El Dorado Audubon LCWA Report for May 8, 2025

(January - April 12, 2025)

January 2025

Los Cerritos Wetlands Hellman property Jan 11, 2025 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

19 species (+4 other taxa)

Canada Goose 125 American Wigeon 7

Mallard 4
Mourning Dove 7
Anna's Hummingbird 1
hummingbird sp. 1

Killdeer 2

Greater Yellowlegs 1

peep sp. 5

Double-crested Cormorant 2

Great Egret 3
Cooper's Hawk 1

Red-tailed Hawk 1

Belted Kingfisher 2 Black Phoebe 2

Say's Phoebe 1 American Crow 4

Northern Mockingbird 1

House Finch 3

Acanthis/Spinus sp. 3

Savannah Sparrow (Belding's) 3

Common Yellowthroat 2

passerine sp. 75

Los Cerritos Wetlands Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US

Jan 25, 2025 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

Checklist Comments: Best that could be done due to wind, air quality not good due to fires in LA and Orange County including a local brush fire two days ago.

5 species (+3 other taxa)

gull sp. 15 new world goldfinch sp. 17
Northern Harrier 1 White-crowned Sparrow 21

American Crow 7 Savannah Sparrow 3
House Finch 45 passerine sp. 75

February 2025

Los Cerritos Wetlands Hellman property, Orange, California, US

Feb 8, 2025 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

Checklist Comments: Rained recently we were unable to walk very far on "dirt road" due to puddles and mud where foot goes down 2 inches

Belted Kingfisher seen at the beginning of the walk 17 species (+3 other taxa)

Canada Goose 75 Black Phoebe 1
American Wigeon 14 Say's Phoebe 2

Mallard 14 Northern Mockingbird 1

Mourning Dove 5 House Finch 67

Allen's Hummingbird 2 American Goldfinch 7

Willet 2 White-crowned Sparrow 26 shorebird sp. 2 Savannah Sparrow (Belding's) 5

Double-crested Cormorant 1 Song Sparrow 1

White-tailed Kite 1 new world warbler sp. 11

Belted Kingfisher 1 passerine sp. 200

Los Cerritos Wetlands Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US Feb 22, 2025 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

16 species (+1 other taxa)

Canada Goose 20 Red-tailed Hawk 2 American Wigeon 17 American Crow 20

Mallard 7 Bushtit 3

Bufflehead 4 Northern Mockingbird 1

Ruddy Duck 3 House Finch 5
Mourning Dove 3 Song Sparrow 2

Double-crested Cormorant 5 Red-winged Blackbird 2

Great Egret 1 passerine sp. 50

Great Blue Heron 1

Los Cerritos Wetlands Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US

March 2025

Mar 22, 2025 8:00 AM - 8:30 AM

Protocol: Traveling

0.1 mile(s)

Checklist Comments: From the entrance road

13 species (+2 other taxa)

Canada Goose 15 American Crow 2

Mallard 9 Bushtit 3

Mourning Dove 6 Lesser Goldfinch 5

hummingbird sp. 1 White-crowned Sparrow 4

gull sp. 3 Song Sparrow 5
Great Egret 1 California Towhee 1
Black Phoebe 1 Red-winged Blackbird 5

Say's Phoebe 1

Los Cerritos Wetlands-Zedler Marsh, Los Angeles, California, US

Mar 22, 2025 9:45 AM - 11:45 AM

Protocol: Traveling

0.2 mile(s)

Checklist Comments: Event on State Lands Parcel sponsored by LCWA

8 species (+2 other taxa)

Mallard 5 Northern Rough-winged Swallow 5

hummingbird sp. 1 swallow sp. 20 Great Blue Heron 2 Song Sparrow 2

Red-tailed Hawk 1 Red-winged Blackbird 25
American Crow 5 Common Yellowthroat 3

April 2025

Los Cerritos Wetlands, Hellman Property

Apr 12, 2025 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

17 species (+2 other taxa)

Canada Goose 2 Red-tailed Hawk 2
Mallard 3 American Kestrel 1
Mourning Dove 2 Black Phoebe 1

Killdeer 2 Northern Rough-winged Swallow 2

Willet 1 House Finch 1

Greater Yellowlegs 1 White-crowned Sparrow 5

Western Sandpiper 12 Savannah Sparrow 4 gull sp. 3 Song Sparrow 1

Great Egret 1

Red-winged Blackbird 1 passerine sp. 7

Photos:



Figure 1. Zedler Marsh in Winter



Figure 2. Beautiful Marsh in February 2025

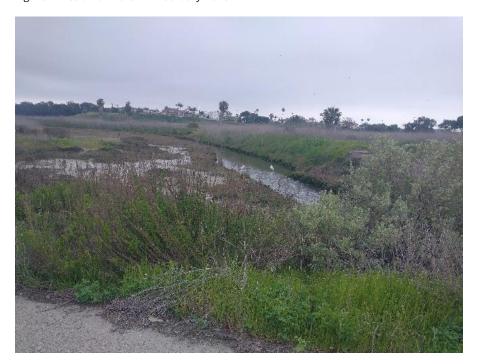


Figure 3. Los Cerritos Wetlands, Hellman, Tidal Inlet