## 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: Yellow-green Vireo Vireo flavoviridis
- 2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2 in alternate plumage):

1 in general plumage

3. Parish: Jefferson

Specific Locality: Grand Isle Exxon fields woods

4. Date(s) when observed:

5/26/2019

5. Time(s) of day when observed:

9:45 a.m.

6. Reporting observer and city/state address

Reporting observer: Joan Garvey
City: New Orleans
State: Louisiana

7. Other observers accompanying reporter who also *identified* the bird(s):

Mark Meunier, David Muth

- 8. Other observers who *independently identified* the bird(s):
- 9. Light conditions (position of bird in relation to shade and to direction and amount of light): Sunny
- 10. Optical equipment (type, power, condition):

Zeizz 10 x 42 good condition Canon 7 D Mark II 400mm f/4 DO-IS II USM

- 11. Distance to bird(s):
- 12-15 feet
- 12. Duration of observation: 2 minutes or more as bird foraged in mulberry and evergreen trees next to a concrete slab.

13. Habitat: Mixed woods located on the edge of the Exxon fields.
14. Behavior of bird / circumstances of observation (flying, feeding, resting; include and stress habits used in identification; relate events surrounding observation):  The bird was foraging in some small trees  15. Description (include only what was actually seen, <i>not what "should" have been seen;</i> 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, <i>or for species that are known to hybridize frequently, stress features that help eliminate possible hybrids</i> ):  A very yellow vireo with a grayish crown and heavy bill  16. Voice: n/a
17. Similar species (include how they were eliminated by your observation):  A Red-eyed Vireo would have a sharp contrast between the gray crown and white eyeline. The bill was also heavier than a Red-eyed Vireo  18. Photographs or tape recordings obtained? (by whom? attached?):  Yes by Joan Garvey  19. Previous experience with this species:
20. Identification aids: (list books, illustrations, other birders, etc. used in identification):
a. at time of observation:
b. after observation:
21. This description is written from:
notes made during the observation. Are notes attached?
notes made after the observation. At what date?
x memory
x study of images
22. Are you positive of your identification? If not, explain:
Yes
23. Date: 5/26/2019 Time: 9:45 a.m.
24. 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?

If yes, may we include your name with the report? \_\_\_\_\_yes\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_yes \_\_\_\_\_





