Brown-headed Nuthatch Nesting Boxes

- Place boxes in open pine woodlands and backyards. Nuthatches will nest in the shade.

- Mount boxes at least 5 feet above ground on a pole or post equipped with a predator guard.

- Boxes that appear weathered or constructed of rough-hewn lumber are preferred by nuthatches before other types of boxes.

- Place 2 to 3 inches of dry sawdust in the box.

Lumber: One 1" x 6" x 4'0".

Nestling box plans provided by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

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