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Mackinac Island Harbor, MI

Harbor Features

- Located between Biddle Point and Mission Point on the southeastern shore of Mackinac Island, MI in Lake Huron, along the northern channel limit of the Straights of Mackinac.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Acts of 25 Jun 1910, 17 August 1966
- Shallow draft recreational harbor
- 12,000 tons of manufactured products and necessities were received in 2007.
- Approximately 1,860 feet of rubble mound breakwaters originally constructed in 1914 and rehabilitated in 1987.
- Major stakeholders include Michigan DNR and Great Lakes Small Harbors Coalition.

Project Requirements

- Periodic repairs to navigation structures are required.

Consequences of Not Maintaining the Project

- Loss of jobs locally
- Loss of recreational fishing



Transportation Importance

- Maintenance of the federal breakwaters helps protect the Mackinac Island State Harbor from wave action.
- Receives three ferry lines that service Mackinaw City. Approximately 560,000 passengers use the ferries on an annual basis.
- Supports approximately 76 recreation boat slips

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2011, 2012 and 2013
Mackinac Island 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						
TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0	0

Congressional Interests

- Representative Dan Benishek R-MI-1
- Senator Carl Levin D-MI
- Senator Debbie Stabenow D-MI