From July 2001 to July 2002 the Oregon Bird Records Committee (OBRC) completed the following records. The first group of records are those for which the written report and/or photographs or specimens supported the stated identification and are accepted records. If photo(s) or specimen is indicated for a record it was accepted as verified. Other records were accepted as sight records.

Of the 55 records reviewed by the Committee 42 were accepted and 13 were not accepted. During this period four new species were accepted for addition to the Official Checklist of Oregon Birds: Brown Booby, Long-billed Murrelet, Cassin’s Kingbird, and Yellow Wagtail. The Official Checklist now stands at 481 species.

Information presented below for each species includes location of sighting, number of birds, sex and age if known, special information (such as collection and museum number) and date(s), initial of the observer(s) submitting written or other evidence for accepted records, and the OBRC record file number. The OBRC record file number reads as follows: the first 3 digits are the AOU number for the species, the second 2 are the year in which the record was observed, and the last numbers are the consecutive numbers for the records as they are filed.

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The OBRC solicits nominations for membership. Each year the OBRC elects 3 of its 9 members for 3-year terms. Birders themselves interested in serving on the OBRC should nominate themselves. All nominees must by members of OFO in good standing and all nominations must be received by the Secretary before 30 October 2002. New terms begin at the new calendar year.

**ACCEPTED RECORDS**

**BROWN BOOBY**
149.1-99-23 Port Orford, Curry Co., 1 female 3-4 February 1999 (NW,CD).
149.1-99-25 Warrenton, Clatsop Co., 1 adult male on 3 April 1999 (photos by TT).

**TUFTED DUCK**
149.1-99-23 Port Orford, Curry Co., 1 female 3-4 February 1999 (NW,CD).

**KING EIDER**
162-99-09 Coos Bay, Coos Co., 1 female on 29 April 1999 (prints by BoP).

**GYRFALCON**
354-97-27 near Peoria, Linn Co., 1 gray phase bird on 23 December 1997 (StD).

**COMMON MOORHEN**

**CURLEW SANDPIPER**
244-01-17 North Spit Coos Bay, Coos Co., 1 juvenile on 1 October 2001 (KC, TR, photos by DLa).

**LAUGHING GULL**
058-98-08 Tillamook Bay, Tillamook Co., 1 adult in winter plumage 3-15 October 1998 (DBa, photos by HN).

**LEAST TERN**

**LONG-BILLED MURRELET**

**YELLOW-BILLED CUCKOO**

**YELLOW-BELLIED SAPSUCKER**
TROPICAL KINGBIRD
446-98-24 Cape Blanco, Curry Co., 1 bird 26 July to 8 August 1998 (TWA).


CASSIN’S KINGBIRD
448-01-02 Canby, Clackamas Co., 1 immature 17-26 October 2001 (RHo,PSu,TR, photos by OS,TC).

SCISSOR-TAILED FLYCATCHER

443-01-14 Cape Blanco, Curry Co., 1 adult bird on 12 May 2001 (photos by DMu).

BELL’S VIREO

YELLOW WAGTAIL
696-97-01 Mouth Siltcoos River, Lane Co., 1 bird on 31 August 1997 (RHo,HH).

WHITE WAGTAIL
694-98-01 Gold Beach, Curry Co., 1 adult male subspecies Motacilla alba leucopsis 8 November 1998 (photos by CD).

NORTHERN PARULA


BLACKBURNIAN WARBLER

YELLOW-THROATED WARBLER
663-97-02 Fields, Harney Co., 1 adult male on 24 April 1997 (photos by M,D,DPo).

PROTHONOTARY WARBLER

SUMMER TANAGER
610-01-13 Bend, Deschutes Co., 1 winter plumaged bird on 17 November 2001 (photos by DT).

SCARLET TANAGER
608-01-06 Brookings, Curry Co., 1 female 7-10 December 2001 (photos by DMu).

ROSE-BREASTED GROSBEAK
595-97-33 McMinnville, Yamhill Co., 1 adult male 1 June 1997 (photo by LJa).

595-98-35 Port Orford, Curry Co., 1 adult male on 1 June 1998 (NW).

595-98-38 Langlois, Curry Co., 1 adult male 16-17 June 1998 (TWA).

BLUE GROSBEAK

INDIGO BUNTING

598-01-24 Fields, Harney Co., 1 male on 10 May 2001 (AMc).

COMMON GRACKLE
511-96-19 near Fort Rock, Lake Co., 1 adult male on 122 June 1996 (photos by AF).


ORCHARD ORIOLE
506-01-10 Harbor, Curry Co., 1 winter plumage male and 1 female 15 December 2001 to 3 February 2002 (TS, photos by DMu).

LAWRENCE’S GOLDFINCH
531-97-03 Lower Table Rock, Jackson Co., 1 subadult male on 15 May 1997 (TAb,YZ).

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**ARCTIC LOON**
009-96-02 Cape Meares, Tillamook Co., 2 winter plumaged birds on 29 September 1996. Not accepted as details did not completely eliminate Pacific Loon.

009-96-03 Yaquina Bay, Lincoln Co., 1 winter plumaged bird 10-16 August 1996. Not accepted as details and photographs indicated a molting Pacific Loon.

**GYRFALCON**
354-97-25 Netarts Bay, Tillamook Co., 1 gray bird on 27 November 1997. Not accepted as description was very brief and did not describe key field points for Gyrfalcon, and did not adequately eliminate other hawk species.

**WHOOPING CRANE**
204-97-01 Owyhee River 15 Mi. N. Rome, Malheur Co., 1 bird on 1 May 1997. Not accepted as description incomplete for Whooping Crane and did not rule out other white birds.

**HUDSONIAN GODWIT**
251-96-15 South Jetty Columbia River, Clatsop Co., 1 juvenile on 7 October 1996. Description was very brief and incomplete. The bird was seen in poor light with much of the plumage characteristics poorly seen.

**LAUGHING GULL**
058-96-07 Heceta Bank, Douglas Co., 1 first winter bird on 17 September 1996. The bird was seen as it flew past and away from the observer. The sighting was rather brief and at an odd angle. The possibility of a misidentification was too great for the Committee to accept this report.

**ICELAND GULL**
043-93-08 Sauvie Island, Multnomah Co., 1 bird on 13 March 1993. Not accepted as details did not rule out similar species.

043-91-09 Yachats, Lincoln Co., 1 in fall plumage on 15 March 1991. Not accepted as details did not rule out similar plumage species.

043-91-10 7 miles s. of Yaquina Bay, Lincoln Co., 1 bird on 15 March 1991. Not accepted as details did not rule out similar species.


043-96-13 Sauvie Island, Multnomah Co., 1 bird on 2 March 1996. Not accepted as details did not rule out similar species.

**LEAST FLY CATCHER**
467-98-33 Fields, Harney Co., 1 bird on 18 May 1998. Description of the bird was brief and not complete enough to entirely eliminate other Empidonax flycatchers.

**BAY-BREASTED WARBLER**
660-96-09 Fields, Harney Co., 1 in fall plumage on 15 September 1996. Not accepted as details too brief to eliminated similar plumaged fall warblers.

**DICKCISSEL**
604-96-10 HQ Malheur NWR, Harney Co., 1 bird 9-10 June 1996. One report did not describe the bird all, and the second did not adequately describe it convincingly.

Costa's Hummingbird, 18 May, Bend, Deschutes Co. Photo/K. Smith