

## AIS Species in Herkimer County

The table shows the invasive aquatic plants and animals that have been documented in Herkimer 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 - Herkimer County</b> |                |                       |                                   |
|---------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Waterbody</b>                                  | <b>Kingdom</b> | <b>Common name</b>    | <b>Scientific name</b>            |
| Big Burnt Lake                                    | Plant          | Variable watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> |
| Erie Canal                                        | Animal         | Zebra mussel          | <i>Dreissena polymorpha</i>       |
| First Lake                                        | Plant          | Variable watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> |
| First Lake                                        | Plant          | Eurasian watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>      |
| Fourth Lake                                       | Plant          | Variable watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> |
| Fourth Lake                                       | Plant          | Eurasian watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>      |
| Hinckley Reservoir                                | Animal         | Zebra mussel          | <i>Dreissena polymorpha</i>       |
| Ilion Reservoir Number Three                      | Plant          | Curly leafed pondweed | <i>Potamogeton crispus</i>        |
| Kyser Lake                                        | Plant          | Curly leafed pondweed | <i>Potamogeton crispus</i>        |
| Mirror Lake                                       | Plant          | Curly leafed pondweed | <i>Potamogeton crispus</i>        |
| Second Lake                                       | Plant          | Variable watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> |
| Stillwater Reservoir                              | Plant          | Variable watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum heterophyllum</i> |
| Unnamed tributary to Mohawk River                 | Plant          | Curly leafed pondweed | <i>Potamogeton crispus</i>        |
| Weaver Lake                                       | Plant          | European frogbit      | <i>Hydrocharis morsus-ranae</i>   |
| Weaver Lake                                       | Animal         | Green sunfish         | <i>Lepomis cyanellus</i>          |
| Weaver Lake                                       | Plant          | Eurasian watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>      |
| Young Lake                                        | Plant          | Eurasian watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>      |
| Young Lake                                        | Plant          | Curly leafed pondweed | <i>Potamogeton crispus</i>        |