:25 | 1 | X | | | | |
| 5 | 1.6 | 8:28 | 0 | | X | | | spring peepers |
| 6 | 2.0 | 8:32 | 0 | | | X | | lawn mower |
| 7 | 2.4 | 8:36 | 0 | | | X | | truck idling |
| 8 | 2.8 | 8:40 | 1 | | X | | | car drove by |
| 9 | 3.2 | 8:43 | 2 | X | | | | |
| 10 | 3.6 | 8:47 | 0 | | | X | | people talking |

TOTAL WOODCOCK HEARD PEENTING: 4

STATE OR PROVINCIAL
COORDINATOR

Walbridge, Hutch

4102218838x107

FOR OFFICE
USE ONLY:

TOTAL STOPS

ACCEPTABLE STOPS

TOTAL WOODCOCK
ON ACC. STOPS

ROUTE STATUS

SUNSET TIMES FOR THIS ROUTE (See "Sky Condition" above to assist in calculating the start time.)

DATE 15-Apr | 20-Apr | 25-Apr | 30-Apr | 5-May

DAYLIGHT 7:46 7:51 7:56 8:01 8:06

SAVINGS TIME

This route's time zone:

Eastern

Main Points to consider are listed below. Please read accompanying Background and Instructions document.

- (1) Review the Training Tool Presentation before you plan to conduct your survey, <https://migbirdapps.fws.gov/woodcock/trainingtooldocs.htm>.
- (2) Conduct survey within dates shown on map (see reverse or accompanying Background and Instructions document).
- (3) If your survey date falls in between the suggested dates and times above, please interpolate accordingly. DO NOT ROUND UP OR DOWN.
- (4) Make sure to start the survey at the correct time according to sky conditions.
- (5) Start location (stop 1) should be at 0.0 mi/km with each subsequent stop at 0.4 mi (0.6 km) intervals; finishing (stop 10) at 3.6 mi (5.4 km).
- (6) Listen for exactly 2 minutes at each stop.
- (7) You must complete the entire survey within 38 minutes. If unable to do so because of road conditions, contact your coordinator immediately.
- (8) Don't conduct the survey if the temperature is below 40° F (5° C), in strong wind, or in heavy precipitation.
- (9) Contact your state or provincial coordinator promptly if you are unable to run your route within the designated dates on the map.
- (10) If your coordinator also wants you to enter data online, please do so at the following website: <https://naturecounts.ca/nc/amwo/main.jsp>.

753
+ 22

775
815
+ 36

851

Apr 22 sunset
minutes for 1/2
overcast

start time

therefore, must start listening at stop 10 no later than 8:51 pm

