## BIRD WALK AT WHITE TANKS REGIONAL PARK August 11, 2014



At 6:15 in the morning we started our 2-hour birding hike of 0.75-mile on the Ford Canyon Trail near Area 9. When we started the temperature was 84° F, under a partly cloudy sky with no breeze; the temperature was 95° F when we ended the walk.

The five participants plus the leader, Joe Ford, found the following 16 species: Gambel's Quail, Turkey Vulture, White-winged Dove, Mourning Dove, Great Horned Owl, Gila Woodpecker, Ladder-backed Woodpecker, unidentified flicker, Loggerhead Shrike, Verdin, Cactus Wren, Canyon Wren, Black-tailed Gnatcatcher, Curve-billed Thrasher, Black-throated Sparrow, and House Finch.

Counts and other details are at eBird http://ebird.org/ebird/view/checklist?subID=S19436163