



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.***

SAINT CLAIR COUNTY

Saint Clair County has received more than **\$12,757,249** in 38 Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grants (MNRTF) and has 2 currently recommended and pending legislative approval.

Saint Clair County active or completed MNRTF Projects

ALGONAC

- Lions Field Park Pool House Improvements: \$255,100
- Riverfront Park Lighting Replacement: \$50,000

BROCKWAY TOWNSHIP

- Brockway Township Community Park Skate Park : \$36,700
- Brockway Township Park: \$104,834

CLAY TOWNSHIP

- Non-Motorized Trail: \$102,000

COTTRELLVILLE TOWNSHIP

- Cottrellville Twp. Riverfront Park Acquisition: \$337,700

DNR PARKS & RECREATION

- North Channel Site: \$960,000
- Lake St. Clair Boat Access: \$500,000
- Algonac State Park "Bridge to Bay" Rail-Trail: \$148,750

DNR - WILDLIFE DIVISION

- St. Johns Marsh: \$1,065,000
- St. Clair Flats: \$250,000

EAST CHINA TOWNSHIP

- East China Bike Trail: \$160,700

GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP

- Township Park Expansion: \$63,360

MARINE CITY

- St. Clair River Beach Acquisition: \$487,105
- Bridge to Bay Trail: \$15,400

MARYSVILLE

- Marysville City Park-Chrysler Beach Recreation Improvement: \$239,900
- Marysville City Park Expansion: \$59,000
- Riverfront Land Acquisition: \$48,000

PORT HURON

- Lakeside Park Universal Redevelopment:

\$295,000

- Pine Grove Park : \$158,900
- 16th and Dove Softball Lighting: \$84,000

PORT HURON TOWNSHIP

- Purchase of Bakers Field: \$375,000
- Bakers Field Park Development: \$282,200

SAINT CLAIR COUNTY

- Lake Huron Shoreline Acquisition: \$2,312,500
- Belle River Property Acquisition: \$1,408,000
- Camp Woodsong Fee Simple Acquisition : \$291,800
- Blue Water River Walk Expansion: \$150,000
- Blue Water River Walk Expansion Phase 2 Acquisition: \$118,400
- Pine River Property Acquisition: \$97,500
- Belle River Property Acquisition: \$65,800
- Wadhams to Avoca Rail Trail: \$161,000

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- Pine River Nature Center Visitor Facilities: \$370,000
- Pine River Nature Center Trail Development: \$360,500
- Pine River Nature Center: \$206,800

SAINT CLAIR TOWNSHIP

- Greig Park Expansion: \$100,000

WALES TOWNSHIP

- Wales Township Park Land Acquisition: \$74,300
- Recommended Projects (pending approval)

PORT HURON

- Pine Grove Park Improvements: \$275,000

SAINT CLAIR

- Palmer Park Boardwalk Replacement: \$225,000