

EASTERN POPULATION – PENNSYLVANIA SANDHILL CRANE FALL SURVEY - OBSERVATION FORM

** Complete form even if NO cranes observed. Use separate form for each location and date.

OBSERVER: _____ **E-MAIL/PHONE:** _____

DATE: _____ **START:** _____ AM/PM **END:** _____ AM/PM **HRS:** _____
 (if possible count birds at roost sites before they scatter, sunrise/sunset)

CRANES OBSERVED:

	seen	heard only
Adults -_red crown white cheek/throat, gray nape		
Juveniles -_gray/brown crown and nape, buffy secondary wing coverts		
Unknown age		
TOTAL		

LOCATION: PA

COUNTY:	PROPERTY NAME or OWNER:
LATITUDE (decimal degrees if possible):	LONGITUDE:
ADDRESS (if applicable):	TOWNSHIP:

WEATHER: (circle appropriate)

Precipitation: None Fog Mist Light Rain Moderate Rain Heavy Rain Snow

Temperature (F°): <40 40-50 50-60 >60

Wind: Calm Gentle Light Moderate Strong

HABITAT TYPE cranes are using at time of observation (circle one):

Row Crop field Wetland Pasture/Hay Lawn Other: _____

At this location cranes (circle all appropriate): over-winter nest neither unknown

SURVEY METHOD (circle each): visual only playback used

NOTES - Please make any additional notes on back of this page.

Return to: Fall Sandhill Crane Survey, PGC-BWM, 2001 Elmerton Ave, Harrisburg PA 17110 or scan and email to: liswilliam@pa.gov