LBRC Report Form

1. English and Scientific names: Gray Kingbird Tyrannus dominicensis

2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2 in alternate plumage):

3. Parish: Jefferson

4. Specific Locality: Landry Lane just past the Cemetary and Landry B&B on the wire on the east side

5. Date(s) when observed: 5.11.2024

6. Time(s) of day when observed: 7:32am

7. Reporting observer: Kathy Rhodes

8. Other observers accompanying reporter who also identified the bird(s): Ezra Garber

9. Other observers who independently identified the bird(s): None

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 Binoculars

12. Distance to bird(s): 50-75 feet

13. Duration of observation: 5 minutes

14. Habitat: Neighborhood street surrounded by old live oak trees

15. Behavior of bird / circumstances of observation (flying, feeding, resting; include and stress habits used in identification; relate events surrounding observation): Sallying for bugs, landed on utility wiree

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):

Dark Gray and White Kingbird with Large Bill.

17. Voice: None Heard

18. Similar species (include how they were eliminated by your observation): Not an Eastern Kingbird as it was not black and white, it was dark gray. Had much larger bill and not white tail edge.

19. Photographs or tape recordings obtained? (by whom? attached?): me, Kathy Rhodes

20. Previous experience with this species: This is my 4th time this year seeing this species.

21. Identification aids: (list books, illustrations, other birders, etc. used in identification): None

22. Identification aids used when? None used

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

24. Date report completed:5.12.2024

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



