Name: ANN

Nearest Town: CHANHASSEN Survey Date: 06/26/95

Primary County: Carver Inventory Number: 10-0012-00

#### **Public Access Information**

Ownership Type Description

County Concrete IN CO PARK 1/2 MI W OF DOWNTOWN CHANHASSEN CITY PARKON NE SHORE

#### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 116.00

<u>Dominant Bottom Substrate</u>: N/A

<u>Littoral Area</u> (acres): 45.00

<u>Abundance of Aquatic Plants</u>: N/A

Maximum Depth (ft): 45.00 Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): N/A

Water Clarity (ft): 7.75

### Fish Sampled up to the 1995 Survey Year

Species	Gear Used	Caught	Normal Range	<u>Average Fish</u> <u>Weight</u> (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
Black Bullhead	Gill net	13.0	2.5 - 45.0	0.22	0.3 - 0.7
	Trap net	8.8	0.7 - 25.7	ND	0.3 - 0.6
Black Crappie	Gill net	2.8	2.5 - 16.5	0.18	0.1 - 0.3
	Trap net	2.4	1.8 - 21.2	0.20	0.2 - 0.3
<u>Bluegill</u>	Gill net	4.2	N/A - N/A	0.18	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	125.6	7.5 - 62.5	ND	0.1 - 0.3
Brown Bullhead	Trap net	0.6	0.2 - 1.4	0.71	0.5 - 1.0

Golden Shiner	Gill net	1.3	0.3 - 1.5	0.11	0.1 - 0.1
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	Trap net	0.1	0.2 - 1.3	0.11	0.1 - 0.2
Hybrid Sunfish	Trap net	7.0	N/A - N/A	0.15	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Gill net	0.2	0.3 - 0.8	3.25	0.4 - 1.0
<u>Northern Pike</u>	Gill net	4.8	1.5 - 7.3	4.96	2.0 - 3.5
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Trap net	2.7	0.7 - 4.2	0.11	0.1 - 0.2
White Sucker	Gill net	0.5	0.4 - 2.2	1.96	1.5 - 2.4
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	Gill net	28.7	2.0 - 27.9	0.11	0.1 - 0.2

### Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1995 Survey Year

### Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	0	156	1	0	0	0	0	0	157
<u>Black Crappie</u>	1	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	39
<u>Bluegill</u>	137	192	0	0	0	0	0	0	329
<u>Brown Bullhead</u>	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	5
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Hybrid Sunfish	43	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	63
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
<u>Northern Pike</u>	0	0	0	0	2	6	16	5	29
<u>Pumpkinseed Sunfish</u>	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	26	146	0	0	0	0	0	0	172

# Minnesota Fish Consumption Advisory 2000

No fish consumption information is available for this lake.

# Status of the Fishery (as of 06/26/95)

Ann Lake has a respectable northern pike population, especially for a major metropolitan area. The gillnet catch was within the average range for similar types of lakes, but the mean size of the fish sample was above average. Of the northern pike captured, 72%

were over 25 inches. The bluegill population is above average while their average length is 6.1 inches. Black crappies were samp within normal levels. Their average length is 7.5 inches.								

**Name: CHRISTMAS** 

Nearest Town: CHANHASSEN

Primary County: Hennepin

Survey Date: 06/24/96

Inventory Number: 27-0137-00

#### **Public Access Information**

Ownership Type Description

Minnesota DNR Concrete Minnesota DNR access on the northwest bay.

County Earthen Controlled access maintained by Carver County Sheriff (not a public access).

### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 257.00 <u>Dominant Bottom Substrate</u>: sand, muck, detritus

Littoral Area (acres): 77.00

Abundance of Aquatic Plants: abundant

Maximum Depth (ft): 87.00

Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): 18.00

Water Clarity (ft): 25.00

### Fish Sampled up to the 1996 Survey Year

Species	<b>Gear Used</b>	Caught	Normal Range	<u>Average Fish</u> <u>Weight</u> (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
Black Bullhead	Gill net	0.3	0.3 - 1.9	1.06	0.3 - 0.9
	Trap net	0.4	0.3 - 1.7	0.53	0.3 - 0.9
Black Crappie	Trap net	0.1	0.5 - 2.2	0.24	0.3 - 0.5
<u>Bluegill</u>	Trap net	110.2	7.7 - 43.4	ND	0.1 - 0.2
Bowfin (Dogfish)	Trap net	0.8	0.3 - 1.0	4.27	2.6 - 4.9

