

2017 PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE MARQUETTE COUNTY RECREATION PLAN

Action Program

Through public input in the planning process, various “needs” were identified. From there, strategies were developed as to how County facilities could be best improved/modified to meet these needs. The following schedule shows how County and grant funding can be combined in successfully attaining our goals.

Year	Facility	Improvements	Est. Costs	Source	Responsible Agency
2017	Perkins Park	Sewer system upgrade. Replace pipe connecting the pump station and final sewer cistern. New pavilion roof and ceiling. Eliminate confined space entry locations along water system. Renovate fish cleaning station.	\$40,000	Recreation Passport Grant	RM/D
2017	Big Bay Harbor of Refuge	Stripe barrier free van accessible parking with signage. Restroom accessibility improvements to include door operability.	\$2,000	Capital Outlay	RM/D
2017	Perkins Park	Stripe barrier free van accessible parking with signage. Mark pavement for crosswalks, directional/location markings to improve vehicular safety.	\$1,000	Marquette County, Capital Outlay	RM/D
2017	Perkins Park	Update existing ADA trail network. Remove vegetation and add aggregate where needed. Fill holes and grade unpaved road.	\$2,000	Marquette County	RM/D
2017	Perkins Park	Acquire a backup lift station pump.	\$750	Marquette County	RM/D
2017	Big Bay Harbor of Refuge	Security camera harbor entrance.	\$1,500	Capital Outlay	RM/D
2017	Perkins Park	Security camera- entrance to park.	\$1,500	Capital Outlay	RM/D
2017	Perkins Park	Site leveling 2-3 per year.	\$2,000	Marquette County	RM/D
2018	Sugarloaf Mountain	Structure sealing (decking and stairs). Interpretive signage, webcam at summit, and smart waste collection system. Install bicycle racks, pet waste station, and picnic table at base of mountain.	\$100,000	MNRTF	RM/D
2018	Perkins Park	Install self-registration and information kiosk at park entrance.	\$10,000	Capital Outlay	RM/D
2018	Perkins Park	Solidify centralized refuse system. Concrete pad, screening fence construction.	\$10,000	Capital Outlay	RM/D
2018	Perkins Park	New entrance sign.	\$8,000	Capital Outlay	RM/D
2019	Perkins Park	Renovate restroom and shower facilities. Replace cement block walls with tile, epoxy concrete flooring,	\$70,000	Recreation Passport Grant	RM/D
2019	Perkins Park	Establish additional rent-a-tent sites and improve trail to location with construction of a bridge.	\$120,000	MNRTF	RM/D

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2019	Big Bay Harbor of Refuge	Finger piers, accessible routes to restroom from piers, accessible picnic tables. Develop a fish cleaning station.	\$300,000	DNR Waterways Commission	RM/D
2019	Perkins Park	Establish additional rent-a-tent sites and improve trail to location with construction of a bridge.	\$45,000	Recreation Passport Grant	RM/D
2019	Perkins Park	Make entire play area accessible. Include necessary routes to the play area and correct all accessible exceptions to the restroom/bathhouse and select campsites. Plant vegetation between campsites to provide greater privacy for campers.	\$300,000	MNRTF	RM/D
2020	Perkins Park	Renovate cabin basement to be used as an emergency shelter and controlled temperature storage in the off season.	\$25,000	Recreation Passport Grant	RM/D
2020	Perkins Park	Renovate cabin kitchen and bathroom.	\$30,000	Marquette County	RM/D
2021	Perkins Park	Expand docking for camper boat tie ups.	\$70,000	(\$1,000 private donation) MNRTF	RM/D
2022	Sugarloaf Mountain	Expand parking lot.	\$50,000	MNRTF	RM/D
2023	Perkins Park	Redirect entering traffic, improve office layout and expand parking at park entrance.	\$100,000	MNRTF	RM/D