



# HERON COLONY OBSERVATION FORM

Pennsylvania Game Commission

## 1. OBSERVER INFORMATION

## 2. COLONY LOCATION INFORMATION

Name: <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer	Township:
Address:	Latitude (dd): _____
Phone:	Longitude (dd): _____
Email:	Map datum (e.g., WGS84): _____
	Estimated Distance to Colony (meters):

## 3. EFFORT INFORMATION

Date (MM/DD/YY):	Total Minutes Observing Birds:
Time of Survey:	Roundtrip Mileage:

## 4. NEST COLONY INFORMATION

Species:	Number of Nests:	Number of Active Nests:
Are Chicks Visible: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Species Observed:	Possible Nests Out of View: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Total Number of Birds:	# Adults:	# Juveniles:

## 5. ADDITIONAL COLONY INFORMATION

Threats to the Colony:
Dominant Tree Species:
Behaviors observed at or near the nest (i.e., carrying food) & Other Notes:

Please return to [heron@pa.gov](mailto:heron@pa.gov), or 2001 Elmerton Ave, Harrisburg, PA 17110, **BY AUGUST 31**.  
Your participation is essential to successful waterbird monitoring. *Thank you!*