The MICHIGAN NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND

was established under the Kammer Recreational Land Trust Fund Act of 1976 to provide a permanent funding source for the public acquisition of land for resource protection and public outdoor recreation.

Funding was provided by revenue derived from royalties on the sale and lease of state-owned oil, gas and mineral rights.

This landmark piece of legislation came to fruition thanks to the collaborative efforts of the Michigan Oil and Gas Association, Michigan United Conservation Clubs and state legislators on behalf of all Michigan citizens.

The MNRTF has contributed immeasurably to protecting our state’s natural beauty and helped paved the way for wise and prudent development of our state’s abundant energy resources.

To date, the MNRTF has awarded over $1 billion in grants to local units of government and state agencies for projects throughout all 83 counties.

Of this total, $196 million have been invested in trails. In excess of 1,000 public parks have been acquired and/or developed. Other projects funded include ball fields, tennis courts, trailheads, restrooms and other amenities, for a total of just under 2,200 MNRTF-assisted projects since 1976.
Ingham County has received more than $17,914,525 in 51 Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grants (MNRTF) and has four currently recommended and pending legislative approval.

Ingham County active or completed MNRTF Projects

**DELHI TOWNSHIP**
- Valhalla Park Restroom/Pavilion: $283,100
- North Trail Connector Development: $300,000

**DNR COMMUNICATIONS**
- Multi-Use Shooting Sports and Education Facility: $500,000

**DNR - OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS, RECRUITMENT & RETENTION**
- Dansville State Game Area Shooting Range Development: $300,000

**EAST LANSING**
- Northern Tier Trail: $92,400
- White Park Improvements: $225,000
- Hawk Nest Park Development: $262,500
- White Park Expansion #2: $68,500
- White Park Expansion #1: $429,000
- Patriarche Park Playground Replacement: $300,000
- Environmental Corridors: $765,400
- Northern Tier Bike/Hike Trail: $375,000

**INGHAM COUNTY**
- Burchfield Park Fishing Dock: $60,000
- Lake Lansing Park North: $1,982,200
- Burchfield Park: $30,000
- Burchfield Park: $120,000
- Lake Lansing Park Expansion: $375,000
- Burchfield Park: $300,000
- Lake Lansing Beach Expansion: $294,300
- Solomon Pit Acquisition (Hawk Island Co. Park): $900,000
- Hawk Island County Park: $493,000

**LANSING**
- Moores Park Improvements: $247,800
- River Trail South Extension: $226,500
- River Trail South Extension: $500,000
- Lansing River Trail South Ext.: $426,500
- Hunter Pool Renovation: $500,000
- Hunter’s Ridge Land Acquisition: $785,300
- Crego Park Development: $500,000
- Frances Park Trail Improvement: $300,000
- Urban Recreation Trail: $262,500
- Lansing Urban Recreation Trail: $250,000
- River Trail: $375,000
- Lansing River Trail '89: $375,000
- Lansing River Trail '90: $316,500
- River Trail West-Phase 2: $375,000
- Fenner Arboretum Inholding: $360,000
- Frances Park Shoreline: $408,900
- River Trail Moores Park: $500,000

**LESLIE PUBLIC SCHOOLS**
- Russell Miller “Wild 100”: $400,000

**MERIDIAN CHARTER TOWNSHIP**
- Accessible Pavilion - North Meridian Road Park: $50,000

**MERIDIAN TOWNSHIP**
- Hartrick Park Development: $488,125
- Red Cedar Riverfront Park: $180,000
- Wonch Park Pathway Dev.: $45,000
- Riverfront Recreation Area: $125,000
- Central Park North (Nancy L. Moore Park): $90,000
- Harris Nature Center-Ph.I: $119,600
- Central Park Fishing Dock: $30,000

**WILLIAMSTON**
- McCormick Park Improvements: $391,100
- Williamston Recreation Corridor: $105,000
- Red Cedar River Rapids: $342,700
- WILLIAMSTOWN TOWNSHIP
  - Park Land Acquisition: $383,600
  - Recommended Projects (pending approval)

**EAST LANSING**
- Patriarche Park Baseball Field Improvements: $50,000

**INGHAM COUNTY**
- McNamara Landing Im.: $105,800

**MERIDIAN CHARTER TOWNSHIP**
- Central Meridian Regional Trail Connector Project: $272,500
- Ponderosa Land Preserve: $514,900