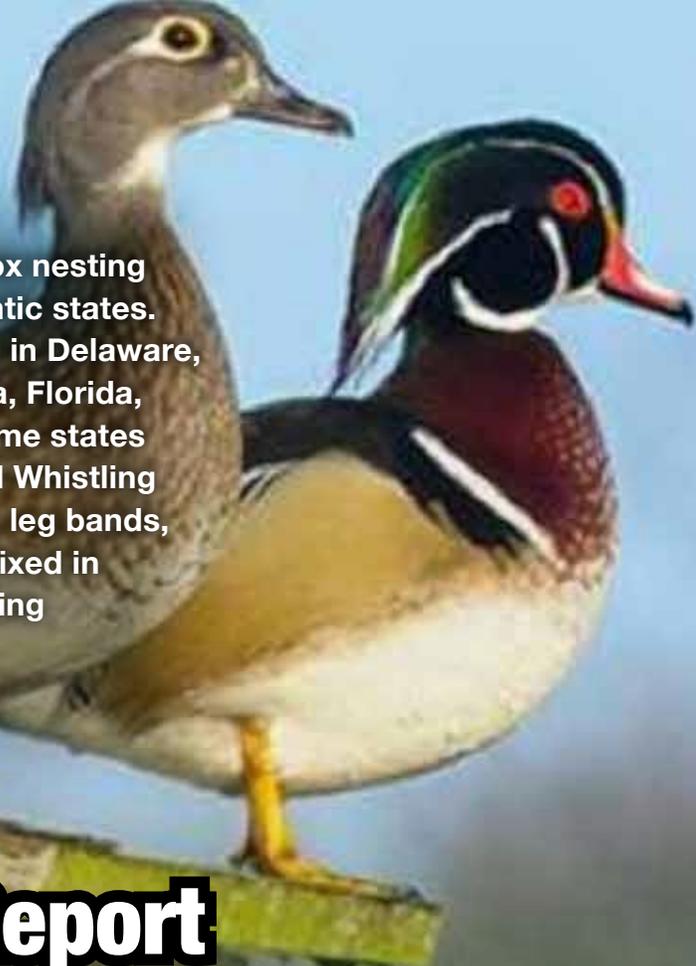


ATTENTION: Waterfowl Banders and Hunters

Several collaborators are studying populations of box nesting Wood Ducks across the southeastern and mid-Atlantic states. Nesting Wood Ducks and ducklings are being marked in Delaware, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, and Louisiana. Also be aware that some states are marking Hooded Mergansers and Black-Bellied Whistling Ducks. Some birds will only have standard aluminum leg bands, while others may have bands and/or metal tags affixed in the webbing between their toes. During this upcoming banding and hunting season, PLEASE inspect for these markings and report any recoveries.



Please Report

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LEG BANDS:

Standard Federal Band with 8 or 9 digit code
Ex. 1265-12345

Follow prompt for "Federal band and color marker from the same bird" for ducks with both leg bands and web tags



WEB TAGS:

Ex. SC100

Follow prompt for "Color marker only" and enter the alpha-numeric code

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