

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Minnewawa Lake



Lake Number: 01003300 Survey Date: 7/15/1996

County: Aitkin T: 49N R: 23W Sec: 28

Major/Minor Watersheds: Mississippi River-Grand Rapids/Minnewawa Creek

Located 7 miles northeast of the town of McGregor.

Area surveyed: south central shoreline near public access.

***Submersed Plants (Plants with most leaves growing beneath the water surface)***

*Bidens beckii*

Water-marigold

*Ceratophyllum demersum*

Coontail

*Isoetes echinospora*

Braun's quillwort

*Myriophyllum sibiricum*

Northern Watermilfoil

*Najas flexilis*

Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad

*Potamogeton friesii*

Fries' Pondweed

*Potamogeton illinoensis*

Illinois Pondweed

*Potamogeton praelongus*

White-stemmed Pondweed

*Potamogeton pusillus*

Very Small Pondweed

*Potamogeton richardsonii*

Claspingleaf Pondweed

*Potamogeton zosteriformis*

Flatstem Pondweed

*Vallisneria americana*

Wild Celery, Eel-grass

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***Free-floating Plants (Plants that float freely on the water surface)***

<i>Lemna turionifera</i>	Turion-forming Duckweed
<i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	Greater duckweed

***Floating-leaf Plants (Plants with leaves that float on the water surface)***

<i>Nuphar variegata</i>	Yellow Water Lily
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i> ssp. <i>tuberosa</i>	White Water Lily
<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i>	Large-leaved Pondweed, Cabbage
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Variable Pondweed
<i>Sparganium fluctuans</i>	Wide Floatingleaf Burreed

***Emergent Plants (Plants with leaves extending above the water surface)***

<i>Calla palustris</i>	Wild calla
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Small's Spikerush
<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	Pickereel-weed, Moose Ear
<i>Sagittaria rigida</i>	Stiff Wapato, Sessile-fruited
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Sparganium eurycarpum</i>	Giant Burreed
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail
<i>Zizania palustris</i>	Wild rice

***Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)***

<i>Carex comosa</i>	Bottlebrush sedge
<i>Carex pseudocyperus</i>	False Cyperus sedge
<i>Eleocharis acicularis</i>	Needle Spike-rush
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag
<i>Sium suave</i>	Water-parsnip