



DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Surveyors of Aquatic Plants in Lakes

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Division of Ecological and Water Resources

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The following is a list of aquatic plant surveyors who have conducted point-intercept surveys of aquatic plants and possibly other types of aquatic plant surveys. Omission of a firm or company from the attached list is not meant to exclude any legitimate firm or company from consideration, nor is inclusion in the attached list intended as an endorsement by the MN Department of Natural Resources.

Surveyors marked * attended a past Aquatic Plant Identification Workshop sponsored by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources in partnership with University of Minnesota Extension and the Minnesota Aquatic Invasive Species Research Center, and successfully passed a knowledge assessment at the end. Surveyors marked ** attended the workshop on July 25th, 2024, and successfully passed the knowledge assessment.

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