

The date: 9/7/2021

The week number: 36

The walk number: 1626

The weather: 86 F; sunny

The walkers: Alan Cummings, Viveca Sapin-Areeda, Chris Moreno

The birds (24)

2	Western	Bluebird	1
2	Red-whiskered	Bulbul	2
47		Bushtit	3
1	American	Crow	4
11	Mourning	Dove	5
4	House	Finch	6
2	Lesser	Goldfinch	7
1	Red-tailed	Hawk	8
3	Anna's	Hummingbird	9
2	Selasphorus	Hummingbird	10
1	Dark-eyed	Junco	11
1	Cassin's	Kingbird	12
2		Mallard	13
1	Northern	Mockingbird	14
3	Black	Phoebe	15
3	Band-tailed	Pigeon	16
1	Common	Raven	17
3	California	Scrub-Jay	18
2	California	Towhee	19
1	Turkey	Vulture	20
1	Nashville	Warbler	21
2	Orange-crowned	Warbler	22
12	Acorn	Woodpecker	23
1	Nuttall's	Woodpecker	24

Walk lasted between 12:00 and 14:09. Tournament Park was closed.

Wow, another spectacular walk. Not only did we set a weekly record for the fifth week in a row, we broke the old record by 5 species! These first two sentences were used in last week's report, except I substituted "fifth" for "fourth". These record-setting walks are quite something. The notable bird this week was a Nashville Warbler. This was the ninth walk out of 1626 walks in which we recorded that species; so highly unusual, although we did see one last year. We saw a beautiful Cassin's Kingbird on the antennas near the Red Door. Those two and the Turkey Vulture and the Mallards were the zero probability birds that we got. Next week the record is 23 and the way things have been going we have a good chance of setting yet another record.

Alan,

9/11/2021