

## PA Rare Bird Report

<b>Submission Date</b>	2018-04-26 06:00:52
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<b>Observer's Address</b>	2370 Rosemont Terrace Furlong PA 18925 United States
<b>Species (Common Name)</b>	Yellow-headed Blackbird
<b>Species (Scientific Name)</b>	xanthocephalus
<b>Number of individuals</b>	1
<b>Age(s) and Plumage(s) and Sex (if known)</b>	female
<b>Observation Date and Time</b>	04-18-2018 7:30 AM
<b>Did you submit this sighting to eBird?</b>	Not yet (please do, eBird is great!)
<b>County</b>	Bucks
<b>Location (City, Borough, Township)</b>	Furlong (Buckingham Township)
<b>Exact Site (E.g. Name of park, lake, road)</b>	bird feeder in back yard situated at edge of woodlot
<b>Habitat</b>	Townhouse community - our unit backs up to a 45 acre woodlot
<b>Distance to bird</b>	40 feet
<b>Viewing conditions</b>	sunny day
<b>Optical equipment used</b>	Nakec eye and Nikon camera with 300mm lens
<b>Description</b>	Blackbird with yellow upper chest, and much yellow on head and face. Black on face. All brown wings and body with no white in wings in flight. Bird was associating with a flock of about a dozen Red-winged Blackbirds and three Brown-headed Cowbirds.
<b>Behavior (be as detailed as possible about what the bird was doing)</b>	bird was eating sunflower hearts at bird feeder and foraged on ground within 3 meters of feeder. Bird visited feeder and immediate area off and on during day. Bird was last seen at 18:30 in the evening. It was not seen on subsequent days.

Separation from similar species (How you eliminated others)	Bright yellow color on head and chest
Are you positive of your identification ? (Why or why not)	Yes. Bird is unmistakable. Could not be confused with anything else.
During	Sibley
After	Sibley and internet photos
Supporting evidence (check all that apply)	Photograph

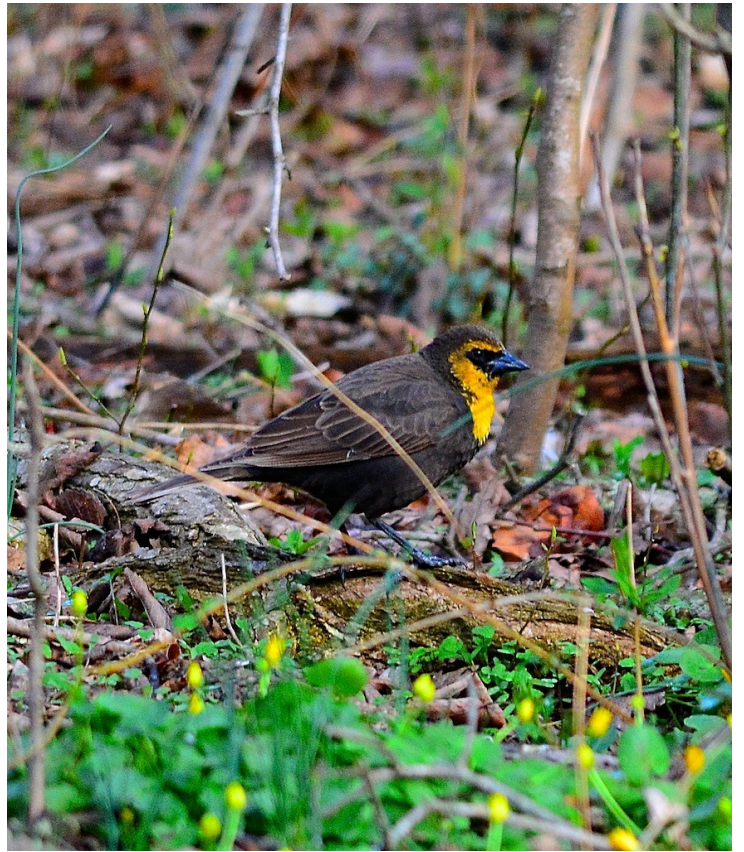
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