

Northeast Illinois Aerial Waterfowl Survey 2023/2024

January 2nd, 2024

Species	Kankakee R.	Braidwood	Mazonia	Dresden L.	Goose L Pr.	Des Plaines R.	Heidecke L.	IL River	LaSalle L.	Will Co.	Total
Mallard	582	2,555	80	760	775	25	1,050	1,910	1,475	884	10,096
Black Duck				20	50						70
Pintail											0
Teal											0
Wigeon											0
Scaup											0
Ring Neck											0
Canvasback											0
Redhead											0
Goldeneye		5		50	50		300		300	10	715
Bufflehead	20	50	10	10	150		260	50	600	25	1,175
Other							150				150
Total Ducks	602	2,610	90	840	1,025	25	1,760	1,960	2,375	919	12,206
10-yr Avg.											13,767

Canada Goose	1,940	55	345	210		45	475	1,415	1,110	3,675	9,270
Snow Goose											0
Total Geese	1,940	55	345	210	0	45	475	1,415	1,110	3,675	9,270
10-yr Avg.											16,453

Coots			20								20
Swans	11									50	61

Grand Total	2,553	2,665	455	1,050	1,025	70	2,235	3,375	3,485	4,644	21,557
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 20% Cloud Cover; mostly haze
 0.0" Precipitation
 5% Ice Coverage; only edges with skim ice