

## **IORC Documentation Submission**

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1) This form submitted as supporting documentation of (check all that apply):	Unusual species
If other, please describe:	
2) Species:	Townsend's Warbler
3) Number of birds:	1
4) Age/Sex/Plumage:	Adult male, in fall plumage?
5) Date:	2019-09-15
6) Location (include county):	Montrose Point Cook County
7) Observers:	Probably more than 200 people (about 40 when I was there)
8) Your name:	Colin Dobson
Street Address	
Street Address Line 2	
City	
State / Province / Region	
Postal / Zip Code	
Country	
10) Your e-mail address:	
11) Others agreeing with the identification:	Others
12) Observers NOT agreeing with the identification:	None?
13) Description of bird (size, shape, proportions, details of both color and pattern on head, back, chin, throat, breast, flanks, wings, undertail, and tail, etc.; coloration of soft parts: bill, legs, and feet) include only details actually seen in the field :	This bird was seen off and on during my time at Montrose during the time I was there. This bird was mostly spending time with a flock of Magnolia Warblers. Black-throated Green type warbler but more of a darker/black back, yellow head through the upper stomach unlike a BTG with some limited streaking and black on the throat and near the eye. Pictures show this better.
14) Description of behavior:	Seen with a flock of warblers several times feeding and flying towards the tops of the trees.
15) Description of vocalizations:	None
16) Description of immediate and surrounding habitat(s):	Lake, hedges. prairies, forests, beach , dunes, urban
17) Optical equipment used for observation (type, power):	Binoculars
18) Distance/how measured?	20 feet at the least
19) Time of observation:	03:15 pm

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20) Total time of observation:	Saw several times with the most being 5 minutes during one observation
21) Weather conditions:	nice sunny day i believe.
22) Previous experience with this species and similar species:	Ive seen this bird out west in Washington and one that was very similar with this bird in W Texas this Spring
23) Please eliminate other similar species and/or hybrids:	The amount of yellow and no greenish on the back eliminates BTG
24) Were photos obtained?	Yes
25) If so, by whom?	Myself and many others
26) Books and illustrations consulted and advice received. How did these influence this description?:	None
27) How long after the observation were field notes recorded?	that day
28) How long after the observation was this form completed?	Nearly a month
29) Additional remarks (URLs can be entered here):	



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