

TOTAL WATERFOWL BY SPECIES (GROUND COUNT)
WHEELER NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE
 Date: December 31, 2024

Area	Wood Duck	Mallard	American Black Duck	Green-winged Teal	Blue-winged Teal	Northern Pintail	Northern Shoveler	Gadwall	American Wigeon	Ring-necked Duck	Lesser Scaup	Hooded Merganser	Canvasback	Redhead	Bufflehead	Common Goldeneye	Red-breasted Merganser	Ruddy Duck	Common Merganser	Other Duck	Unidentified Duck	Total Ducks	Snow Goose	Canada Goose	Greater White-fronted Goose	Unidentified Goose	Other Goose	Total Geese	Total Waterfowl	American Coot	Double-crested Cormorant	White Pelican	Sandhill Crane	Whooping Crane	Immature Crane	Mature Bald Eagle	% Water Coverage			
Display Pool		235		1975		190	68	180														2648	4	370	180		554	3202							13180	1				50
Dinsmore Slough							16		30													46				0	46												100	
Crabtree Slough		8					40	6	28													82				0	82												50	
Flint Creek Other	4	10					28		12		8											62				0	62						4400							
Flint Creek Island																						0				0	0													
Flint Creek Totals	4	253	0	1975	0	190	68	264	6	70	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2838	4	370	180	0	554	3392	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17580	1	0	0		
Penny Bottoms Impoundment		150		22		6	14	125	10	6	2											335				0	335											1	25	
Penny Bottoms Area																						0				0	0													
Penny Bottoms Totals	0	150	0	22	0	6	14	125	10	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	335	0	0	0	0	0	335	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Rockhouse I		250					300															550				0	550												25	
North Rockhouse																						0				0	0												25	
Rockhouse II																						0				0	0												25	
Blackwell Swamp	8	300	2	30		200	200	500	200		300		200									1940				0	1940												1	
Buckeye Slough		700				400	400	850	200		100		100									2750				0	2750	100												100
Thorsen Arm																						0				0	0												50	
Rockhouse Totals	8	1250	2	30	0	600	600	1650	400	0	0	400	0	0	300	0	0	0	0	0	0	5240	0	0	0	0	5240	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1			
*White Springs-1		4785		550		3305	910	1050	760	374	5											11739				0	11739	90											50	
White Springs-2		300		640		20	50		20	12	55		9									1106	1			1	1107	126							1			25		
White Springs-3		14				25				2	6											47				0	47	15										50		
White Springs-4																						0				0	0											0		
White Springs-5																						0				0	0											0		
White Springs-6		15				20	20															55				0	55											25		
White Springs-BW						20	400			15			28									463		3		3	466	250	21	1	62	11	5	2						
White Spring Totals	0	5114	0	1190	0	3325	1025	1470	780	388	15	66	0	0	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	13410	0	4	0	4	13414	481	21	1	62	11	6	2						
Garth Slough Totals		20		40		269	545						15								1	890				0	890													
Limestone Bay Totals		250				75	525		140		75										200	1265	900	10		*5	910	2175	160	30	600	250		2	2					
DeVaney Totals																						0				0	0											25		
TOTAL	12	7037	2	3257	0	4121	2051	4579	1196	604	17	549	0	0	352	0	0	0	0	0	201	23,978	904	384	180	0	1,468	25,446	741	51	601	18,232	12	8	6					

*Limestone Bay: 5 Ross' geese

% Water Coverage within Impoundments 39

TOTAL DUCKS: 23,978 TOTAL SANDHILL CRANES: 18,232

TOTAL GEESE: 1,468 TOTAL WHOOPING CRANES: 12

TOTAL WATERFOWL: 25,446