Common Carp	Trap net	0.4	0.1 - 0.9	12.05	3.1 - 10.6
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	Trap net	0.7	0.6 - 2.0	0.17	0.1 - 0.2
Hybrid Sunfish	Trap net	1.4	N/A - N/A	0.21	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Trap net	0.1	0.4 - 1.5	0.06	0.2 - 0.7
Northern Pike	Gill net	7.2	2.2 - 8.7	ND	1.5 - 3.2
	Trap net	0.4	N/A - N/A	0.53	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Trap net	3.1	1.4 - 5.9	0.15	0.1 - 0.2
Rainbow Trout	Gill net	2.8	N/A - N/A	2.76	N/A - N/A
White Sucker	Gill net	0.7	0.5 - 2.0	2.54	1.6 - 2.6
Yellow Bullhead	Trap net	2.0	1.0 - 5.3	0.52	0.5 - 0.9
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	Gill net	0.3	1.5 - 13.8	0.11	0.1 - 0.2
	Trap net	0.3	0.4 - 2.3	0.11	0.1 - 0.2

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1996 Survey Year

# Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	6
<u>Black Crappie</u>	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<u>Bluegill</u>	105	151	0	0	0	0	0	0	256
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Hybrid Sunfish	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<u>Northern Pike</u>	0	0	0	14	28	3	2	0	47
<u>Pumpkinseed Sunfish</u>	23	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Rainbow Trout	0	0	0	1	12	3	1	0	17
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	0	6	9	3	0	0	0	0	18
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5

Fish **Stocked** by Species for the Last Five Years

Year	Species	Age	Number
1995	Brown Trout	Adult	10
1996	<u>Rainbow Trout</u>	Adult	1,739
	Rainbow Trout	Adult	390
	Rainbow Trout	Yearling	261
1997	Rainbow Trout	Yearling	126
	Rainbow Trout	Adult	210
1998	Rainbow Trout	Adult	137
	Rainbow Trout	Yearling	10
	Rainbow Trout	Adult	200
1999	Rainbow Trout	Yearling	1,010
	Rainbow Trout	Adult	17

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# FISH SIZE (inches)

LAKE	SPECIES	5-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30+
Christmas	Bluegill Sunfish	0				
27013700	Carp	*				
Hennepin Co.	Northern Pike		•	•	•	
	Rainbow Trout					
	White Sucker		•	•		

#### **Symbol Key**

<b>Mercury</b>					
*	0	•	•	•	
Women of child-bearing	age and young children				
	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	do not eat	do not eat
Other Persons	unlimited	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	do not eat
PCBs					
All Persons	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	1 meal/2 months	do not eat

Meal advice for PCBs assumes fat is trimmed from the fillets andthe fillets are cooked in a way that allows fat to drain away.

### Status of the Fishery (as of 06/24/96)

Christmas Lake is a relatively infertile lake with a water clarity of 25 feet on June 24, 1996. The lake is managed as a two-story lake which means that warmwater species, such as bluegills, and coldwater species, such as rainbow trout, can survive in the same lake. Christmas Lake is one of the few lakes in the metro area with habitat to support trout all year long. Surplus rainbow trout from state fish hatcheries are occasionally stocked when they become available. Catchable size trout, 8 to 11 inches, have also been stocked in the past. During the summer the trout move to deeper, cool, well oxygenated water.

The shallower waters of the lake contain a diverse aquatic plant community where a majority of the fish species are located. Bluegills are relatively abundant in the lake although the slow growth limits the number of fish attaining a size prefered by anglers. The average size of bluegills sampled in the trapnets was 6.2 inches, with 60% 6 inches or longer, and 19% 7 inches or longer. Individuals up to 7.9

inches were sampled. Pumpkinseed, green sunfish, and hybrid sunfish were present in lower abundance when compared to the bluegills. None of these three species exceeded 7.5 inches in length. Largemouth bass were present in the lake but the sampling gear used is not very effective at capturing bass. Black crappie and yellow perch remained in very low abundance.

