

## AIS Species in Essex County

The table shows the invasive aquatic plants and animals that have been documented in Essex County, as cited in either the iMapInvasives database (<http://www.imapinvasives.org/>) or in the NYSDEC Division of Water database. These databases may include some, but not all, non-native plants or animals that have not been identified as “Prohibited and Regulated Invasive Species” in New York state regulations (6 NYCRR Part 575; [http://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/lands\\_forests\\_pdf/islist.pdf](http://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/lands_forests_pdf/islist.pdf)).

This list is not complete. It represents only those species that have been reported and verified within the county. If any additional aquatic invasive species (AIS) are known or suspected in these or other waterbodies in the county, this information should be reported through iMap invasives or by contacting NYSDEC at [dowinfo@dec.ny.gov](mailto:dowinfo@dec.ny.gov).

<b>Aquatic Invasive Species - Essex County</b>			
<b>Waterbody</b>	<b>Kingdom</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
Augur Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Bartlett Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Butternut Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Chapel Pond	Animal	Allegheny crayfish	<i>Orconectes obscurus</i>
Eagle Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Franklin Falls Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Franklin Falls Pond	Plant	Curly leafed pondweed	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>
Goodnow Flowage	Plant	Brittle naiad	<i>Najas minor</i>
Highlands Forge Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Lake Champlain	Animal	Spiny waterflea	<i>Bythotrephes longimanus</i>
Lake Champlain	Animal	Zebra mussel	<i>Dreissena polymorpha</i>
Lake Champlain	Plant	Variable watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i>
Lake Champlain	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Lake Champlain	Plant	Water chestnut	<i>Trapa natans</i>
Lake Eaton	Plant	European frogbit	<i>Hydrocharis morsus-ranae</i>
Lake Flower	Plant	Variable watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i>
Lake George	Animal	Zebra mussel	<i>Dreissena polymorpha</i>
Lake George	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Lake George	Animal	Virile crayfish	<i>Orconectes virilis</i>
Lake George	Plant	Curly leafed pondweed	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>
Lake Placid	Plant	Variable watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i>
Lincoln Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Long Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Long Pond	Animal	Allegheny crayfish	<i>Orconectes obscurus</i>
Mill Pond	Plant	Fanwort	<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>

Minerva Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Mirror Lake	Plant	Broadleaf Water-milfoil	<i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i>
Mirror Lake	Plant	Curly leafed pondweed	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>
Nichols Pond	Animal	Allegheny crayfish	<i>Orconectes obscurus</i>
North Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Oseetah Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Paradox Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Paradox Lake	Plant	Curly leafed pondweed	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>
Penfield Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Putnam Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Rogers Pond	Plant	European frogbit	<i>Hydrocharis morsus-ranae</i>
Schroon Lake	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>
Schroon Lake	Plant	Curly leafed pondweed	<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>
Schroon Lake	Animal	Rudd	<i>Scardinius erythrophthalmus</i>
Webb Royce Swamp	Plant	European frogbit	<i>Hydrocharis morsus-ranae</i>
Woodruff Pond	Plant	Eurasian watermilfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>