

LBRC Report Form

1. English and Scientific names: Green-breasted Mango Anthracothorax prevostii
2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2 in alternate plumage):
1, female (per Erik Johnson)
3. Parish:
Terrebonne
4. Specific Locality:
105 St. George Circle, Shriever, LA
5. Date(s) when observed: 12.5.2023
6. Time(s) of day when observed: 2:40pm
7. Reporting observer: Kathy Rhodes
8. Other observers accompanying reporter who also identified the bird(s):
Diana Bailly
9. Other observers who independently identified the bird(s):
None....sent photos to Erik Johnson who confirmed ID
10. Light conditions (position of bird in relation to shade and to direction and amount of light): Bright
11. Optical equipment (type, power, condition): Nikon Coolpix B600 Camera and Nikon Prostaff 3s 10x42 Binoculars
12. Distance to bird(s): About 30 feet
13. Duration of observation: 2 minutes - I waited for bird. Once it came back I took photos and had to leave
14. Habitat: Private well manicured yard but is certified backyard habitat. Native plants with humminbird and seed feeders.
15. Behavior of bird / circumstances of observation (flying, feeding, resting; include and stress habits used in identification; relate events surrounding observation): Bird flew to feeder, drank a few times fluttering about then left.
16. 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):

Large hummingbird compared to others usually seen here. Green back, white breast with mottled black stripe down middle of breast. Rufous tail with white edging.

Decurved bill.

Bird originally discovered by homeowner and birder Diana Baily who called me to help her identify.

17. Voice: Did not hear.

18. Similar species (include how they were eliminated by your observation):

Buff-bellied Hummingbird is closest I've seen. BBHU had red bill and buff coloring.

This one had black bill.

19. Photographs or tape recordings obtained? (by whom? attached?):

Yes, Me.

20. Previous experience with this species: None other than pictures of one seen in Louisiana earlier this year.

21. Identification aids: (list books, illustrations, other birders, etc. used in identification):

Erik Johnson confirmed photos sent to him. Merlin app also ID'd.

22. Identification aids used when?

At time of sighting

23. Are you positive of your identification? If not, explain:

Yes

24. Date report completed:

12.5.2023

25. May the LBRC have permission to display in whole or in part this report and accompanying photos on the LOS-LBRC website and LBRC Facebook page?

Yes

26. If yes, may we include your name with the report?

Yes









