



# 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.***

# CHARLEVOIX COUNTY

Charlevoix County has received more than **\$7,861,980** in 22 Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grants (MNRTF) and has three currently recommended and pending legislative approval.

Charlevoix County active or completed MNRTF Projects

## **BAY TOWNSHIP**

- Eagle Island/Walloon Lake: \$90,000

## **BOYNE CITY**

- Riverside Park Annex Acquisition: \$48,600
- Boyne River Walk Project: \$187,925

## **CHARLEVOIX**

- Wharfside Building Acquisition: \$500,000
- Ferry Avenue Beach Expansion: \$132,000
- Ferry Beach Park: \$215,700
- Depot Beach Park Land Acquisition: \$224,155
- Michigan Beach Park Improvements: \$270,100

## **CHARLEVOIX COUNTY**

- Whiting Park Universal Access Improvements: \$232,500
- Boyne City to US-31 Trail: \$300,000
- Butler Trust Property: \$214,200
- Boyne City to Charlevoix Non-Motorized Trail: \$300,000
- Thumb Lake Beach Acquisition: \$400,000

## **CHARLEVOIX SCHOOLS**

- Beaver Island Lighthouse: \$33,800

## **CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP**

- North Point Sand Dunes: \$400,000
- ## **DNR - FOREST, MINERAL & FIRE MANAGEMENT**

- Bear River Parcel Conservation Easement: \$280,000
- Little Sand Bay, Beaver Island: \$400,000

## **EVELINE TOWNSHIP**

- Eveline Township Lake Charlevoix Access: \$46,500

## **HAYES TOWNSHIP**

- Camp Seagull - Lake Charlevoix: \$3,375,000

## **PEAINE TOWNSHIP**

- Fox Pointe Acquisition: \$155,300

## **SAINT JAMES TOWNSHIP**

- Gull Harbor Park: \$30,000

## **WILSON TOWNSHIP**

- Wilson Township Park: \$26,200

## **Recommended Projects (pending approval)**

### **BOYNE CITY**

- City of Boyne City Open Space Acquisition: \$2,438,800
- Boyne Valley Trailway Development – Phase 1: \$300,000

### **BOYNE VALLEY TOWNSHIP**

- Boyne River Acquisition: \$50,000