

CBC RARE BIRD DOCUMENTATION FORM

Submitted as documentation of (check all that apply):

_____ Unusual Species _____ Unusual Date _____ Unusual Habitat

1. ***MOST IMPORTANT:*** On back of form give complete details of this observation. Use additional sheets as needed. Include information on the bird's plumage, shape, size, vocalizations, habitat, behavior, etc. Describe exactly what you saw; include photocopies of your original notes and sketches. Name the species that you considered ID contenders; explain how you eliminated them.

2. Count Name: LAGUNA ATASCOSA NWR Count Code: TXLA

3. Species _____ Age _____ Sex _____ # _____

4. Date (s) of Observation _____ Time _____ to _____

Earlier/Later dates by others, if known _____

5. Place _____

Nearest Town _____ County _____

6. Observer _____

Address _____

Telephone/E-mail _____

7. Observation Details:

Other Observers _____

Optics Used _____

Distance From Bird _____ Viewing Conditions _____

Weather, sky cover _____

Photo Taken? _____ Video? _____ Sound Recording? _____ Specimen? _____

8. Past Experience: With this or similar species? _____

9. References or Advice Consulted: _____

10. Was this report done from notes made during or after observation or from memory? _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please return to Cathy Harrington with your tally sheets. Pass photos to txlacbc@flanwr.org

Observers please give this form to your compiler. Compilers please send all rare bird forms directly to your regional editor.

