

Species Frequently Found in Native Plant Communities

**Prairie Extremely Rich Fen (OPp93)**

**Types in Class:** Calcareous Fen (Northwestern) (OPp93a)

Calcareous Fen (Southwestern) (OPp93b)

Calcareous Fen (Southeastern) (OPp93c)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Rare Status
<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	Big bluestem	
<i>Asclepias incarnata</i> var. <i>incarnata</i>	Swamp milkweed	
<i>Aster borealis</i>	Bog aster	
<i>Aster firmus</i>	Red-stemmed aster	
<i>Aster novae-angliae</i>	New England aster	
<i>Aster puniceus</i>	Red-stemmed aster	
<i>Aster umbellatus</i>	Flat-topped aster	
<i>Betula pumila</i>	Bog birch	
<i>Bromus ciliatus</i>	Fringed brome	
<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>	Narrow reedgrass	
<i>Campanula aparinoides</i>	Marsh bellflower	
<i>Carex aquatilis</i> var. <i>substricta</i>	Aquatic sedge	
<i>Carex interior</i>	Interior sedge	
<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i> var. <i>americana</i>	Wiregrass sedge	
<i>Carex livida</i>	Lead-colored sedge	
<i>Carex prairea</i>	Prairie sedge	
<i>Carex sartwellii</i>	Sartwell's sedge	
<i>Carex sterilis</i>	Sterile sedge	Threatened
<i>Carex stricta</i>	Tussock sedge	
<i>Carex tetanica</i>	Rigid sedge	
<i>Cirsium muticum</i>	Swamp thistle	
<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Red-osier dogwood	
<i>Deschampsia cespitosa</i>	Tufted hair grass	Special Concern
<i>Eleocharis compressa</i>	Flattened spikerush	
<i>Eleocharis palustris</i>	Red-stalked spikerush	
<i>Eriophorum polystachion</i>	Tall cottongrass	
<i>Eupatorium maculatum</i>	Spotted Joe pye weed	
<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i> var. <i>perfoliatum</i>	Common boneset	
<i>Euthamia graminifolia</i>	Grass-leaved goldenrod	
<i>Galium boreale</i>	Northern bedstraw	
<i>Galium labradoricum</i>	Labrador bedstraw	
<i>Gentianopsis procera</i>	Lesser fringed gentian	
<i>Glyceria striata</i>	Fowl manna grass	
<i>Helianthus giganteus</i>	Giant sunflower	
<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>	Sawtooth sunflower	
<i>Helianthus nuttallii</i> ssp. <i>rydbergii</i>	Nuttall's sunflower	Special Concern
<i>Lobelia kalmii</i>	Kalm's lobelia	
<i>Lycopus americanus</i>	Cut-leaved bugleweed	
<i>Lycopus uniflorus</i>	Northern bugleweed	
<i>Lysimachia quadriflora</i>	Prairie loosestrife	

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<i>Muhlenbergia glomerata</i>	Clustered muhly grass	
<i>Muhlenbergia richardsonis</i>	Mat muhly grass	
<i>Parnassia glauca</i>	American grass-of-Parnassus	
<i>Parnassia palustris</i>	Marsh grass-of-Parnassus	
<i>Pedicularis lanceolata</i>	Swamp lousewort	
<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	Shrubby cinquefoil	
<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>	Virginia mountain mint	
<i>Rhynchospora capillacea</i>	Hair-like beak rush	Threatened
<i>Rubus pubescens</i>	Dwarf raspberry	
<i>Salix bebbiana</i>	Bebb's willow	
<i>Salix candida</i>	Sage-leaved willow	
<i>Salix discolor</i>	Pussy willow	
<i>Salix petiolaris</i>	Slender willow	
<i>Salix serissima</i>	Autumn willow	
<i>Scirpus acutus</i>	Hardstem bulrush	
<i>Scirpus cespitosus</i>	Tufted bulrush	
<i>Scirpus heterochaetus</i>	Slender bulrush	
<i>Scirpus pungens</i>	Three-square bulrush	
<i>Senecio aureus</i>	Golden ragwort	
<i>Senecio pseudoaureus</i> var. <i>semicordatus</i>	Western heart-leaved groundsel	
<i>Solidago canadensis</i>	Canada goldenrod	
<i>Solidago gigantea</i>	Giant goldenrod	
<i>Solidago riddellii</i>	Riddell's goldenrod	
<i>Thalictrum dasycarpum</i>	Tall meadow-rue	
<i>Tofieldia glutinosa</i> var. <i>glutinosa</i>	Sticky false asphodel	
<i>Triglochin maritima</i>	Seaside arrowgrass	
<i>Triglochin palustris</i>	Marsh arrowgrass	
<i>Typha latifolia</i>	Broad-leaved cattail	
<i>Viola nephrophylla</i>	Northern bog violet	
<i>Zizia aurea</i>	Golden alexanders	

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<i>Betula pumila</i>	Bog birch	
<i>Carex limosa</i>	Candle-lantern sedge	
<i>Carex livida</i>	Lead-colored sedge	
<i>Parnassia palustris</i>	Marsh grass-of-Parnassus	
<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	Shrubby cinquefoil	
<i>Salix candida</i>	Sage-leaved willow	
<i>Scirpus cespitosus</i>	Tufted bulrush	
<i>Tofieldia glutinosa</i> var. <i>glutinosa</i>	Sticky false asphodel	

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<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Red-osier dogwood	
<i>Rhynchospora capillacea</i>	Hair-like beak rush	Threatened
<i>Scirpus pungens</i>	Three-square bulrush	
<i>Triglochin maritima</i>	Seaside arrowgrass	

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#### Calcareous Fen (Southeastern) (OPp93c)

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<i>Betula pumila</i>	Bog birch	
<i>Cardamine rhomboidea</i>	Spring cress	
<i>Carex sterilis</i>	Sterile sedge	Threatened
<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Red-osier dogwood	
<i>Oxypolis rigidior</i>	Cowbane	
<i>Salix candida</i>	Sage-leaved willow	
<i>Valeriana edulis</i> var. <i>ciliata</i>	Edible valerian	Threatened

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