## **LBRC Report Form**

- 1. English and Scientific names: Harris's Hawk / Parabuteo unicinctus
- 2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2 in alternate plumage): One, see photo
- 3. Parish:

Cameron Parish

- 4. Specific Locality:
- 2-3 miles west of Rockefeller refuge
- 5. Date(s) when observed: 11/15/2024
- 6. Time(s) of day when observed: 0910 hrs
- 7. Reporting observer: Myself / Frank Garacci
- 8. Other observers accompanying reporter who also identified the bird(s): My Beagle, Lucki Girl
- 9. Other observers who independently identified the bird(s): N/A
- 10. Light conditions (position of bird in relation to shade and to direction and amount of light): On pole crossbeam, facing the Sun
- 11. Optical equipment (type, power, condition): Canon, 7DMKII, 100/400 lens
- 12. Distance to bird(s): Approx 60 feet
- 13. Duration of observation: 1-2 minutes
- 14. Habitat: Along La Highway 82
- 15. Behavior of bird / circumstances of observation (flying, feeding, resting; include and stress habits used in identification; relate events surrounding observation): Resting
- 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):

See photo

17. Voice: N/A

18. Similar species (include how they were eliminated by your observation): Positive ID by Erik Johnson

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

- 20. Previous experience with this species: First encounter
- 21. Identification aids: (list books, illustrations, other birders, etc. used in identification):

Friend and IBird pro app

22. Identification aids used when? After observation

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

24. Date report completed: 11/21/2024

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

