
PAW PAW LAKE AQUATIC PLANTS**AUGUST 31, 2023**

Common Name	Scientific Name	Group	Percent of Sites Where Present
Slender naiad	<i>Najas flexilis</i>	Submersed	50
Coontail	<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Submersed	47
<i>Chara</i>	<i>Chara</i> sp.	Submersed	41
Eurasian milfoil*	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	Submersed	41
Flat-stem pondweed	<i>Potamogeton zosteriformis</i>	Submersed	28
Ribbon-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton epihydrus</i>	Submersed	28
Wild celery	<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	Submersed	26
Large-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton amplifolius</i>	Submersed	21
Starry stonewort*	<i>Nitellopsis obtusa</i>	Submersed	12
Thin-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton</i> sp.	Submersed	8
Small pondweed	<i>Potamogeton pusillus</i>	Submersed	6
Illinois pondweed	<i>Potamogeton illinoensis</i>	Submersed	4
Variable pondweed	<i>Potamogeton gramineus</i>	Submersed	4
Robbins pondweed	<i>Potamogeton robbinsii</i>	Submersed	2
Curly-leaf pondweed*	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	Submersed	2
Water stargrass	<i>Heteranthera dubia</i>	Submersed	1
<i>Elodea</i>	<i>Elodea canadensis</i>	Submersed	1
Sago pondweed	<i>Stuckenia pectinata</i>	Submersed	1
Duckweed	<i>Lemna minor</i>	Free-floating	2
Yellow waterlily	<i>Nuphar</i> sp.	Floating-leaved	16
White waterlily	<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	Floating-leaved	13
Floating-leaf pondweed	<i>Potamogeton natans</i>	Floating-leaved	1
Purple loosestrife*	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	Emergent	11
Arrowhead	<i>Sagittaria latifolia</i>	Emergent	10
Lake sedge	<i>Carex lacustris</i>	Emergent	5
Pickerelweed	<i>Pontederia cordata</i>	Emergent	4
Bulrush	<i>Schoenoplectus</i> sp.	Emergent	3
Cattail	<i>Typha</i> sp.	Emergent	2
Swamp loosestrife	<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	Emergent	1
<i>Phragmites</i> *	<i>Phragmites australis</i>	Emergent	1
<i>Iris</i>	<i>Iris</i> sp.	Emergent	1

Exotic Invasive Species*

Data collected by Progressive AE