

## PA Rare Bird Report

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| <b>Submission Date</b>  | 2020-10-09 12:51:00   |
| <b>Observer's Name</b>  | Daniel Kalamarides  |
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| <b>Observer's Address</b>   | United States   |
| <b>Species (Common Name)</b>  | Vermilion Flycatcher  |
| <b>Species (Scientific Name)</b>  | Pyrocephalus obscurus   |
| <b>Number of individuals</b>  | 1   |
| <b>Age(s) and Plumage(s) and Sex (if known)</b>   | Immature male   |
| <b>Observation Date and Time</b>  | 10-09-2020 9:50 AM  |
| <b>Did you submit this sighting to eBird?</b>   | Yes   |
| <b>Link to eBird checklist</b>  | <a href="https://ebird.org/checklist/S74599951">https://ebird.org/checklist/S74599951</a>   |
| <b>Location (City, Borough, Township)</b>   | Philadelphia  |
| <b>Exact Site (E.g. Name of park, lake, road)</b>   | John Heinz Wildlife Refuge  |
| <b>GPS coordinates of sighting</b>  | 39.886595, -75.262718   |
| <b>Habitat</b>  | Marsh   |
| <b>Distance to bird</b>   | About 50-100 yards  |
| <b>Viewing conditions</b>   | Clear   |
| <b>Optical equipment used</b>   | Nikon aculon 10x48, nikon D3300 with 300mm lens   |
| <b>Description</b>  | Like a more common flycatcher in behavior and appearance; two white wing bars; flame red underside with more red on head  |
| <b>Behavior (be as detailed as possible about what the bird was doing)</b>                                  | Stayed relatively low over marshland, catching insects from perches and generally returning to same perch   |
| <b>Discussion – anything else relevant to the observation that will aid the committee in evaluating it:</b> | Seen by at least 10 people in a single group, the leader initially thought scarlet tanager but eventually agreed vermilion flycatcher was the only possibility. |

Supporting evidence (check all that apply)

Photograph

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