Northern pike are abundant for this infertile lake. The average size sampled was 17.1 inches and 1.1 pounds.

Yellow bullheads were five times more abundant than black bullheads which reflects the good water quality of Christmas Lake. Black bullheads were low in abundance, while yellow bullheads were moderately abundant for lakes similar to Christmas Lake. Bullheads up to 12.4 inches were present.

Bowfin, carp, and white suckers were sampled in average numbers for this type of lake. The fish were large with bowfin averaging 4.3 pounds, white suckers averaging 2.5 pounds, and carp averaging 12.1 pounds.

**Name: Lotus** 

Nearest Town: Chanhassen

Survey Date: 07/12/99

Primary County: Carver

Inventory Number: 10-0006-00

#### **Public Access Information**

OwnershipTypeDescriptionCityConcreteSouth end of lake

### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 246.00

<u>Littoral Area</u> (acres): 182.00

Maximum Depth (ft): 29.00

Water Clarity (ft): 3.50

<u>Dominant Bottom Substrate</u>: N/A <u>Abundance of Aquatic Plants</u>: N/A

Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): N/A

# Fish Sampled up to the 1999 Survey Year

Species	Gear Used	Caught	Normal Range	Average Fish Weight (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	Gill net	4.7	2.5 - 45.0	0.37	0.3 - 0.7
	Trap net	1.6	0.7 - 25.7	0.41	0.3 - 0.6
Black Crappie	Gill net	1.2	2.5 - 16.5	0.14	0.1 - 0.3
	Trap net	0.8	1.8 - 21.2	0.11	0.2 - 0.3
<u>Bluegill</u>	Gill net	30.3	N/A - N/A	0.13	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	248.9	7.5 - 62.5	0.17	0.1 - 0.3

Common Carp	Trap net	0.2	0.4 - 2.0	7.30	2.6 - 6.0
Golden Shiner	Gill net	0.7	0.3 - 1.5	0.09	0.1 - 0.1
	Trap net	0.1	0.2 - 0.8	0.06	0.1 - 0.1
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	Trap net	1.0	0.2 - 1.3	0.06	0.1 - 0.2
Hybrid Sunfish	Gill net	0.3	N/A - N/A	0.16	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	1.8	N/A - N/A	0.11	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Trap net	1.1	0.2 - 0.7	1.10	0.2 - 0.9
Northern Pike	Gill net	1.7	1.5 - 7.3	5.60	2.0 - 3.5
	Trap net	0.4	N/A - N/A	5.29	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Gill net	5.8	N/A - N/A	0.12	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	8.9	0.7 - 4.2	0.10	0.1 - 0.2
<u>Walleye</u>	Gill net	3.2	1.2 - 6.3	3.04	1.2 - 2.7
White Sucker	Trap net	0.3	0.2 - 1.0	2.27	1.6 - 2.8
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	Gill net	2.2	0.5 - 7.5	1.05	0.5 - 0.8
	Trap net	3.6	0.9 - 5.7	0.69	0.5 - 0.8
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	Gill net	120.6	2.0 - 27.9	ND	0.1 - 0.2
	Trap net	1.3	0.3 - 1.7	0.12	0.1 - 0.2
	Normal Ranges	represent typical catches for lakes with	h similar physical and chemical char	acteristics.	

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1999 Survey Year

# Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	0	58	20	6	0	0	0	0	84
Black Crappie	6	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
<u>Bluegill</u>	288	578	0	0	0	0	0	0	866
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Hybrid Sunfish	26	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
Largemouth Bass	4	6	4	2	4	0	0	0	20
<u>Northern Pike</u>	0	0	0	0	0	4	22	2	28
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	220	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	230
<u>Walleye</u>	0	0	0	4	16	18	0	0	38

<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>									
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	0	16	44	28	2	0	0	0	90
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	54	334	0	0	0	0	0	0	388
Fish Stocked by Species for the Last Five Years									

Year	Species	Age	Number
1995	<u>Walleye</u>	Yearling	902
1997	<u>Walleye</u>	Fingerling	2,082
1999	<u>Walleye</u>	Fingerling	1,004
	<u>Walleye</u>	Yearling	305

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**FISH SIZE (inches) SPECIES** 5-15 **LAKE 15-20** 20-25 25-30 **30**+ **Lotus** 10000600 0 Bluegill Sunfish Carp Carver Co.  $\odot$ Northern Pike

# $\odot$ Walleye Symbol Key Mercury 0 $\bullet$ \*

#### Women of child-bearing age and young children

	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	do not eat	do not eat
Other Persons	unlimited	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	do not eat
PCBs					_
All Persons	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	1 meal/2 months	do not eat

Meal advice for PCBs assumes fat is trimmed from the fillets andthe fillets are cooked in a way that allows fat to drain away.

