

Long Point Bird Observatory Rare Bird Report Form

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In order that any sight record or banding of a rare species can be confirmed for the historical record, it must be properly documented. LPBO cooperators are therefore asked to complete a form in every case where a rarity is being claimed. Guidance as to which species are considered rare in the Long Point area may be obtained from the LPBO Program Coordinator and in the Long Point Area Checklist found in *A Birding Guide to Long Point Area*. Each observer should prepare his/her description independently and preferably before consulting any field guides or other literature.

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Species claimed: Ash-throated Flycatcher

No. of birds: 1

Age: unknown - probably first basic based on a potential moult limit in the greater coverts, and retained juvenal inner secondaries.

Sex: unknown

Date(s): October 27, 2013

Place: Tip of Long Point

Time(s) of Observation: 0800

Who first saw the bird(s): Avery Bartels

Who first identified it: Avery Bartels

Other observers (names and addresses):

Morgan Brown, Chris Suhka, Ana Maria Diaz, Lindsey Valliant, Jim Mackiewicz, Lynda Mackiewicz, Janice Chard.
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Any who disagree: No

Your previous experience with the species: None.

Weather: There was a series of strong south-westerly gale in the weeks leading up to this observation.

Circumstances:

The bird was discovered on the morning census of the Long Point Bird Observatory Migration Monitoring Program 50m west of the Tip house. It remained near this location for about an hour and was not relocated later in the day.

Description:

Give separate description for (a) in the field (b) in the hand. Include full measurements and wing formula with hand descriptions. Include reasons for the elimination of other species.



Photo: Janice Chard



Photo: Morgan Brown

Finally, is this record 100% certain? Yes

Signed:

For the observers.

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Date: January 12, 2014

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