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Attach: IO23B 26042008.xls
Subject: Nature park

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Recd From: Lorna
Kelly

Hi Catherine,

Attached the count from this mornings Atlas count including the Nat Park area. Good numbers of Skylark, Reed Bunting, Willow Warbler, Stonechat, Linnet, Swallow, etc highlighted in yellow for the Park. Large numbers of Hooded Crow, but at least they prey on magpie nests, which were scarce. They may become a "pest species". It's done in 2 hours so it's really a snapshot of the area. More time would produce more info!

Save the attachment to disk, and open it then with Excel.

Cheers
 Brian



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From: "Brian Gormley" <martello99@gmail.com>
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Sent: 28 April 2008 10:27
Subject: Re: EPA Oral Hearing

Hi Catherine,

Lorna is right about the IWeBS counts being done once a month, Sept-March. Oscar Merne thinks (rightly) that they should continue into May and also be done in August to measure the Terns & Lesser black back Gulls which gather in huge numbers. These counts are only concerned about wetland birds, so the Nature Park wouldn't be looked at, only open fields for Brent and waders.

The count last Sat was for the new wintering & breeding birds atlas and I took the two 4km sq grids which cover the Poolbeg. They are each counted twice in the winter period Nov-Feb, and twice in the breeding period Apr-July. That was the first of the summer counts.

I'm going to France for a week tomorrow but I'll send you the four winter Atlas counts today if I get a chance, they may be some use but they are mainly wetland birds.

Good luck with the EPA.....

Brian

27/04/2008



Summary table			
Tetrad	IO13 W		
Season	Winter		
Visit	Late		
Date	Sat, Feb 23, 2008		
No.			
Hours	2 hours		
Pages done	1	2	3
			4

IO13W
 From Londonbridge to the W of the Nature Park
 From just S of the Liffey to the Martello tower
 in Sean Moore Pk to Incinerator area

Page	Species	1st hour count	2nd hour count	Extra	Breeding Code	Tetrad Popn Estimate	Options
	1 Mute Swan	2			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	1 Brent Goose (Light-bellied)	12	52		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	1 Mallard	30			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	1 Tufted Duck	2			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Little Egret	1			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Moorhen	2			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Oystercatcher	59			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat (42 at Sean Moore)		Delete Edit
	2 Ringed Plover	20			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Knot	223			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Sanderling		160		off causeway		Delete Edit
	2 Dunlin	500			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Black-tailed Godwit	2			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Curlew	2	3		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Redshank	56			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Greenshank	1	1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Turnstone	15			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Black-headed Gull	224	78		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	2 Herring Gull	5			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Feral Pigeon		2		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Grey Wagtail	1			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Pied/White Wagtail		4		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Wren	1			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Robin	1	1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Stonechat	1	2		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Blackbird	1	1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Song Thrush	1			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	3 Mistle Thrush	19			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	4 Magpie	4	2		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	4 Rook	3	2		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	4 Hooded Crow	11	7		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	4 Starling	26	10		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	4 Chaffinch	1			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	4 Greenfinch		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		Delete Edit
	Total species: 33	28	15				

Summary table	
Tetrad	IO13 W
Season	Winter
Visit	Early
Date	Sat, Dec 29, 2007
No.	
Hours	2 hours
Pages done	1 2 3 4

IO13W
 From Lon Jonbridge to the W of the Nature Park
 From just S of the Liffey to the Martello tower
 in Sean Moore Pk to Incinerator area

Page	Species	1st hour count	2nd hour count	Extra	Breeding Code	Tetrad Popn Estimate	Options
							Delete Edit
1	Mule Swan	2					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1	Brent Goose (Light-bellied)	329	64				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1	Shelduck	2					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1	Mallard	70					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Oystercatcher	123	22				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Knot	6					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Dunlin	5					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Curlew	5	5				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Redshank	41	32				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Greenshank	1					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Turnstone	22					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Black-headed Gull	591	200				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Herring Gull	10					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Great Black-backed Gull	6					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
3	Feral Pigeon	1					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
3	Pied/White Wagtail	2					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
3	Blackbird		2				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
3	Mistle Thrush	8					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Magpie	4	1				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Jackdaw	5					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Rook		4				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Hooded Crow	4	10				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Starling	18					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Goldfinch		4				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4	Linnet	1					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	Total species: 25	21	10				

