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Kewaunee Harbor, WI

Harbor Features

- Located on the west shore of Lake Michigan about 105 miles north of Milwaukee, WI and about 78 miles from Green Bay, via the Sturgeon Bay Harbor and the Lake Michigan Canal.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Acts of 3 Mar 1881, 25 Jun 1910, 30 Aug 1935, 14 Jul 1960
- Commercial harbor that currently serves primarily recreational boat traffic.
- The harbor also supports transitory barge traffic.
- Project depth is 20 feet
- Approximately 6,500 feet of breakwater and pier structures
- Approximately 5,500 feet of maintained channel
- Dredged material is placed in the Kewaunee CDF.
- Major stakeholders include the USACE government floating plant, city of Kewaunee, and the Wisconsin DNR.

Project Requirements

- Maintenance dredging of approximately 30,000 cubic yards is required on a three to five year cycle. This harbor was last dredged in 2014.
- Structures are in need of repair.



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 harbor community has established a significant infrastructure around the harbor facilities that generates income from harbor users and visitors to the area.
- This harbor is vital to supporting the government floating plant on Lake Michigan.

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2015, 2016 and 2017
Kewaunee Harbor, WI - Project Requirements and President's Budget (\$1,000)**

Work Package	FY15 Requirement	FY15 Appropriation	FY16 Requirement	FY16 Appropriation	FY17 Requirement	FY17 President's Budget
Structural Repairs – by Contract					750	
Maintenance Dredging – Primary Work Package						
Maintenance Dredging – Backlog Work Package	1,200		1,200		1,200	
Other Business Lines						
Environmental Stewardship	10	10	15	15	17	11
TOTAL	1,210	10	1,215	15	1,967	11

Congressional Interests

- Representative Reid Ribble R-WI-8
- Senator Ron Johnson R-WI
- Senator Tammy Baldwin D-WI