



Pentwater Harbor, MI

Harbor Features

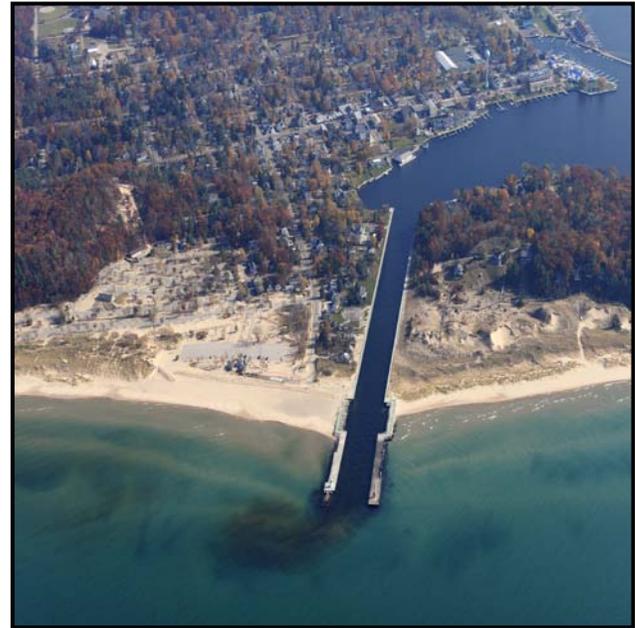
- Located on the east shore of Lake Michigan, 146 miles northeast of Chicago, IL and 14 miles south of Ludington, MI.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Acts of 2 Mar 1867, 3 Mar 1873, 5 Jul 1884, 13 Jul 1982, 2 Mar 1907
- Shallow draft recreational harbor
- Project depth is 12 feet
- Approximately 2,500 feet of maintained Federal channel, between Lake Michigan and Pentwater Lake.
- More than 4,000 feet of maintained piers and revetments
- The North and South Harbor piers and revetments were reconstructed in 1999 and 1996, respectively. Wave attenuators were also added during reconstruction.
- Dredged material is placed along the beach as beach nourishment.
- Major stakeholders include Snug Harbor Marina, Michigan DNR and the Village of Pentwater.

Project Requirements

- Historically, has required maintenance dredging of approximately 12,500 cubic yards on a near annual basis; the harbor was last dredged in 2010 using MI regional dredging provision funding.
- Maintenance dredging is currently required.

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
Pentwater 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			24		26	
Maintenance Dredging – Primary Work Package			180		204	
TOTALS	0	0	204	0	230	0

Congressional Interests

- Representative Bill Huizenga R-MI-2
- Senator Carl Levin D-MI
- Senator Debbie Stabenow D-MI