



River Otter

The River Otter, native to Illinois, is supremely adapted to life in the water with its streamlined shape, thick fur, webbed feet and sensitive whiskers for seeking food. The River Otter's home is threatened in Illinois because of the loss of places to live due to stream alteration, streambank erosion, water pollution and channelization. Once prevalent in Illinois, the River Otter is now found only in northwestern and southern Illinois.

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