

2025 CBC Report

The weather will take the lead story in this 126th Christmas Bird Count Summary! Counters and birds alike bore winds from 20-70 MPH and temps from 9F to 40F. Needless to say the birds were hiding out in areas where the wind was high. The wind also kept counters from covering the Central Landfill. The landfill normally has high numbers of Bald Eagles, Common Ravens, and European Starlings, so those birds from the landfill were not counted this year.

Despite the weather, we did manage to count some great birds!

Bohemian Waxwings had the high count with 3,251 birds. Two Northern Goshawks were sighted and a Red-tailed Hawk!

A few summer birds were toughing it out including, nine American Robins, one Dark-eyed Junco and one very hardy Ruby-crowned Kinglet! The only other time a Kinglet was sighted was 23 years ago!

For more CBC data you can view the [Audubon Count Summary Report](#). This report gives the species count for this year, and the high count with the count year. For example, Mallards had 422 counted this year, the historical Max is 1231 and that occurred in the 105th bird count. Mallards were counted in 46 counts.

Species	Number or cw	Max Number	# Of Counts
Mallard	422	1231/105	46