

## *RSHA Survey at a Glance*

<http://wiatri.net/projects/birdroutes/hawk.htm>

- View available routes and sign up via website
- Print maps, protocols, and datasheets, and download audio file via website
- ***Time of year?*** Late March to early May, exact survey period depends on location
- ***Time of day?*** Sunrise to five hours after
- ***Number of replicate surveys?*** Two
- ***Suitable weather?*** No constant precipitation and winds < 12 mph
- ***Number of points per route?*** 12
- ***Distance between points?*** 1 mile apart, as measured odometer style
- ***How long at each survey point?*** 10 minutes (or shorter if RSHA detected)
- ***What to do at each point?*** Playback for 6 minutes, passive listen for 4 min, rotate caller 120° after each of the six 1-min segments; stop caller if RSHA detected
- ***What to record?*** Type, direction, distance, and minute of each raptor response, plus time, weather, and noise data
- Return datasheets and other forms to Ryan
- Email Ryan about what to do with any borrowed equipment

