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Lat/long _____ Reporter _____ Sci Name _____
 Habitat _____ Record type _____ Serial No. 83-039
 Date/time _____ Disposition _____ Cx Nos. _____

Common Name AMERICAN REDSTART
 Scientific Name Setophaga ruticilla
 Sight date 5/15/83 time 6:30 AM duration 5 min.
 Distance from bird 20 feet
 Light conditions Excellent - perfect light
 Optical equip. 9X36 binoculars
 Photo. equip. — none —
 Number of this species seen 1 (one)
 Notes made at time of sighting Date this report
 Notes made later from memory was prepared.
 Photo available Photo enclosed

Weather at time of this observation.

Fair - mostly sunny

Prior weather & number of days since change

Unknown

Locality

Lytle Ranch
Beaver Dam Wash

Male <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Adult <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Age unk. <input type="checkbox"/>	Basic Plumage <input type="checkbox"/>	Light Phase <input type="checkbox"/>
Female <input type="checkbox"/>	Subadult <input type="checkbox"/>	♀ or Imm <input type="checkbox"/>	Breeding <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dark Phase <input type="checkbox"/>
Sex Unk. <input type="checkbox"/>	Juv/Imm <input type="checkbox"/>	2/3 year bird <input type="checkbox"/>	Eclipse/Winter <input type="checkbox"/>	Molting <input type="checkbox"/>

Description of bird: Size, Colors, all field marks OBSERVED - Unique features of this bird, if any

Warbler-sized bird. dark head and upper parts, white belly,
 red-orange patches on sides, wings and tail. unmistakable.

Field marks which were not seen. Why not?

none

Variations from expected field marks.

none

List similar species and describe why or how you eliminated them.

none

Behavior of this bird. Include names of other birds with this one and any interaction.

flitted from branch to branch through low trees 8-20' above ground.

Habitat this location and near by or adjacent habitat if significant.

Cottonwood grove, some mesquite bushes. -Desert Wash-

Describe birds song or sounds.

none heard

Names of other observers. A/C+phone

Mark Leppert
Mary of UFD field trip

What is your experience with this or similar birds?

Very familiar with Am-redstart - a common migrant and breeding species in northeast U.S. where. I've bided 10+ years.

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