

NHI Natural Community Site Evaluation

General Site Information

Site Name: Sheboygan AOC - Kiwanis Park

Biotics Site Name:

Evaluated by: Clark

Date Evaluated: 05/24/2011

Other Obs:

Last update: 05-Oct-2011

Materials included: Topo Air Photo Plant List Photos

Access

2011 (Clark): In the city of Sheboygan, north side of the Sheboygan River, south of Hwy 23, north of New Jersey Ave, east of Wildwood Cemetary.

Core Site Summary

2011 (Clark): A typical city park, mostly lawn with park facilities, a playground, boat launch, half diamonds, skate park, shelters, roads, parking areas, picnic areas, archery range. The river bank is grass lawn with scattered weeping willows, some rock rip rap, and a floating boom for shoreline stabilization (Photo 1899). There is a narrow strip of woods along the west slope bordering railroad track. It is highly disturbed - mostly exotics and adventives - black locust, box elder, common buckthorn, Dame's rocket, garlic mustard (Photo 1898 waypt 43).

Site significance: No real natural area of any significance.

Management Considerations

There is shoreline stabilization work but there are no natural communities present along the shoreline.

Surrounding Land Use

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Savanna / woodland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Conifer Forest |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Open/grassland | <input type="checkbox"/> Deciduous Forest |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Barrens | <input type="checkbox"/> Other wetlands |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shrub | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational (trail, campground, etc) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed conifer-deciduous | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

Comments:

Animals observed during visit:

Waypoints

Waypoint ID	User ID	Observer	Date	Waypoint Description	Photo(s)	Latitude	Longitude
36169	42	Clark, Andy	2011-5-24	Park with lawn, ball diamond, picnic areas, shelters, skate park, playground, weeping willows along the river.	No	43.7538	-87.7264
36170	43	Clark, Andy	2011-5-24	Disturbed 'woods', black locust, box elder, common buckthorn, garden currant, garlic mustard, Hesperis.	No	43.75079	-87.7288
36171	44	Clark, Andy	2011-5-24	Shoreline of the Sheboygan River, grass lawn with scattered weeping willows, rock riprap & floating bank stabilization boom.	No	43.75044	-87.7258