

# RIPARIAN LIBRARIAN

W I L L O W T B K J N D J C T  
 M I N H I N K Z L R N F I K M  
 C D L F I S H O R E L I N E T  
 S Z R D V R I V E R B A N K N  
 E D N A L T E W D F B A M Q O  
 D U M R G I Z V N M H C G H R  
 G E C R E O F A A P E O P L E  
 E F H A W C N E M E D T R M H  
 F R H S T J R F A E B T I H P  
 Y R E E R T J E L Z O O P S Q  
 N A O D S E A T A Y A N A U Z  
 R E L G N A T I S T T W R R W  
 P E L I C A N A L L I O I L U  
 P U K W C U E M W X N O A U Z  
 A T A R K S U M M V G D N B N

Find and circle the following words that relate to riparian areas. Some words are hidden backwards and some are diagonal!

ANGLER	PEOPLE
BEAVER	RECREATION
BOATING	RIPARIAN
BULRUSH	RIVERBANK
CATTAIL	SALAMANDER
CATTLEDOG	SEDGE
COTTONWOOD	SHORELINE
DRAGONFLY	STREAMBANK
FISH	WATERSHED
FROG	WETLAND
HERON	WILDLIFE
MEANDER	WILLOW
MUD	
MUSKRAT	
PELICAN	

## BONUS WORD GAME!

Can you fit the correct words from the word search into these sentences? The first and last letter of each word is given.

Riparian areas are important for p\_\_\_\_\_ e, w\_\_\_\_\_ e, f\_\_\_\_ h, cattle, and water quality.

C\_\_\_\_\_ d trees and w\_\_\_\_\_ ws are often found growing along r\_\_\_\_\_ ks.

C\_\_\_\_\_ ls, s\_\_\_\_\_ es and b\_\_\_\_\_ hes are plants that grow at the edges of w\_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## ANSWERS

Riparian Librarian: See left for word search answers  
 Bonus Word Game: Riparian areas are important for **people**, **wildlife**, **fish**, **cattle**, and water quality.  
 Cottonwood trees and **wilows** are often found growing along **riverbanks**.  
 Cattails, **sedges** and **bulrushes** are plants that grow at the edges of **wetlands**.

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 D U M R G I Z V N M H C G H R  
 G E C R E O F A A P E O P L E  
 E F H A W C N E M E D T R M H  
 F R H S T J R F A E B T I H P  
 Y R E E R T J E L Z O O P S Q  
 N A O D S E A T A Y A N A U Z  
 R E L G N A T I S T T W R R W  
 P E L I C A N A L L I O I L U  
 P U K W C U E M W X N O A U Z  
 A T A R K S U M M V G D N B N