



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.***

MANISTEE COUNTY

Manistee County has received more than **\$14,167,759** in 17 Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grants (MNRTF) and has two currently recommended and pending legislative approval.

Manistee County active or completed MNRTF Projects

ACADIA TOWNSHIP

- Arcadia Lake Michigan Beach Development: \$298,700
- Arcadia Twp. Marina Expansion: \$95,000
- Arcadia South Beach: \$834,759

BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP

- Bear Lake Frontage for Kayak/Canoe Launch: \$82,500

DNR - EXECUTIVE OFFICE

- CMS Arcadia/Green Point Dunes: \$4,000,000
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DNR - FISHERIES DIVISION

- Little Manistee River Weir Development: \$300,000

DNR - FOREST, MINERAL & FIRE MANAGEMENT

- Springdale Betsie Forest : \$345,000

FILER TOWNSHIP

- Magoon Creek: \$150,000

MANISTEE

- Man Made Lake Acquisition:

\$2,015,000

- Manistee First Street Beach House Development: \$280,000
- Manistee Riverwalk West: \$375,000
- Manistee Riverfront Park: \$375,000

MANISTEE TOWNSHIP

- Bar Lake Outlet: \$17,500

ONEKAMA TOWNSHIP

- Development of Langland Park on Lake Michigan: \$261,000

VILLAGE OF EAST LAKE

- Penny Park Renovation: \$141,000

VILLAGE OF ONEKAMA

- Onekama Village Park Development: \$97,300

Recommended Projects (pending approval)

ONEKAMA TOWNSHIP

- Portage Lake Kayak & Canoe Launch/ Trailhead – North Point: \$75,900

PLEASANTON TOWNSHIP

- Acquisition of May Buell Park: \$162,000