

PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

as of 20 February 2007

PROJECT: Lake Poygan, Wisconsin

DESCRIPTION: The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) requested Corps of Engineers' assistance to participate in an investigation to determine the extent of the Corps' water level management strategy on the depletion of fish and other aquatic habitat within Lake Poygan, Winnebago County, Wisconsin. Lake Poygan once provided abundant high quality habitat for waterfowl and other birds, furbearers, and diverse warm water fishery. Much of this habitat has deteriorated in recent years. The existing water level management strategy is being reviewed to determine its role in the degradation. Water levels at Lake Poygan have been managed under the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Fox River project since 1872. The project would involve the construction of a breakwall on Lake Poygan, for the purpose of protecting, improving, and restoring fish and other aquatic wildlife habitat.

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Petri (R) WI-06, Feingold (D), Kohl (D)

LOCATION MAP & PICTURE:



NON-FEDERAL PROJECT SPONSOR: Wisconsin DNR, POC: Mr. Art Techlow: 906.424.3001.

PROJECT AUTHORITY: Section 1135 (b) of the Water Resources Development Act (WRDA) of 1986, as amended.

FUNDING:

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Federal</u>	<u>Non-Federal</u>
Current Working Estimate	\$ 16,000,000	\$ 12,000,000	\$ 4,000,000
Funds Allocated prior to FY07	\$ 564,000	\$ 564,000	\$ 0
Funds allocated in FY07	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
FY08 Budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Funds that could be used in FY08	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 0
Funds required to complete (> FY08)	\$ 15,336,000	\$ 11,336,000	\$ 4,000,000

SCHEDULE MILESTONES:

Project Initiate	AUG 99
Preliminary Decision Document Approved	SEP 00
Decision Document Approved	
Design Documentation Completed	TBD
Project Cooperation Agreement Signed	
Construction Contract Awarded	
Construction Completed	
Project Closed-Out	

STATUS: FY08 funding would be used to continue with feasibility phase.

PM: David W. Bowman; (313) 226-2223; David.W.Bowman@usace.army.mil