

# PA Rare Bird Report

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Refer to [this webpage](#) for tips on how to document your sightings.

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<b>Names of additional observers</b>	Gavin Anderson

## Documentation

<b>Species (Common Name)</b>	Summer Tanager
<b>Species (Scientific Name)</b>	Piranga olivacea
<b>Number of individuals</b>	1
<b>Age(s) and Plumage(s) and Sex (if known)</b>	Female adult
<b>Observation Date and Time</b>	Sunday, July 4, 2021 08:50
<b>Did you submit this sighting to eBird?</b>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes
<b>Link to eBird checklist</b>	<a href="https://ebird.org/checklist/S91224974">https://ebird.org/checklist/S91224974</a>
<b>County</b>	Franklin
<b>Location (City, Borough, Township)</b>	Warren Township
<b>Exact Site (E.g. Name of park, lake,</b>	Fort Davis Road

<b>GPS coordinates of sighting</b>	39.727743, -78.072115
<b>Habitat</b>	Fresh cut wooded area
<b>Distance to bird</b>	10 to 50m
<b>Viewing conditions</b>	Slightly overcast to sunny. Facing east but with decent tree cover at times.
<b>Optical equipment used</b>	Nikon Monarch 7 binoculars; Nikon D750 camera

### Description

Female bird with olive-yellow colored body; long bill.

### Behavior (be as detailed as possible about what the bird was doing)

Bird was flying between trees in the clear cut area as well as hawking insects and returning to the same tree to eat her catches.

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

Female SCTA has darker wings and darker undertail with a daintier bill.

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

Bird found and reported by Bill Oyler on 06/30. Also observed by Bill Koontz between BO's discovery and my observation. Photos attached to eBird checklist and in this report.

**Are you positive of your identification ? (Why or why not)** Yes. See photos in eBird checklist.

## References Consulted

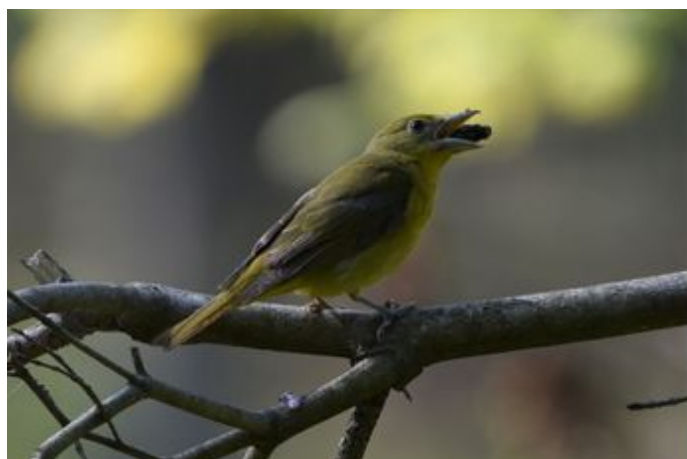
<b>During</b>	None.
<b>After</b>	I used the Sibley phone app.

## Uploads

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

Photograph

**Upload images, audio, video or drawings**





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