Location: Sepulveda Basin Wildlife Refuge

Observation date: 8/1/10

Notes: SFVAS Monthly Walk; 15 observers, 1 Aug 2010, 8:00AM-11:45AM, Hazy to clear, 65-85 deg F, calm winds

0-2 mph;

Leader: Jim Hardesty. Number of species: 47

Mallard 18

Pied-billed Grebe 8

Double-crested Cormorant 80

Great Blue Heron 1

Snowy Egret 14 includes one nest on Wildlife Lake Island

with 4 chicks almost fledged.

Green Heron 1

Black-crowned Night-Heron 3

Turkey Vulture 4

Osprey 1

Cooper's Hawk 2 both juveniles

Red-shouldered Hawk 1

Red-tailed Hawk (Western) 2

American Coot 6

Semipalmated Plover 3

Killdeer 8

Black-necked Stilt 7 includes 1 juvenile feeding in river.

Spotted Sandpiper 2

Lesser Yellowlegs 1 FOS

Least Sandpiper 12

Rock Pigeon 40

Mourning Dove 20

Anna's Hummingbird 4

Allen's Hummingbird 1

Nuttall's Woodpecker 3

Black Phoebe 8 includes 1 juvenile still showing some

downy feathers.

Ash-throated Flycatcher 1

Cassin's Kingbird 8

Western Kingbird 10

American Crow 10

Northern Rough-winged Swallow 8

Barn Swallow 4

Cliff Swallow 6

Bushtit 20

Bewick's Wren 1

House Wren 1

Western Bluebird 2

Northern Mockingbird 1

European Starling 6

Yellow Warbler 4 Common Yellowthroat 8 California Towhee 2 Song Sparrow 10 Red-winged Blackbird 4 Great-tailed Grackle 2 House Finch 24

Lesser Goldfinch 14

American Goldfinch 8