



RUFous HumMINGBIRD
495-06-2002 BILL ULRICH
EXETER TWP BERKS

Rufous Hummingbird
Oct. 30, 2002

Location:
Rick Shultz
4951 Oley Turnpike Rd.
Reading, Pa. 19606
Berks Co.

495-06-2002

Band # R5475-4
Species: RUHU
Age/sex: AHY-M
Wing: 40.67mm
Tail: 28
Culmen: 17.69
Percentage of bill grooving: 0
Number of iridescent gorget feathers: full gorget
Weight: 3.43 g
Fat: 1
R5 width: 2.25mm

No photos as camera failed. No ambiguity about this bird, however; back and rump were fully rufous, with no green feathers. Color was bright and fresh, with a brilliant flame-colored gorget. Distinguished from Allen's by longer wing (maximum 39.9mm in Allen's); by strongly emarginated R2 rectrix; and R5 width measurement of 2.25mm (maximum 1.9mm in AHY male Allen's).

Bird was subsequently photographed by Bill Ulrich, Reading Eagle.

Pennsylvania Ornithological Records Committee

Tabulation Form - Round One

Species: Rufous Hummingbird (Selasphorus rufus)

Date of Sighting: 26 October 2002 to 3 December 2002

Location: EXETER TOWNSHIP

County: BERKS

Observer(s): Scott Schulz, Scott Weidensaul, Bill Ulrich and multiple observers

Date of Submission: 2002

Submitted by: Scott Weidensaul, Bill Ulrich

Written Description: Yes

Photo: Yes

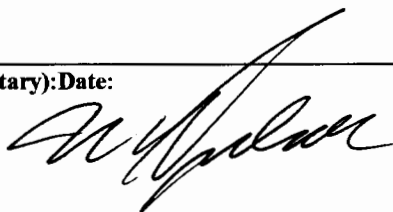
Specimen: No

Recording: No

Member	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV-A	Class IV-B	Class IV-C	Class V	Abstain
<i>R. WITMER</i>								
G. Armistead	X							
D. Heathcote	X							
P. Guris	X							
J. Stanley	X							
E. Witmer	X							
B. Leberman	X							
M. Sharp	X							
TOTALS	7							
DECISION	X							

Comments:

Signature (Secretary): Date:



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