

Habitat Key:

SFM = seasonal flooded marsh
 WG = watergrass (irrigated SFM)
 SW = summer water (semi-perm)
 PP = permanent pond

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 2016 – 2017 Delevan NWR Free Roam Area

Habitat Description (when completely flooded)

Conditions can change depending on weather, bird use, water supply, levee breaks, etc.
 As of October 3, 2016

Tract	Habitat	Dominant Vegetation	Average Water Depth*	% Open Water	Considerations
26.1	SFM	Bulrush/Timothy	Moderate/Shallow	50%	Limited cover
26.2	SFM	Cattail/Cocklebur	Moderate/Deep	50%	Deep areas on West side
27.4	SFM	Tule/Cattail	Moderate	50%	Disked lanes and potholes
27.5	SFM	Cattail/Tule	Moderate	50%	Disked lanes and potholes
32	WG	Watergrass/Jointgrass	Moderate/Deep	20%	Disked lanes and pockets
33	SFM	Bulrush/Timothy	Moderate	60%	Disabled boat ramp
34.2	SW	Cattail/Bulrush	Moderate	20%	
34.3	SW	Bulrush/Jointgrass	Moderate	20%	Limited cover, disabled boat ramp
35	SFM	Smartweed/Timothy	Moderate/Deep	60%	Watch for deep channels, use caution when wading
41	SFM	Timothy/Tule	Very Deep	90%	Deep channels and potholes, use caution when wading

***Water Depth: Shallow < 12" ; Moderate = 12" – 24" ; Deep = >24"**