

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 15 July 1954		2. LOCATION Bath, Michigan		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical METEOR ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2020EST GMT 16/0120Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 6 seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 8 - 10 obj		9. COURSE ESE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Elongated in shape. "V" formation 8 - 10 objects travelling backwards. Fat in middle, skinny at both ends. Center darker than outside. Initial observation 20/00 2 deg above horizon. No bright light to object. Flight straight.				11. COMMENTS Bolide observation. 45 deg arc in 6 seconds.	

The Center was darker than
the outside.

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15/2012 1 Witness DISPOSITION FORM		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION (If any) <i>unclassified no further action</i>
FILE NO.	SUBJECT	
TO	FROM	DATE
COMMENT NO. 1 2240 VFO Sighted 8 mi NE of Lansing Mich between 2015 & 2020 EST 15 July 1954 Formation of a V of 8 to 10 objects travelling backwards ^{WSW} in a straight line Sighted WSW of Farm belonging to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Bath, Michigan 3240 Travelling WSW from farm approximately 2° above the horizon in a ESE direction. Object in sight approx 6 seconds. Speed unknown. No bright light to the object. They were elongated in shape, flat in the middle & shiny both ends.		