

Minnesota Biological Survey  
List of Plant Species Observed at  
Ann Lake



Lake Number: 71006900 Survey Date: 8/31/2006  
County: Sherburne T: 34N R: 27W Sec: 15  
Major/Minor Watersheds: Mississippi River-St. Cloud/Unnamed Minor Watershed  
Located 10 miles northwest of the town of Elk River.  
Area surveyed: northwest 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>Elodea canadensis</i>	Canadian waterweed
<i>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Water Stargrass, Mud Plantain
<i>Myriophyllum sibiricum</i>	Northern Watermilfoil
@ <i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	Curled Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	Illinois Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed

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<i>Potamogeton robbinsii</i>	Robbins' 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
<i>Lemna turionifera</i>	Turion-forming Duckweed
<i>Wolffia columbiana</i>	Columbian Watermeal

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

<i>Brasenia schreberi</i>	Water shield
<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

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

<i>Dulichium arundinaceum</i>	Three-way sedge
<i>Eleocharis erythropoda</i>	Bald spikerush
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Small's Spikerush
<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved Arrowhead
<i>Sagittaria rigida</i>	Stiff Wapato, Sessile-fruited
<i>Schoenoplectus acutus</i> var. <i>acutus</i>	Hard-stem bulrush
<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i>	Soft-stem bulrush
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved cat-tail

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

<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Swamp milkweed
<i>Bidens</i> sp.	Bur-Marigold; Beggar-Tick
<i>Carex comosa</i>	Bottlebrush sedge
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag
<i>Leersia oryzoides</i>	Rice cut grass
@ <i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	Purple loosestrife
<i>Persicaria lapathifolia</i>	Nodding smartweed
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Scirpus cyperinus</i>	Wool-grass

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