

**Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Lower Whipple Lake**

Lake Number: 18038700 Survey Date: 8/16/1996
County: Crow Wing T: 133N R: 29W Sec: 2
Major/Minor Watersheds: Crow Wing River/Gull River
Located 7.5 miles west of Brainerd.
Area surveyed: east shore of the lake.

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

<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail
<i>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	Wild Celery, Eel-grass

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

<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i>	Large-leaved Pondweed, Cabbage
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Emergent Plants (Plants with leaves extending above the water surface)

<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Small's Spikerush
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Salix</i> sp.	Willow