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Summary table			
Tetrad	IO23 B		
Season	Winter		
Visit	Late		
Date	Sun, Jan 27, 2008		
No.			
Hours	2 hours		
Pages done	1	2	3
			4

IO23B
 From W of Nature Park to near Half Moon
 From ESB outflow, S to approx Martello Tower
 in Nature Park

Page	Species	1st hour count	2nd hour count	Extra	Breeding Code	Tetrad Popn Estimate	Options
	1 Red-breasted Merganser	2					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	1 Red-throated Diver	1					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Cormorant	6					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Shag	1					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Grey Heron	1					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Oystercatcher	29	6				<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Sanderling		75				<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Redshank		51				<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Greenshank		3				<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Turnstone	6	8				<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Black-headed Gull	1050	150				<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	2 Common Gull	320					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	3 Gullinmot	1					<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	3 Wren		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	3 Robin		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	3 Stonechat	4			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	4 Magpie		3		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	4 Hooded Crow		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	4 Starling	33	3		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	4 Greenfinch		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	Total species: 20	12	12				

IO23B
From W of Nature Park to near Half Moon
From ESB outflow, S to approx Martello Tower
in Nature Park

Summary table	
Tetrad	IO23 B
Season	Winter
Visit	Early
Date	Sun, Nov 25, 2007
No.	
Hours	2 hours
Pages done	1 2 3 4

Page	Species	1st hour count	2nd hour count	Extra	Breeding Code	Tetrad Popn Estimate	Options
	1 Red-breasted Merganser	5					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	1 Great Crested Grebe	1					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Cormorant		31				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Grey Heron	1	2				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Oystercatcher	58	12				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Sanderling		12				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Dunlin	1	2				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Redshank	114	9				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Greenshank	1					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Turnstone		36				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Black-headed Gull	400	300				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	2 Common Gull		60				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Guillemot		1				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Meadow Pipit		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Pied/White Wagtail		1				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Wren		2				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Dunnock		1				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Stonechat	1	1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	3 Blackbird	3			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	4 Magpie	1					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	4 Starling	75					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	4 Greenfinch	1	5		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> -
	Total species: 22	13	16				

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 Tetrads: IO23 B
 Season: Breeding
 Visit: Early
 Date: Sat, Apr 26, 2008
 No. Hours: 2 hours

From W end of the Nat Park and E to near the Half Moon.
 From ESB outflow at N, S approx to the Martello Tower.
 In the Nature Park

Species	1st hour count	2nd hour count	Extra	Breeding Code	Count
Shelduck		2			2
Cormorant	3				3
Little Egret		1			1
Oystercatcher	7	22			29
Curlew		5			5
Redshank		29			29
Common Sandpiper		1			1
Black-headed Gull	12				12
Common Gull	88				88
Herring Gull	33				33
Great Black-backed Gull	1	2			3
Feral Pigeon		6		T - Territoriality over 1 week	6
Woodpigeon		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	1
Skylark		2		S - Singing/breeding calls heard	2
Swallow		3		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	3
Meadow Pipit	2			H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	2
Duncock		1		S - Singing/breeding calls heard	1
Robin		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	1
Stonechat		2		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	2
Wheatear	2			2 males	2
Blackbird		4		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	4
Song Thrush		1		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	1
Willow Warbler		2		S - Singing/breeding calls heard	2
Magpie		2		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	2
Hooded Crow	1	15		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	16
Starling		30		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	30
Greenfinch		11		H - Seen in suitable nesting habitat	11
Linnet	3	10		S - Singing/breeding calls heard	13
Reed Bunting		4		S - Singing/breeding calls heard	4
Brent Goose (Light-bellied)	26			P - Pair present + 2 males	26
Turnstone		3			3
Total species: 31		12	24		36

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