### Status of the Fishery (as of 07/12/99)

Walleye are the primary management species in Lotus Lake. The walleye population is currently within the normal range for lakes of this type. The average length and weight sampled were 19.5 inches and 3.0 pounds. A high yellow perch population could make walleye fishing tough due to abundant forage. The northern pike population has increased since the last survey and are averaging approximately 27.5 inches in length. Bluegills are extremely abundant and over 66% are 6 inches or larger, but there are few fish that are larger than 7 inches. Largemouth bass, which are normally not caughht in trapnets, were rather abundant. The average length sampled was 10.4 inches. The largest bass sampled was 18.8 inches. Both yellow and black bullheads are present in Lotus Lake. The black bullheads are less abundant and smaller than the yellow bullheads that were sampled. Other species present include green sunfish, hybrid sunfish, pumpkinseed sunfish, carp, white sucker, and golden shiner.

Name: LUCY

Nearest Town: CHANHASSEN Survey Date: 07/05/95

Primary County: Carver Inventory Number: 10-0007-00

#### **Public Access Information**

Ownership Type Description

City Carry-in City park on southeast shore

Other Earthen Private launch via James A. Buehring's property. 7000 Utica Lane Chanhassen Mn

#### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 92.00

<u>Dominant Bottom Substrate</u>: N/A

<u>Littoral Area</u> (acres): 86.00

<u>Abundance of Aquatic Plants</u>: N/A

Maximum Depth (ft): 20.00 Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): N/A

Water Clarity (ft): 3.80

### Fish Sampled up to the 1995 Survey Year

Species	Gear Used	Caught	Normal Range	Average Fish Weight (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
Black Bullhead	Gill net	64.0	9.6 - 91.4	0.11	0.2 - 0.5
	Trap net	174.3	2.2 - 60.5	0.11	0.2 - 0.5
Black Crappie	Gill net	5.7	1.5 - 14.7	0.15	0.1 - 0.3
	Trap net	3.0	2.4 - 15.1	0.18	0.2 - 0.4
<u>Bluegill</u>	Gill net	54.3	N/A - N/A	0.19	N/A - N/A

	Trap net	63.3	1.9 - 29.5	0.17	0.2 - 0.3
Common Carp	Trap net	0.1	1.0 - 3.6	3.31	2.1 - 5.3
Golden Shiner	Gill net	4.3	0.4 - 4.3	0.15	0.1 - 0.1
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	Trap net	0.2	0.2 - 2.0	0.07	0.1 - 0.2
Hybrid Sunfish	Gill net	9.3	N/A - N/A	0.15	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	16.3	N/A - N/A	ND	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Gill net	2.3	0.5 - 1.0	2.19	0.2 - 1.5
	Trap net	0.9	0.3 - 1.2	2.13	0.4 - 1.2
Northern Pike	Gill net	3.0	1.5 - 7.0	2.46	1.5 - 3.4
	Trap net	0.2	N/A - N/A	2.43	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Gill net	2.7	N/A - N/A	0.11	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	8.8	0.8 - 8.4	0.10	0.1 - 0.2
White Sucker	Gill net	0.3	0.5 - 7.4	2.15	1.0 - 2.2
Yellow Bullhead	Gill net	0.3	0.6 - 6.8	1.17	0.4 - 0.6
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	Gill net	1.3	3.0 - 26.5	0.14	0.1 - 0.3

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1995 Survey Year

# Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
Black Bullhead	172	202	1	0	0	0	0	0	375
<u>Black Crappie</u>	2	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	44
<u>Bluegill</u>	46	277	0	0	0	0	0	0	323
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Hybrid Sunfish	144	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	175
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	1	0	6	0	7	1	0	0	15
<u>Northern Pike</u>	0	0	0	0	4	5	2	0	11
<u>Pumpkinseed Sunfish</u>	83	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	87
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4

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No fish consumption information is available for this lake.

