



US Army Corps
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Menominee Harbor, MI and WI

Project Features

- Located on Lake Michigan at the mouth of the Menominee River on the western shore of Green Bay, 16 miles northwest of the mouth of Sturgeon Bay and 49 miles northeast of Green Bay Harbor, about 155 miles from Milwaukee via Sturgeon Bay Harbor and the Lake Michigan Ship Canal.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Act of 3 Mar 1871, with modifications in the ensuing years
- Deep draft commercial harbor
- Project depth is 26 feet in the entrance channel, 12 feet to 24 feet in the Menominee River, and the turning basin has a project depth of 21 feet.
- 204K tons of material shipped and received in 2013
- Over 3,300 feet of pier structures
- Over 10,000 feet of maintained channel
- Major stakeholders include K&K Warehousing, Marinette Fuel and Dock Co., Marinette Marine, and Menominee Paper Co.

Project Requirements

- Approximately 25,000 to 50,000 cubic yards of material must be dredged from the channel on a 5 to 10 year cycle. The harbor was last dredged in 2014.



Consequences of Not Maintaining the Project

- Significant loss of jobs locally
- Reduction of bulk commodities that pass through the harbor that generate \$240M annually in business revenue while supporting 1,363 direct, indirect, and induced jobs that produce over \$69.5M per year in personal income in transportation and commodity related industries.
- Light loading; loss of channel depth results in increased transportation costs.

Transportation Importance

- Locally significant receiving port on the Great Lakes.
- Commodities received include pig iron, pulp and paper, as well as coal
- Harbor of Refuge

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2015, 2016 and 2017
Menominee Harbor, MI and 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 |
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| Maintenance Dredging – Primary Work Package | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Congressional Interests

- Representative Reid Ribble R-WI-8
- Representative Dan Benishek R-MI-1
- Senator Ron Johnson R-WI
- Senator Tammy Baldwin D-WI
- Senator Gary Peters D-MI
- Senator Debbie Stabenow D-MI