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Palamedes swallowtails (*Papilio palamedes*) like this one are common throughout the coastal plain of South Carolina in forests and wetlands and have a wingspan of over 5 inches. Their favorite "host plant" is the red bay (*Persea borbonia*), meaning this is the preferred plant they lay their eggs on as a food source when their caterpillars emerge! Now you know! Photos by: Dave Kastner www.SouthCarolinaParks.com



Justin Howell i would like to see one,however a gator may be nearby.

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