

## Sault Naturalists General Meeting April 13, 2010

Location: United Methodist Church, SSM Michigan, USA

Call to order: 7:30 p.m.

Attendance: 9 people

Speaker: Caleb Putnam of the National Audubon Society and Michigan coordinator for the Important Bird Areas program presented a program to raise awareness about the Important Bird Areas. He and his team have identified 96 sites in Michigan. They are now planning and assessing these areas with the help of local people. By identifying these important areas specific species of birds can be assisted and the conservation of the area worked on. Websites for further information are: [www.audubon.org](http://www.audubon.org)

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No business meeting took place.

Meeting closed at 8:50 p.m.

Next meeting: May 4, 2010