

## DO WE HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BECOME A BIRD FRIENDLY CITY?

Please complete this survey if you are interested in applying to be a bird friendly city in Canada

#### **CONTACT AND IDENTIFICATION**

NAME:		
EMAIL ADDRESS:		
CITY/TOWN:		

## **ASSESSMENT QUESTIONS:**

Do you have a bird team/committee?	Yes	No	Not Sure
Do you celebrate World Migratory Bird Day?	Yes	No	Not Sure
Do you have a municipal councilor who would support this initiative?	Yes	No	Not Sure
Do you know in which traditional Indigenous territory your city is	Yes	No	Not Sure

## IS THERE AN EFFORT AT THE MUNICIPAL OR PUBLIC LEVEL TO ADDRESS THE FOLLOWING ISSUES?

Cats roaming at large	Yes	No	Not Sure
Bird window collisions	Yes	No	Not Sure
Bird collisions with vehicles	Yes	No	Not Sure
Light Pollution	Yes	No	Not Sure
Pesticide use on private or public lands	Yes	No	Not Sure
Plastic pollution	Yes	No	Not Sure
Disturbance of birds at natural areas or important bird habitat	Yes	No	Not Sure
What are the issues that are the most important for you to address?			



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## DOES YOUR MUNICIPALITY HAVE THE FOLLOWING TO PROTECT BIRDS AND THEIR HABITAT?

A protected areas policy	Yes	No	Not Sure
A biodiversity strategy	Yes	No	Not Sure
A strategy and policies to address climate change challenges	Yes	No	Not Sure
An ecological approach to managing its trees and forests	Yes	No	Not Sure
Policies that promote the use of native species	Yes	No	Not Sure
Which of the municipal policies is most important to you?			

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## DO YOU HAVE THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR CITY OR TOWN TO CONNECT BIRDS WITH PEOPLE?

Publicly visible information and infrastructure that supports birds	Yes	No	Not Sure
Organizations that provide children and youth with bird education	Yes	No	Not Sure
Post-secondary institutions that practice bird-friendly activities	Yes	No	Not Sure
Public resources to promote individual practices that help birds	Yes	No	Not Sure
A local, publically accessible birding location	Yes	No	Not Sure
Businesses that have bird-friendly practices and products	Yes	No	Not Sure
Active citizen science programs for birds in your community	Yes	No	Not Sure
What outreach or education actions are the most important for you?			

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WHY DO YOU WANT YOUR CITY TO BE RECOGNIZED AS A BIRD FRIENDLY CITY? (max 50 words)

