

## PA Rare Bird Report

<b>Submission Date</b>	2018-09-18 14:46:34
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<b>Observer's Address</b>	10283 Jonestown Rd Grantville Pa 17028 United States
<b>Names of additional observers</b>	Kathy Becker
<b>Species (Common Name)</b>	Brown Pelican
<b>Species (Scientific Name)</b>	<i>Pelicanus occidentalis</i>
<b>Number of individuals</b>	1
<b>Observation Date and Time</b>	08-11-2018 1:50 PM
<b>Did you submit this sighting to eBird?</b>	Yes
<b>Link to eBird checklist</b>	<a href="https://ebird.org/pa/view/checklist/S47788253">https://ebird.org/pa/view/checklist/S47788253</a>
<b>County</b>	Bucks
<b>Location (City, Borough, Township)</b>	Quakertown
<b>Exact Site (E.g. Name of park, lake, road)</b>	Lake Nockamixon State Park Marina
<b>GPS coordinates of sighting</b>	40.469195, -75.224420
<b>Habitat</b>	Large Lake
<b>Distance to bird</b>	100 yards
<b>Viewing conditions</b>	overcast
<b>Optical equipment used</b>	Vortex scope and Nikon 8x10 binoculars
<b>Description</b>	Brown and white pelican
<b>Behavior (be as detailed as possible about what the bird was doing)</b>	Observed both flying and perched on a buoy in the marina area

**Separation from similar species (How you eliminated others)**

Brown and white coloring separated from white pelican

**Discussion – anything else relevant to the observation that will aid the committee in evaluating it:**

We were following up on numerous previous eBird reports

**Are you positive of your identification ? (Why or why not)**

Yes, unmistakable

**During**

none

**After**

none

**Supporting evidence (check all that apply)**

Photograph

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