

CBC RARE BIRD DOCUMENTATION FORM

Submitted as documentation of (check all that apply)

 Unusual species Unusual date Unusual habitat1. Count Name: San Juan Capistrano Orange County Northeastern **Orange County Coastal**
(circle one) CASU CAON CAOC

2. Species _____ Age _____ Sex _____ # _____

3. Date(s) of Observation _____ Time _____ duration _____

Earlier/Later dates seen by others? _____

4. Exact Location/Habitat _____

5. Observer _____

Address _____

Telephone/E-mail _____

6. Observation Details:

Other Observers _____

Optics used _____

Distance from bird _____ Viewing conditions _____

Weather, cloud cover, sun orientation _____

Photo taken? Video? Sound recording? Specimen? Are they available?

7. Past Experience with this or similar species? _____

8. References or advice consulted: _____

9. Was this report done from notes made during or after observation or from memory? _____

10. On back of form give complete details of this observation. Use additional sheets as needed.

Signature _____ Date _____

IF POSSIBLE GIVE TO YOUR AREA LEADER BEFORE YOU LEAVE!*Area leaders please collect these forms from participants before compilation party or send directly to the Compiler:***CAOC (coastal count):****Steve Alter** 18001 Bigelow Park, Tustin, CA 92780-2209, oriole05@roadrunner.com , 714-669-9482Upload your CBC photos on the national website! http://web1.audubon.org/imagePublic/cbc_form.php



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PROVIDE AS MANY SUPPORTING DETAILS AS YOU CAN.

Similar species and how were they eliminated? _____

HEAD & NECK (Describe forehead, crown, auricular, malar region, median line, etc.)

EYE & LORES (Describe supercillium, ring, stripe, color etc.)

UPPER & LOWER MANDIBLES _____

LEGS & FEET _____

UPPER PARTS (Describe nape, back, rump, upper tail coverts etc.) _____

UNDER PARTS (Describe throat, belly, side, flanks, crissum etc.) _____

TAIL (Describe inner, middle, outer tail feathers, color pattern, shape etc.) _____

WING (Describe color, length, shape, linings, bars, coverts, leading & trailing edges etc.)

RELATIVE SIZE _____

VOCALIZATION _____

BEHAVIOR _____

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

An accompanying sketch or photograph can be most helpful!