### Status of the Fishery (as of 07/05/95)

The black bullhead population in Lucy Lake is well above average, but the average size of the fish is below average. Bluegills are also very abundant in this lake. Over 80% of the bluegills measured were over 6 inches, with the average size sampled being 6.7 inches. Largemouth bass abundance is within normal levels for this type of lake. The average size of those sampled was approximately 14.5 inches in length. One bass that was caught was 21.3 inches long. The black crappie population is also with normal levels. The average length of 7.3 inches, is somewhat below what most anglers like to keep. Most of the crappies sampled were age three fish that had good growth rates. Northern pike abundance is normal when compared to similar lakes. The average length captured was 21.5 inches.

Name: Minnewashta

Nearest Town: CHASKA
Primary County: Carver

Survey Date: 06/30/98
Inventory Number: 10-0009-00

#### **Public Access Information**

Ownership	Type	Description
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County Concrete Lake Minnewashta Regional Park (Northeast shore)
County Concrete Lake Minnewashta Regional Park (East shore)

### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 738.00

<u>Dominant Bottom Substrate</u>: N/A

<u>Littoral Area</u> (acres): N/A

<u>Abundance of Aquatic Plants</u>: N/A

Maximum Depth (ft): 70.00 Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): N/A

Water Clarity (ft): 7.80

### Fish Sampled up to the 1998 Survey Year

Species	<b>Gear Used</b>	Caught	Normal Range	<u>Average Fish</u> <u>Weight</u> (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
Black Bullhead	Gill net	1.1	2.5 - 45.0	0.57	0.3 - 0.7
	Trap net	0.4	0.7 - 25.7	0.68	0.3 - 0.6
Black Crappie	Gill net	3.6	2.5 - 16.5	ND	0.1 - 0.3
	Trap net	0.5	1.8 - 21.2	0.19	0.2 - 0.3
<u>Bluegill</u>	Gill net	14.3	N/A - N/A	ND	N/A - N/A

	Trap net	247.3	7.5 - 62.5	ND	0.1 - 0.3
Bowfin (Dogfish)	Gill net	0.6	0.2 - 0.8	3.48	2.4 - 4.2
	Trap net	0.5	0.4 - 1.3	3.65	2.3 - 4.1
<u>Brown Bullhead</u>	Gill net	0.2	0.4 - 2.0	0.54	0.5 - 1.0
	Trap net	trace	0.2 - 1.4	0.78	0.5 - 1.0
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	Gill net	trace	0.2 - 0.5	0.04	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	trace	0.2 - 1.3	0.02	0.1 - 0.2
Hybrid Sunfish	Gill net	trace	N/A - N/A	0.23	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	0.9	N/A - N/A	0.19	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Gill net	0.2	0.3 - 0.8	ND	0.4 - 1.0
Northern Pike	Gill net	15.9	1.5 - 7.3	ND	2.0 - 3.5
	Trap net	0.4	N/A - N/A	ND	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Gill net	0.8	N/A - N/A	0.06	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	1.3	0.7 - 4.2	0.12	0.1 - 0.2
<u>Walleye</u>	Trap net	trace	0.3 - 1.2	1.50	0.8 - 2.8
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	Gill net	3.9	0.5 - 7.5	ND	0.5 - 0.8
	Trap net	3.3	0.9 - 5.7	0.76	0.5 - 0.8
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	Gill net	trace	2.0 - 27.9	0.04	0.1 - 0.2

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1998 Survey Year

# Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	2	6	24	4	0	0	0	0	36
Black Crappie	24	60	8	0	0	0	0	0	92
<u>Bluegill</u>	218	826	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,044
<u>Brown Bullhead</u>	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
<u>Green Sunfish</u>	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Hybrid Sunfish	10	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	4
<u>Northern Pike</u>	0	0	4	22	210	84	18	2	340

<u>Pumpkinseed Sunfish</u>									
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	46	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
<u>Walleye</u>	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	2	16	116	32	0	0	0	0	166
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

### Minnesota Fish Consumption Advisory 2000

No fish consumption information is available for this lake.

