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MR,

You shouldn't need a very exact crappie pattern to entice a pike or musky. The key is quick response time. Bring a big fly rod and have it rigged and set off to the side, When Mr Toothy shows up, yank the crappie away from him and grab the big rod and show him a streamer - the ole bait and switch.

Anyway, with that said, if you want a good pattern, just tie up a Lefty's Deceiver about 3" long and maybe add some gold and green sparkle flash and maybe take a black magic marker to the wings to give it a barred effect like a crappie's flank. Don't forget a bite tippet of wire or heavy flouro.