

**Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Medicine Lake**



Lake Number: 04012200 Survey Date: 8/10/2011

County: Beltrami T: 149N R: 32W Sec: 10

Major/Minor Watersheds: Upper/Lower Red Lake/Unnamed Minor Watershed

Located 20 miles northeast of the town of Bemidji.

Area surveyed: northeast shore of the lake.

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

Ceratophyllum demersum

Elodea canadensis

Myriophyllum sibiricum

Najas flexilis

Potamogeton friesii

Potamogeton illinoensis

Coontail

Canadian waterweed

Northern Watermilfoil

Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad

Fries' Pondweed

Illinois Pondweed

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<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton strictifolius</i>	Straightleaved Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort

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

<i>Lemna trisulca</i>	Ivy-leaved duckweed
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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>Persicaria amphibia</i>	Water smartweed
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Variable Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed

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

<i>Acorus americanus</i>	Sweet Flag
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Small's Spikerush
<i>Equisetum fluviatile</i>	Water horsetail
<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved Arrowhead
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved cat-tail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Bidens</i> sp.	Bur-Marigold; Beggar-Tick
<i>Eutrochium maculatum</i>	Spotted Joe-pye weed
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not
<i>Lycopus uniflorus</i>	Northern bugleweed
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Salix</i> sp.	Willow

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