### Status of the Fishery (as of 06/30/98)

Northern pike are the predominant gamefish in Lake Minnewashta. Their population is well above average for this type of lake. The average length and weight of sampled northern pike was 19.3 inches and 1.3 pounds. The largest individual measured was 31.6 inches in length. Only 6.3 percent of the northern pike captured were larger than 25 inches.

Numerous largemouth bass were sampled during electrofishing. The average length was only 10.6 inches. Only 3.7 percent of the bass sampled exceeded 16 inches in length. An experimental regulation designed to improve the number and size of largemouth bass requires that any largemouth bass caught be immediately returned to the lake regardless of size or condition.

Bluegills are extremely abundant in Lake Minnewashta. The average length sampled was 6.7 inches. A total of 44.1 percent of the bluegills measured were larger than 7 inches. Black crappies were sampled within normal abundance levels for this lake. They had an average length of 6.9 inches.

Black, brown, and yellow bullheads were each caught iduring this survey. Yellow bullheads were by far the most abundant species sampled. Their average size was approximately 11 inches long and 0.75 pounds.

**Name: Riley** 

Nearest Town: Chanhassen\Eden Prairie

Survey Date: 06/28/99 Inventory Number: 10-0002-00 Primary County: Carver

#### **Public Access Information**

**Ownership Description Type** City Concrete East central shore

### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 297.00 Littoral Area (acres): 109.60

Maximum Depth (ft): 49.00

Water Clarity (ft): 2.75

Dominant Bottom Substrate: N/A Abundance of Aquatic Plants: N/A

Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): N/A

# Fish Sampled up to the 1999 Survey Year

Species	Gear Used	Caught	Normal Range	<u>Average Fish</u> <u>Weight</u> (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
Black Bullhead	Gill net	15.0	2.5 - 45.0	0.33	0.3 - 0.7
	Trap net	12.9	0.7 - 25.7	0.31	0.3 - 0.6
Black Crappie	Gill net	18.2	2.5 - 16.5	0.22	0.1 - 0.3
	Trap net	85.0	1.8 - 21.2	0.22	0.2 - 0.3
<u>Bluegill</u>	Gill net	2.2	N/A - N/A	0.22	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	132.3	7.5 - 62.5	0.21	0.1 - 0.3

Common Carp	Gill net	5.7	0.3 - 3.0	3.06	1.9 - 5.2
	Trap net	1.7	0.4 - 2.0	3.34	2.6 - 6.0
Golden Shiner	Gill net	0.7	0.3 - 1.5	0.12	0.1 - 0.1
	Trap net	1.1	0.2 - 0.8	0.12	0.1 - 0.1
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	Gill net	0.2	0.3 - 0.8	0.60	0.4 - 1.0
<u>Northern Pike</u>	Gill net	7.5	1.5 - 7.3	4.00	2.0 - 3.5
	Trap net	1.2	N/A - N/A	ND	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Trap net	0.9	0.7 - 4.2	0.11	0.1 - 0.2
<u>Walleye</u>	Gill net	4.5	1.2 - 6.3	ND	1.2 - 2.7
	Trap net	1.1	0.3 - 1.2	0.54	0.8 - 2.8
White Sucker	Gill net	2.2	0.4 - 2.2	1.13	1.5 - 2.4
	Trap net	0.6	0.2 - 1.0	1.63	1.6 - 2.8
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	Gill net	1.7	0.5 - 7.5	ND	0.5 - 0.8
	Trap net	3.2	0.9 - 5.7	0.56	0.5 - 0.8
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	Gill net	34.5	2.0 - 27.9	ND	0.1 - 0.2
	Trap net	0.7	0.3 - 1.7	0.21	0.1 - 0.2

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1999 Survey Year

# Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	0	294	118	0	0	0	0	0	412
Black Crappie	4	636	10	0	0	0	0	0	650
<u>Bluegill</u>	60	460	0	0	0	0	0	0	520
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Northern Pike	0	0	0	0	8	44	48	12	112
<u>Pumpkinseed Sunfish</u>	14	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
<u>Walleye</u>	0	0	14	34	12	12	2	0	74
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	0	16	52	10	0	0	0	0	78
<u>Yellow Perch</u>	22	254	0	0	0	0	0	0	276

