

Manoomin Restoration Project

Ongoing restoration and stewardship in the St. Louis River Estuary

St. Louis River Area Of Concern
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Manoomin Importance

- Manoomin is a cultural keystone species for the Anishinaabe people.
- Manoomin is a fundamental entity that provides spirit and cultural connection to the land and strengthens relationships within the community.
- Manoomin serves as both food and habitat to a variety of fish and wildlife species throughout its growth cycle.
- Manoomin was nearly extirpated from the estuary as a result of industrialization and changes to water levels.
- The return of Manoomin to the St. Louis River Estuary is a story of environmental justice for the communities that depend on this important entity for food and medicine.

Manoomin Restoration Model

