

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

Lake Number: 69061600 Survey Date: 8/28/2013  
County: St Louis T: 67N R: 17W Sec: 24  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Vermilion River/From Crane Lake  
Located 20 miles northeast of the town of Orr, MN.  
Area Surveyed: south bay of the lake.

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

<i>Bidens beckii</i>	Water-marigold
<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Coontail
% <i>Ceratophyllum echinatum</i>	Soft Coontail, Spiny Hornwort
<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	Canadian waterweed
<i>Elodea nuttallii</i>	Nuttall's Waterweed
<i>Isoetes echinospora</i>	Braun's quillwort
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
<i>Myriophyllum verticillatum</i>	Whorled Watermilfoil
<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
<i>Potamogeton foliosus</i> ssp. <i>foliosus</i>	Leafy Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton robbinsii</i>	Robbins' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	Wild Celery, Eel-grass

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

<i>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	Greater 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>Persicaria amphibia</i>	Water smartweed
<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Variable Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating Leaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton spirillus</i>	Snailseed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton vaseyi</i>	Vasey's Pondweed
<i>Sagittaria cuneata</i>	Floating Leaf Arrowhead

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*Sparganium fluctuans*

Wide Floatingleaf Burreed

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

*Bolboschoenus fluviatilis*

River Bulrush

*Eleocharis palustris*

Small's Spikerush

*Equisetum fluviatile*

Water horsetail

*Glyceria borealis*

Northern manna grass

*Sagittaria latifolia*

Broad-leaved Arrowhead

*Sagittaria rigida*

Stiff Wapato, Sessile-fruited

*Schoenoplectus sp.*

Bulrush

\* *Schoenoplectus heterochaetus*

Diverse-bristled bulrush

*Sparganium emersum*

Green-fruited Burreed

*Typha latifolia*

Broad-leaved cattail

*Zizania palustris*

Wild rice

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

*Asclepias incarnata*

Swamp milkweed

*Calamagrostis canadensis*

Blue-joint

*Cornus sericea*

Red-osier dogwood

*Myrica gale*

Sweet gale

*Scirpus cyperinus*

Wool-grass

*Sium suave*

Water-parsnip

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