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			FISH SIZE (inches)							
LAKE	SPECIES		5-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30+			
Riley 10000200 Carver Co.	Black Crappie Carp Northern Pike Walleye		0	O	• •	0	•			
Symbol Key										
<u>Mercury</u>										
*	0	•		•	•					
Women of child-bearing a	age and young children									
	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 m	eal/month	do not eat		do not eat			
Other Persons	unlimited	unlimited	1 m	neal/week	1 meal/month		do not eat			
PCBs										
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All Persons	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 m	eal/month	1 meal/2 months		do not eat			

Meal advice for PCBs assumes fat is trimmed from the fillets andthe fillets are cooked in a way that allows fat to drain away.

Status of the Fishery (as of 06/28/99)

Riley Lake is mainly managed for northern pike and largemouth bass. Northern pike are very abundant and over half of the fish handled during the survey exceeded 25 inches in length. Only one largemouth bass was sampled during netting, but 23 were sampled electrofishing. They averaged 10.2 inches in length. Bluegills are very abundant in this lake. Nearly 20% of the bluegills netted were larger than 7 inches. Walleyes are present in good numbers in this lake from private stocking and movement from Susan Lake through Riley Creek. Walleyes sampled in the gillnets averaged 16.0 inches in length. Yellow perch are also abundant, but average only about 6.6 inches in length. Carp and black bullhead are present in abundant numbers. White sucker and yellow bullhead are also present, but in much lower numbers.

Name: ST. JOE (Little Joe)

Nearest Town: Chanhassen

Survey Date: 06/21/94

Primary County: Carver

Inventory Number: 10-0011-00

#### **Public Access Information**

Ownership Type Description

Minnesota DNR Gravel State owned access on NE shore of lake.

### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 14.00Dominant Bottom Substrate: N/ALittoral Area (acres): 6.50Abundance of Aquatic Plants: N/A

Maximum Depth (ft): 52.00 Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): N/A

Water Clarity (ft): 10.00

# Fish Sampled up to the 1994 Survey Year

Species	<b>Gear Used</b>	Caught	Normal Range	<u>Average Fish</u> <u>Weight</u> (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
Black Bullhead	Gill net	54.0	5.2 - 56.2	0.34	0.2 - 0.5
	Trap net	2.0	1.3 - 26.0	0.27	0.2 - 0.5
<u>Bluegill</u>	Trap net	5.3	6.5 - 59.6	0.16	0.1 - 0.2
Bowfin (Dogfish)	Gill net	2.0	0.3 - 1.5	4.08	1.9 - 3.3
	Trap net	0.8	0.3 - 1.0	1.57	2.2 - 4.0
Brown Bullhead	Trap net	1.5	0.5 - 5.4	0.26	0.4 - 0.7

<u>Green Sunfish</u>					
Green Sunfish	Trap net	2.8	0.3 - 2.0	0.14	0.1 - 0.1
Hybrid Sunfish	Gill net	1.5	N/A - N/A	0.36	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	8.5	N/A - N/A	0.25	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Trap net	0.3	0.3 - 0.8	0.03	0.2 - 1.1
<u>Northern Pike</u>	Gill net	4.5	2.5 - 7.9	0.77	1.8 - 3.3
	Trap net	2.2	N/A - N/A	0.54	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Trap net	3.2	0.8 - 5.3	0.06	0.1 - 0.2
Yellow Bullhead	Trap net	0.3	0.8 - 5.0	0.39	0.4 - 0.7

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1994 Survey Year

### Number of fish caught in each category (inches)

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0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
0	114	5	1	0	0	0	0	120
19	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
0	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	9
7	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
17	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	54
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
0	0	2	12	7	1	0	0	22
17	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
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No fish consumption information is available for this lake.

Status of the Fishery (as of 06/21/94)

St. Joe Lake currently has a fish population dominated by small black bullheads, northern pike and several species of panfish. Approximately 25 percent of individual bluegill and hybrid sunfish sampled were over 7.0 inches in length. Growth rate was found to be generally below average for all species present in the sample.

