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1	<b>2022 KALAMAZOO CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT SPECIES LIST WITH COMMENTS</b>		
2	<b>Species</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Comments</b>
3	Cackling Goose	1	Rare. 3rd occurrence, first in 2011, 5 in 2020.
4	Canada Goose	2731	The most since 1997.
5	Mute Swan	36	First released in 1955. Non-native.
6	Trumpeter Swan	51	Clear new high, formerly 32 in 2021
7	Tundra Swan	3	In each of last 3 years.
8	swan (species)	6	
9	Wood Duck	1	Has occurred most years since 1971.
10	Gadwall	123	Annual and common since 1970.
11	American Wigeon	2	Annual but sporadic, found in all of last 5 years.
12	American Black Duck	3	In all but one year since 1959, but fewer over time.
13	Mallard	659	Common, only missed on 2nd and 4th counts.
14	Blue-winged Teal	1	Rare, same bird as in last 4 years.
15	Northern Pintail	9	Still quite regular, but few in number.
16	Green-winged Teal	3	Becoming uncommon, this the 2nd since 2008.
17	Ring-necked Duck	2	Since 2007, mostly 1-3 individuals, but 14 in 2010.
18	Greater Scaup	1	Rare. 2nd record since 2001. If accepted.
19	Bufflehead	21	Typical count.
20	Common Goldeneye	26	A few more than normal.
21	Hooded Merganser	4	Typically 1 or 2, making this year's 4 a good number.
22	Common Merganser	8	Usually in low numbers, but a whopping 60 in 1959.
23	Wild Turkey	180	Huge increase, old high 126 in 2007.
24	Great Blue Heron	10	Highest since the 21 in 2006.
25	Cooper's Hawk	3	Lower count. See article.
26	Red-shouldered Hawk	3	New high count, see article.
27	Red-tailed Hawk	28	Good number despite avian influenza.
28	Rough-legged Hawk	1	Usually just 1-3 birds, the most was 9 in 1964.
29	Sandhill Crane	5	Rare. This the 3rd year in a row after 4-year absence
30	Killdeer	1	Now rare. Nearly annual till 1989, then none for 22 years.
31	Rock Pigeon	51	Lowest report by far. Previous low of 134 in 2008.
32	Mourning Dove	176	One of the more modest reports in recent years.
33	Eastern Screech-Owl	4	Found every year since 1972.
34	Great Horned Owl	8	Eight counts in double digits, with the last in 1997.
35	Barred Owl	2	Average count.
36	Belted Kingfisher	11	A good count. In 1976 19 were reported.
37	Red-bellied Woodpecker	89	Long slow rising population, this is the second highest.
38	Downy Woodpecker	128	Highest number since the 162 of 1999.
39	Hairy Woodpecker	45	Second highest, high of 57 recorded in 2020.
40	Northern Flicker	36	A good tally, with the high of 57 in 1999.

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41	Pileated Woodpecker	21	Doing very well. See article.
42	American Kestrel	2	Any year with more than one is good.
43	Peregrine Falcon	2	Present for 9 years, but missed in 2017.
44	Blue Jay	363	Nicely above average. See article.
45	American Crow	4700	A bit over average for the roost.
46	Black-capped Chickadee	360	Almost identical to last year and just above average.
47	Tufted Titmouse	181	About 75% higher than average. Good count.
48	Red-breasted Nuthatch	12	Second time in double digits, three years in a row.
49	White-breasted Nuthatch	184	Well over average.
50	Brown Creeper	14	In upper range of counts.
51	Carolina Wren	22	Increasing nicely from the one individual in 2017.
52	Winter Wren	1	Generally few present this year.
53	Eastern Bluebird	65	Middle of the road number.
54	Hermit Thrush	1	Few present this year. I'm pleased it was found.
55	American Robin	496	The most since 1998 and 2002. Widespread.
56	Northern Mockingbird	1	Last in 2011. Longest absence since first seen in 1959.
57	European Starling	722	A bit below average.
58	Cedar Waxwing	55	Pretty low tally for this variable species.
59	American Tree Sparrow	200	Seven counts in single digits, only one at a feeder.
60	Song Sparrow	22	Good tally for recent years.
61	Swamp Sparrow	2	Good tally for recent years.
62	White-throated Sparrow	2	Fewer than normal.
63	sparrow (species)	16	
64	Dark-eyed Junco	510	This was a good count for the past 30 years.
65	Northern Cardinal	224	A little above average.
66	Red-winged Blackbird	5	Second year in a row, 6th since 1986 + two Count Week years.
67	House Finch	254	Fairly typical, but a long way from the 1,225 in 1995.
68	Red Crossbill	1	Rare. Very intriguing. See article.
69	Pine Siskin	2	This six-year run is the longest ever.
70	American Goldfinch	186	A lowish tally in the last 40 years.
71	House Sparrow	511	It has been 24 years since the last four-digit tally.