

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Paul Lake



Lake Number: 56033500 Survey Date: 7/14/2005  
County: Otter Tail T: 136N R: 40W Sec: 11  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Otter Tail River/Unnamed Minor Watershed  
Located 6 miles west of the town of Perham.  
Area surveyed: north shore of the lake.

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

*% <i>Alisma gramineum</i>	Grass-like Water Plantain
<i>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
% <i>Najas guadalupensis</i> ssp. <i>olivacea</i>	Olivaceous Guadalupe Island Naiad
<i>Potamogeton friesii</i>	Fries' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	Illinois Pondweed
<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>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort

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

<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i>	Large-leaved Pondweed, Cabbage
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Variable Pondweed

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

<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Common reed grass, Cane
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Schoenoplectus pungens</i>	Three-square bulrush
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved cat-tail

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

<i>Carex hystericina</i>	Porcupine-like Sedge
<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	Jewelweed, Spotted touch-me-not
<i>Juncus</i> sp.	Rush
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass

\* specimen to be deposited at University of Minnesota Herbarium  
% occurrence recorded in Natural Heritage Rare Features Database