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water but dropped or glided to surface to pick up material brought up by the merganser, sometimes challenging the mergansers. In bay on east side of reservoir just north of boat ramp were appx. 400 mallards and some 30 small ducks that could not be identified at that distance. Left at 40.2 mileage at 10:52. 40.6 3 female common American goldeneye. 40.7 Appx 700 ♂+♀ mallards in protected bay around corner. also 3 pied-billed grebes. appx 40 mallards left before entire group left at one moment. 41.2 crossing drainage of this bay. 42.1 opposite trailer area to N but road continues up hill. 2 pairs of mallards here. 43.2 main N S road + now to N. 43.3 15 crows, redtail hawk 43.4 2 marsh hawks. 43.8 entering Jefferson State Park, Point area. 44.1 several large erratics to N (200' off road). 44.4 to right to Jefferson Point area. 45.1 redtail among trees, 80 tree sparrows, 20 juncos, 4 cardinals, 8 chickadees, downy in one flock (boat ramp area) 45.4 good road cut at top of hill. 45.8 300 mallards in bay. 4 bluewings and 3 pied billed grebes. marsh hawk flew directly over ducks but ducks did not react. 120 tree sparrows, 9 Harris sparrows, 8 cardinals, 2 downy, 28 juncos and 18 goldfinch in one group. 10 bobwhites left side of road. 19 starling flew by. 46.3 2 crows in trailer area 46.4 S end trailer area at turn around. At this point the native grasses are cut into tracts or lanes in field bordering lake. This area of trailer accommodation should be just inside trees to W of area. 47.1 now to right at boat ramp. 11:30 A.M. 47.4 percentage of ♂ to ♀ mallards in group to right. ♂♀♂♀♂♂♂♂ ♀♀♀♂♂♀♂♀♂♂♀♂♂♂♀♂♂♂♀♂♂♂♂♂♂♀♀♀♂♀♂♂♂♂♀♀♂♂♀♂♂♂♀♂♂♂♀♂♂♀♂♂♂♀♂♂♀♂♂♂♀♂. male 41. female 20 / 61. Associated were: 27 green-wing teal and 15 american coot, 3 pied bill grebes.

47.5 snow on N exposure where ground surface has been removed to slope side of road. Some in native forest but generally free of snow. 47.7 main road of loop. 5 cardinals, 1 yellow-shafted flicker. 48.0 now right to Jefferson Point. 48.4 Point but too many trees to see lake beyond. 48.7 back to main loop road. 49.0 now main road. Entered loop to N at ~~48.8~~ 49.1 to W. Redtail among trees. 49.2 15 juncos 49.8 boat ramp. Nice picnic area. At ramp. 120 mallards, 20 green-wing teal, 1 baldpate, 2 pied-billed grebes. In main bay 150 mallards. Fox squirrel. 50.7 back to main road + now E to bridge. 51.4 bridge. 18 mallards to right against