



**US Army Corps  
of Engineers**



## **Petoskey Harbor, MI**

### **Harbor Features**

- Located on the east shore of Lake Michigan about 50 miles south of the Straits of Mackinac.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Acts of 18 Aug 1894, 13 Jun 1902.
- Shallow draft recreational harbor.
- Approximately 1,345 feet of breakwater.
- Major stakeholders include the City of Petoskey, Emmet County, Michigan DNR, and Michigan Boating Association.

### **Project Needs**

- The breakwater failed in the spring of 2006. Stone was placed around the failed section of the breakwater, but major repairs still need to be made. During a rigorous conceptual design analysis, a comprehensive repair estimate was formulated for the long-term repair requirements for the breakwater. Due to cost considerations, the breakwater may have to be repaired in phases over several years.

### **Consequences of Not Maintaining the Project**

- Loss of jobs locally.
- Loss of recreational and charter fishing in the area.



### **Transportation Importance**

- This project serves as an important Harbor of Refuge and supports charter fishing and recreational navigation interests.
- The local community has established a significant infrastructure around the harbor facilities that generates income from harbor users and visitors to the area.

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2008, 2009 and 2010  
Petoskey Harbor, MI - Project Needs and President's Budget (\$1,000)**

<b>Work Package</b>	<b>FY08 Need</b>	<b>FY08 Allocation</b>	<b>FY09 Need</b>	<b>FY09 President's Budget</b>	<b>FY10 Need</b>	<b>FY10 Budget*</b>
Project Condition Surveys	20	20			30	
Repair Breakwater – by Contract	3,178	2969	4,000		4,000	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>3,198</b>	<b>2,989</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,030</b>	

\*FY10 President's Budget will be available in February 2009.

**Congressional Interests**

- Representative Bart Stupak D-MI-1
- Senator Carl Levin D-MI
- Senator Debbie Stabenow D-MI