Name: SUSAN

Nearest Town: Chanhassen\Eden Prairie Survey Date: 07/23/93

Primary County: Carver Inventory Number: 10-0013-00

#### **Public Access Information**

OwnershipTypeDescriptionUnknownUnknownNONE

### **Lake Characteristics**

Lake Area (acres): 93.00Dominant Bottom Substrate: sand, silt, gravelLittoral Area (acres): 75.00Abundance of Aquatic Plants: abundantMaximum Depth (ft): 17.00Maximum Depth of Plant Growth (ft): 5.00Water Clarity (ft): 2.50

### Fish Sampled up to the 1993 Survey Year

Species	Gear Used	Caught	Normal Range	Average Fish Weight (lbs)	Normal Range (lbs)
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	Gill net	91.0	7.7 - 104.7	ND	0.2 - 0.5
	Trap net	31.4	1.5 - 58.0	0.28	0.2 - 0.5
Black Crappie	Gill net	1.0	1.7 - 17.5	0.15	0.1 - 0.3
	Trap net	0.1	2.1 - 24.1	0.17	0.2 - 0.4
<u>Bluegill</u>	Gill net	2.5	N/A - N/A	0.23	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	9.7	3.5 - 57.1	0.17	0.1 - 0.3

<u>Brown Bullhead</u>					
Brown Bullhead	Gill net	3.0	0.8 - 7.0	0.17	0.3 - 0.8
	Trap net	0.6	0.4 - 5.1	0.15	0.4 - 0.9
Common Carp	Gill net	12.5	0.8 - 4.3	1.81	1.0 - 4.0
	Trap net	3.1	0.4 - 2.4	1.88	1.8 - 5.1
Golden Shiner	Gill net	2.0	0.6 - 2.8	0.12	0.1 - 0.2
Hybrid Sunfish	Trap net	0.4	N/A - N/A	0.10	N/A - N/A
Largemouth Bass	Trap net	0.3	0.2 - 0.8	1.59	0.3 - 1.5
Northern Pike	Gill net	3.5	2.0 - 10.8	2.89	1.7 - 3.1
	Trap net	0.2	N/A - N/A	2.98	N/A - N/A
Pumpkinseed Sunfish	Gill net	0.5	N/A - N/A	0.16	N/A - N/A
	Trap net	0.4	0.7 - 6.5	0.20	0.1 - 0.2
<u>Walleye</u>	Trap net	1.0	0.3 - 0.8	0.80	0.9 - 3.5
Yellow Bullhead	Gill net	0.5	0.5 - 5.0	0.89	0.4 - 0.8
	Trap net	0.4	1.0 - 7.1	0.27	0.4 - 0.8

# Length of Selected Species Sampled for All Gear for the 1993 Survey Year

Number	of fish	caught in	each	category	(inches)	١
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Species	0-5	6-8	9-11	12-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	>29	Total
<u>Black Bullhead</u>	39	148	0	0	0	0	0	0	187
<u>Black Crappie</u>	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
<u>Bluegill</u>	36	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	92
<u>Brown Bullhead</u>	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Hybrid Sunfish	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
<u>Largemouth Bass</u>	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
<u>Northern Pike</u>	0	0	0	0	1	4	4	0	9
<u>Pumpkinseed Sunfish</u>	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
<u>Walleye</u>	0	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	9
<u>Yellow Bullhead</u>	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	5

# Fish **Stocked** by Species for the Last Five Years

Year	Species	Age	Number
1995	<u>Walleye</u>	Fry	150,000
1996	<u>Walleye</u>	Fry	50,000
1997	<u>Walleye</u>	Fry	150,000
1998	<u>Walleye</u>	Fry	150,000
1999	<u>Walleye</u>	Fry	150,000

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		FISH SIZE (inches)						
LAKE	SPECIES	5-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30+		
Susan 10001300 Carver Co.	Bluegill Sunfish	0						
	Carp		*	*				
	Northern Pike		0	0	0			
	Walleye	•	O					
Symbol Key								
Mercury								
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Women of child-bearing age and young children

	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	do not eat	do not eat
Other Persons	unlimited	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	do not eat
<u>PCBs</u>					
All Persons	unlimited	1 meal/week	1 meal/month	1 meal/2 months	do not eat

Meal advice for PCBs assumes fat is trimmed from the fillets andthe fillets are cooked in a way that allows fat to drain away.