

## *Illinois Aquatics 101*

arrowhead	<i>Sagittaria app.</i>
baldcypress tree	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>
Baltimore checkerspot butterfly	<i>Euphydryas phaeton</i>
barred owl	<i>Strix varia</i>
beaked spikerush	<i>Eleocharis rostellata</i>
beaver	<i>Castor canadensis</i>
American bison	<i>Bison bison</i>
black bear	<i>Ursus americanus</i>
black vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>
bluegill	<i>Lepomis macrochirus</i>
bluejoint grass	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>
bobcat	<i>Lynx rufus</i>
bog buckbean	<i>Menyanthes trifoliata</i>
box elder	<i>Acer negundo</i>
bullfrog	<i>Lithobates catesbeianus</i>
bulrushes	<i>Schoenoplectus spp.</i>
buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>
common cat-tail	<i>Typha latifolia</i>
common carp	<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>
coontail	<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>
cord grass	<i>Spartina pectinata</i>
cotton grass	<i>Eriophorum spp.</i>
cottontail	<i>Sylvilagus floridanus</i>
cottonwood	<i>Populus deltoides</i>
Daphnia	<i>Daphnia spp.</i>
duckweed	<i>Lemna spp.</i>
dwarf birch	<i>Betula pumila</i>
elk	<i>Cervus elaphus</i>
elm	<i>Ulmus spp.</i>
glossy buckthorn	<i>Frangula alnus</i>
hoary willow	<i>Salix candida</i>
jewelweed	<i>Impatiens spp.</i>
leopard frog	<i>Lithobates spp.</i>
maple	<i>Acer spp.</i>
mink	<i>Neovison vison</i>
mountain lion (cougar)	<i>Puma concolor</i>
muskrat	<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>
North American river otter	<i>Lontra canadensis</i>
northern pike	<i>Esox lucius</i>
pitcher plant	<i>Sarracenia purpurea</i>
poison sumac	<i>Toxicodendron vernix</i>
pondweed	<i>Potamogeton spp.</i>
greater prairie-chicken	<i>Tympanuchus cupido</i>
purple loosestrife	<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>
rainbow trout	<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>

red-shouldered hawk  
red-winged blackbird  
rusty crayfish  
sandhill crane  
skunk cabbage  
slough grass  
smallmouth bass  
sphagnum moss  
spiny water flea  
swamp milkweed  
swamp rabbit  
swamp rose  
sycamore  
tamarack tree  
touch-me-not  
turtlehead plant  
walleye  
water strider  
water tupelo tree  
whirligig beetles  
white lady's-slipper orchid  
white water lily  
wild blue iris  
wild marsh timothy  
wild rice  
winterberry holly  
wolf  
yellow perch

*Buteo lineatus*  
*Agelaius phoeniceus*  
*Orconectes rusticus*  
*Grus canadensis*  
*Symplocarpus foetidus*  
*Beckmannia syzigachne*  
*Micropterus dolomieu*  
*Sphagnum spp.*  
*Bythotrepes cederstroemi*  
*Asclepias incarnata*  
*Sylvilagus aquaticus*  
*Rosa palustris*  
*Platanus occidentalis*  
*Larix decidua*  
*Impatiens spp.*  
*Chelone spp.*  
*Sander vitreus*  
*Gerridae spp.*  
*Nyssa spp.*  
*Gyrinidae spp.*  
*Cypripedium acaule*  
*Nymphaea tuberosa*  
*Iris shrevei*  
*Muhlenbergia racemosa*  
*Zizania aquatica*  
*Ilex verticillata*  
*Canis lupus*  
*Perca flavescens*