

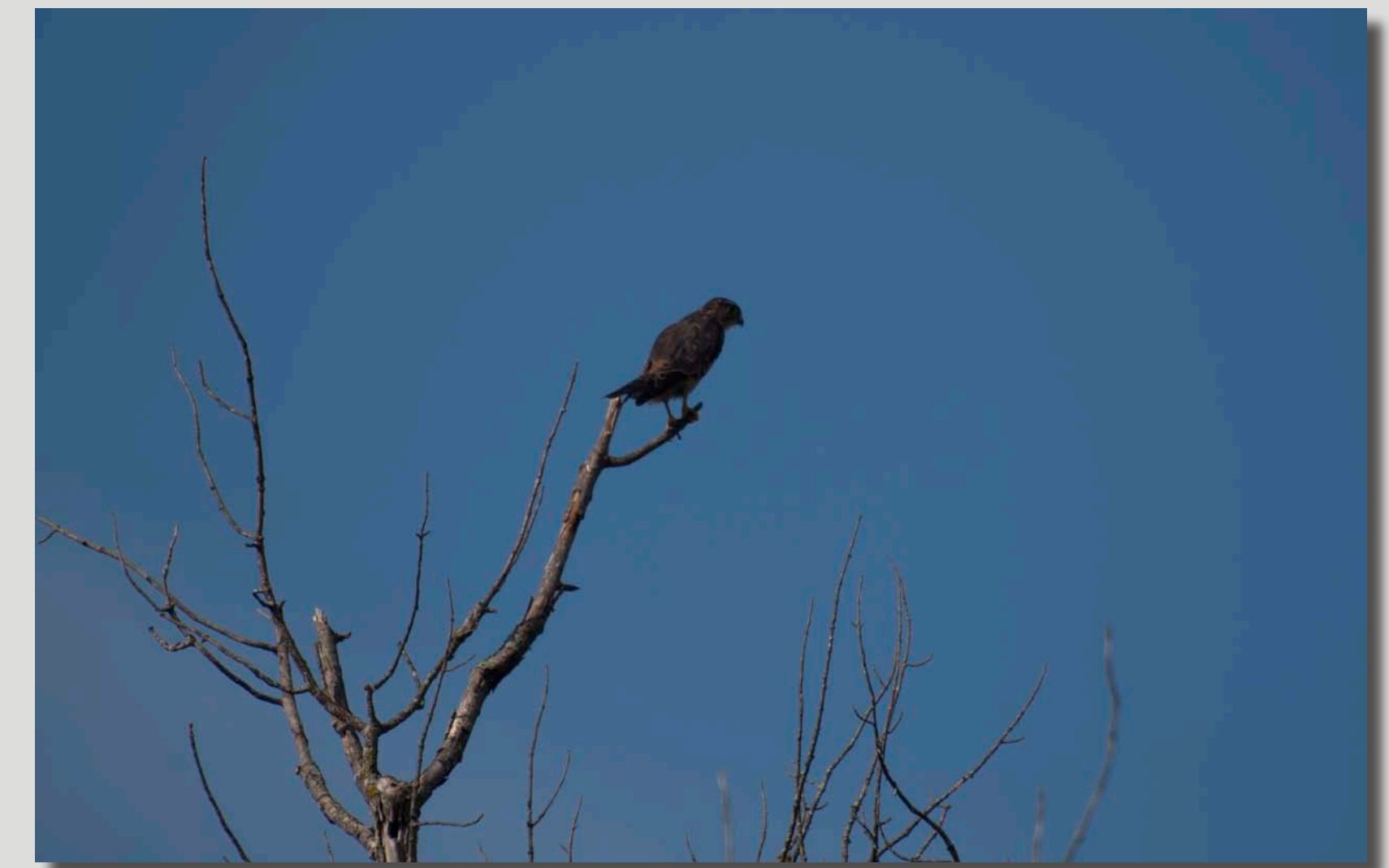
Environmental Screening

Endangered Species

In general, within the study area there have been sightings of rare plants, animals and natural features. The sightings include state endangered, threatened, or special concerns species, native plant or animal communities or geological features.

Most sightings are in, or near areas designated as regionally significant ecological areas. (See Natural Features Maps)

Coordination with the Minnesota DNR may be needed to ensure there are no adverse impacts on wildlife as trail development progresses.



Vertebrate Animal

- Blanding's Turtle
- Sandhill Crane
- Bald Eagle
- Caddisfly
- Least Darter
- Eastern Hognose Snake
- Plains Hog-nosed Snake
- Pugnose Shiner
- Wilson's Phalarope

Invertebrate Animals

- Black Sandshell
- Creek Heelsplitter
- Mucket
- Northern Barrens Tiger Beetle

Vascular Plants

- Hills Thistle
- Blunt Sedge
- Drummond's Campion
- Kitten Tails
- Humped Bladderwort

Plant/Tree Communities

- Red Oak- Sugar Maple- Basswood (Large-Flowered Trillium) Forest
- Colonial Waterbird Nesting Site
- Butternut

