

AIS Species in Queens County

The table shows the invasive aquatic plants and animals that have been documented in Queens 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).

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.

| Aquatic Invasive Species - Queens County | | | |
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| Waterbody | Kingdom | Common name | Scientific name |
| Baisley Pond | Animal | Goldfish | <i>Carassius auratus</i> |
| Baisley Pond | Animal | Common carp | <i>Cyprinus carpio</i> |
| Baisley Pond | Plant | Curly leafed pondweed | <i>Potamogeton crispus</i> |
| Kissena Lake | Animal | Common carp | <i>Cyprinus carpio</i> |
| Meadow Lake | Animal | Goldfish | <i>Carassius auratus</i> |
| Meadow Lake | Animal | Northern snakehead | <i>Channa argus</i> |
| Meadow Lake | Animal | Common carp | <i>Cyprinus carpio</i> |
| Oakland Lake | Animal | Common carp | <i>Cyprinus carpio</i> |
| Oakland Lake | Plant | Eurasian watermilfoil | <i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i> |
| Willow Lake | Animal | Goldfish | <i>Carassius auratus</i> |
| Willow Lake | Animal | Northern snakehead | <i>Channa argus</i> |
| Willow Lake | Animal | Common carp | <i>Cyprinus carpio</i> |
| Willow Lake | Animal | Western mosquitofish | <i>Gambusia affinis</i> |