

BIRD CARCASS DATA CARD

*If you come across a dead bird while cleaning the beach **LEAVE THE CARCASS ALONE.** Please fill out this data card to report your dead bird sighting and the authorities will properly dispose of the carcass. Thank you for your cooperation and help in keeping the Great Lakes healthy!*

Date _____

State _____

County _____

Beach Site Name _____

Location of Carcass on the Beach:

< 5 feet from the water 5-10 feet from the water > 10 feet from the water

Other _____

Amount of Decomposition:

Slightly decomposed Fairly decomposed Very decomposed

Other _____

Bird Species (if identifiable):

Common loon

Merganser

Horned grebe

Piping plover

Ring-billed gull

Cormorant

Other _____

Other _____

Other _____

Is the Bird Banded? Yes No

THANK YOU!

Please return the data card to:
Inland Seas Education Association
P.O. Box 218
Suttons Bay, MI 49682