

Minnesota Biological Survey
List of Plant Species Observed at
Pelican Bay Lake



Lake Number: 56020200 Survey Date: 7/30/2003
County: Otter Tail T: 134N R: 39W Sec: 15
Major/Minor Watersheds: Otter Tail River/Otter Tail Lake
Located 25 miles northeast of the town of Fergus Falls.
Area surveyed: southwest end 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>Najas flexilis</i>	Bushy Pondweed, Common Naiad
<i>Potamogeton friesii</i>	Fries' Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton praelongus</i>	White-stemmed Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Very Small Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton richardsonii</i>	Claspingleaf Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton strictifolius</i>	Straightleaved Pondweed
<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Flatstem Pondweed
<i>Ranunculus aquatilis</i> var. <i>diffusus</i>	White water-crowfoot
<i>Stuckenia filiformis</i>	Blunt-tipped Sago Pondweed
<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Common Sago Pondweed
<i>Utricularia vulgaris</i>	Greater bladderwort

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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>Spirodela polyrhiza</i>	Greater duckweed

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

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

<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved Arrowhead
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail

Shoreline Plants (Plants associated with the wetland habitat)

<i>Campanula aparinoides</i>	Marsh Bellflower
cf <i>Carex hystericina</i>	Porcupine-like Sedge
<i>Cicuta bulbifera</i>	Bulb-bearing water-hemlock
<i>Eleocharis</i> sp.	Spike-Rush
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Reed canary grass
<i>Scirpus atrovirens</i>	Dark-green Bulrush