

American Goldfinch with Nesting Material on Early date: A female American Goldfinch (*Carduelis tristis*) was seen carrying grass on 7 May 1990 in open, mature forest on northern Hunter Island, Pelham Bay Park, Bronx, New York. A male was seen close by. The earliest known New York egg date for this species is 25 June (G. M. Meade, Appendix C in R. F. Andrlle & J. R. Carroll, 1988, *The Atlas of breeding birds in New York State*, Cornell Univ. Press, Ithaca & London, 551 pp.)

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