



Bolles Harbor, MI

Harbor Features

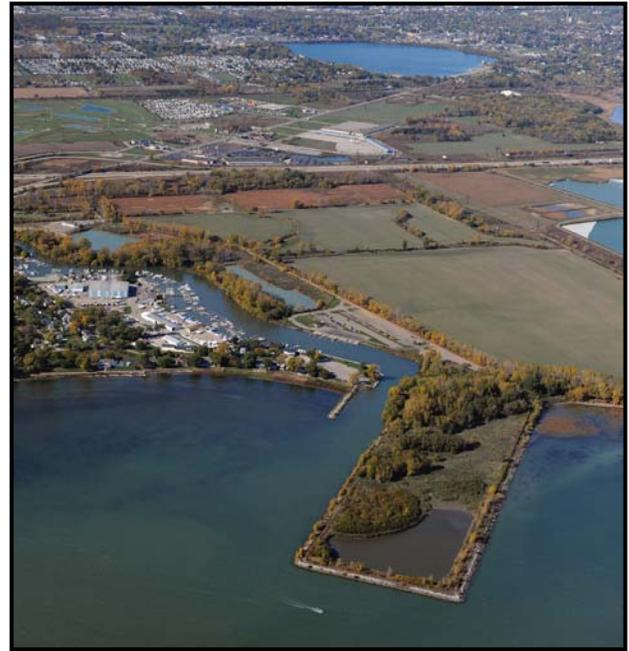
- Located on the west shore of Lake Erie at the mouth of La Plaisance Creek, 7 miles southwest of Monroe, MI.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Act of 6 Jul 1965
- Shallow draft recreational harbor
- Project depth is 8 feet
- Approximately 11,000 feet of maintained Federal channel
- More than 600 feet of maintained revetments
- Major stakeholders include the Monroe Boat Club, charter fishing interests, and the Michigan DNR.
- Confined Disposal Facility currently has sufficient capacity for the next 15 years.

Project Requirements

- Maintenance dredging of approximately 20,000 cubic yards on a 3 to 5 year cycle; the harbor was last dredged in 2010.
- The harbor currently requires maintenance dredging.

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) 2011, 2012 and 2013
Bolles Harbor, MI - Project Requirements and President's Budget (\$1,000)**

Work Package	FY11 Requirement	FY11 Work Plan	FY12 Requirement	FY12 Appropriation	FY13 Requirement	FY13 President's Budget
Project Condition Surveys					15	
Maintenance Dredging – Primary Work Package					250	
TOTALS	0	0	0	0	265	0

Congressional Interests

- Representative John D. Dingell D-MI-15
- Senator Carl Levin D-MI
- Senator Debbie Stabenow D-MI