

LOUISIANA BIRD RECORDS COMMITTEE

REPORT FORM

This form is intended as a convenience in reporting observations of species on the Louisiana Bird Records Committee (LBRC) Review List. The LBRC recommends the use of this form or a similar format when submitting records for review to assure that all pertinent information is accounted for. Attach additional pages or files as necessary. Please print or type for hard copy. For electronic copy, be sure to save this file to your computer before entering text. Attach field notes, drawings, photographs, or tape recordings, if available. Include all photos for more obscurely marked species. When completed (if hard copy), mail to Secretary, Louisiana Bird Records Committee, c/o Museum of Natural Science, 119 Foster Hall, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803-3216, or e-mail electronic copy as an attachment to Paul Edward Conover at <zoiseaux@lusfiber.net> .

1. English and Scientific names: [Brown-crested Flycatcher \(*Myiarchus tyrannulus*\)](#)
2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2 in alternate plumage): [1](#)
3. Parish: [Orleans](#)
Specific Locality: [Bayou Sauvage NWR, Recovery One road](#)
4. Date(s) when observed: [13 Nov. 16](#)
5. Time(s) of day when observed: [early afternoon](#)
6. Reporting observer and address: [Van Remsen, LSUMNS](#)
7. Other observers accompanying reporter who also *identified* the bird(s):
8. Other observers who independently identified the bird(s): [This bird was found and documented a few days before by Joan Garvey et al.](#)
9. Light conditions (position of bird in relation to shade and to direction and amount of light): [ok](#)
10. Optical equipment (type, power, condition): [10X50 binos, Nikon P610 camera](#)
11. Distance to bird(s): [as close as ca. 30 ft.](#)
12. Duration of observation: [Off and on for ca. 15 mins.](#)
13. Habitat: [Scrubby woods bordering marsh and canal; lots of tallow](#)

14. Behavior of bird / circumstances of observation (flying, feeding, resting; include and stress habits used in identification; relate events surrounding observation): [Interacting with 2 Ash-throateds.](#)

15. Description (include only what was actually seen, *not what "should" have been seen*; include if possible: total length/relative size compared to other familiar species; body bulk, shape, proportions; bill, eye, leg, and plumage characteristics. Stress features that separate it from similar species, *or for species that are known to hybridize frequently, stress features that help eliminate possible hybrids*): [Obvious Myiarchus with heavy bill, pale gray chest, and pale yellow underparts – see video and photos for details](#)

16. Voice: [Sharp “poik” call note – see video](#)

17. Similar species (include how they were eliminated by your observation): [Plumage much like Ash-throated except that dark outer web of outer rectrices ended near tail tip \(instead of making J or L shape to cover rest of rectrix. Bill too larger and call wrong for Ash-throated. Too pale overall for GCFL; call wrong; lacked contrasting white tertial margins.](#)

18. Photographs or tape recordings obtained? (by whom? attached?): [Yes, photos \(attached\) and video by me \(https://youtu.be/dKumvkhFoJc\).](#)

19. Previous experience with this species: [Some, in TX, AZ, CA, UT, and Bolivia.](#)

20. Identification aids: (list books, illustrations, other birders, etc. used in identification): [none](#)

a. at time of observation:

b. after observation:

21. This description is written from:

<input type="checkbox"/>	notes made during the observation.	Are notes attached?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	notes made after the observation.	At what date?	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	memory		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	study of images		

22. Are you positive of your identification? [YES](#) If not, explain:

23. Date: [4 Dec. 2106](#)

Time:

24. May the LBRC have permission to display this report or portions of this report on its website? YES
If yes, may we include your name with the report? YES





