

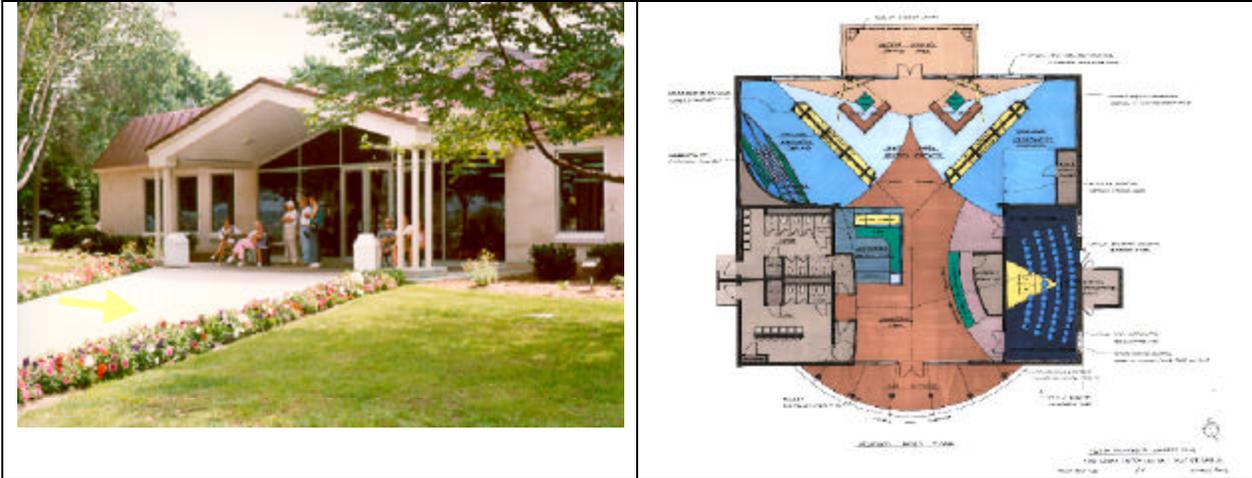
**PROJECT FACT SHEET**  
**26 February 2004**

**PROJECT:** Soo Locks Visitor's Center, Sault Ste. Marie, MI

**DESCRIPTION:** Upgrades of existing visitor's center to a first class facility. Visitor's Center is currently visited by approximately 500,000 per year and is a central component of the Upper Peninsula and City of Sault Ste. Marie tourism industry.

**CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST:** Stupak (MI-1); Sen Levin (MI); Sen Stabenow (MI)

**LOCATION MAP & PICTURE:**



**NON-FEDERAL PROJECT SPONSOR:** N/A

**PROJECT AUTHORITY:** Operations & Maintenance, St. Mary's River, MI.

**FUNDING:**

Estimated Federal Cost	\$	1,500,000
Proposed Allocation for FY 04		150,000***
FY05 Budget		0
FY05 Capability		1,500,000

**STAGE:** Detailed Design

**STATUS:** Initial concept design is completed. No funds are currently budgeted for FY04. FY04 funds could be reprogrammed to conduct the design process and prepare construction documents and a cost estimate for this project. Once this effort was completed, FY05 funds would be required to complete construction phase.

\*\*\* FY04 funds not currently programmed for this project. Funds could potentially be reprogrammed based on availability of FY05 construction funds.

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