

Wisconsin

FY11

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT FUNDING

Mission

The Wisconsin Coastal Management Program's (WCMP) mission is to preserve, protect, develop and where possible, to restore or enhance, the resources of Wisconsin's coastal area for this and succeeding generations, with governmental coordination and public involvement, giving due consideration to the linkages and impacts to resources of inland areas.

Program's Goals and Objectives

The WCMP's goals are:

- ◆ To improve the implementation and enforcement of existing state regulatory and management policies and programs.
- ◆ To improve the coordination of existing policies and activities of governmental units and planning agencies for key coastal uses and areas.
- ◆ To strengthen local governmental capabilities to initiate and continue effective coastal management consistent with state standards.
- ◆ To advocate for the sustainable use of the coastal environment and the recognition of the uniqueness of the coastal environment in federal, state, and local policies.
- ◆ To increase public awareness and opportunity for citizens to participate in decisions affecting the Great Lakes resources.

Key Accomplishments

- ◆ Awarded grants totaling \$1.6 million to nonprofit organizations, local, state and tribal governments to help fund 45 projects totaling \$5.4 million with matching and leveraged funds.
- ◆ Sponsored the 2010 Wisconsin September Adopt-a-Beach as part of the International Coastal Cleanup (ICC) and Wisconsin Coastal Awareness Month. 1,182 volunteers at 44 sites removed 2,150 pounds of debris along 15.5 miles of beaches.
- ◆ Successfully competed for two Coastal and Estuarine Land Conservation Program grants totaling \$808,400 to acquire more than 317 acres for conservation by local and state government agencies.
- ◆ Implemented the Wisconsin Clean Marina Program. Certified 18 marinas with another 9 marinas pledged to become certified Clean Marinas.
- ◆ Convened state and local beach health stakeholders at two Wisconsin Great Lakes beach conferences.

Priorities and Needs

The program's key priorities and needs for the next year are:

- ◆ Secure Great Lakes Restoration Initiative funds.
- ◆ Continued funding for Coastal Management Program grants, and reauthorization of the Coastal Zone Management Act.

A Program at the
Wisconsin Department
of Administration

CZMA Approved:
1978

Coastal Population in
2010:
2,569,000

Miles of Coastline:
820

Coastal and Ocean
Economy in 2004:
\$81,290,474,700*

CZMA Funds:
\$22,154,000

State and Other
Matching Funds:
\$1,963,000

Total:
\$44,117,000

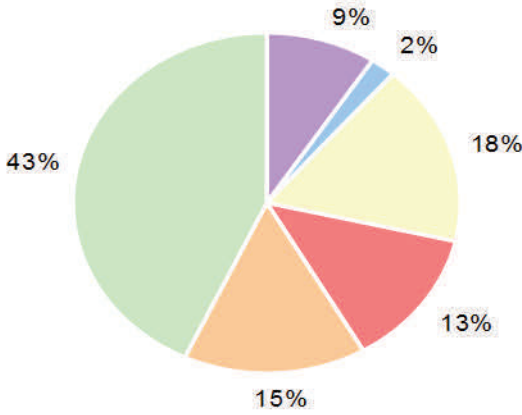


* Based on available data provided by
The National Ocean Economic
Program

<http://noep.mbari.org/>



How was the money spent?



Total CZMA Funds
\$4,117,000

Community Planning and Development - \$378,772 (9%)

Provided funding assistance towards community and natural resource planning efforts for one waterfront park plan, one waterfront redevelopment plan, one harbor development plan, and for implementing comprehensive plans in two communities.

Coastal Habitat Conservation and Restoration - \$628,034 (15%)

Restored fish habitat on Duck Creek, a tributary to Green Bay within the Oneida Indian Reservation, by removing two small dams and modifying a third to allow fish passage.

Coastal Hazards - \$86,770 (2%)

Provided funding for research and outreach targeted at landowners at risk of property damage from coastal erosion.

Coastal Water Quality Protection - \$683,104 (16%)

Developed the Wisconsin Clean Marina Program Training and Certification process.
Kinnickinnic River Corridor green infrastructure planning and design in the City of Milwaukee.

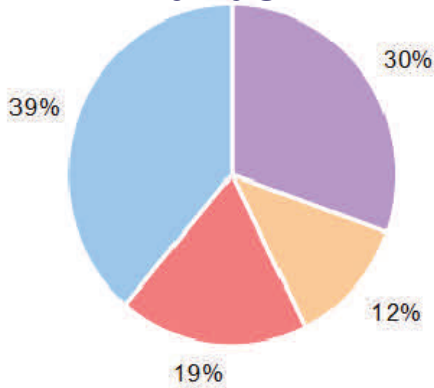
Public Access—\$713,105 (18%)

Reconstructed and enlarged a public boating access facility in the City of Bayfield.
Constructed a riverwalk and wildlife viewing pier in the City of DePere.
Acquired 14 acres for expansion of a coastal park and access to Horseshoe Bay Cave in Door County.

Coordination and Public Involvement - \$1,772,271 (43%)

Provided technical assistance and outreach to the public via Coastal Regional Planning Commissions (RPCs).
Funded core Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources waterway and wetland permitting staff in coastal counties.
Supported two community Wetland Summits focused on "Facilitating Community Conversations and Collaborations on Wetlands and Land Use".

Who received the funds?



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State Partnerships - \$1,254,226 (30%)

Staffing of Waterway and Wetland protection positions.
Update of the State's coastal wetland inventory.
Grants to Department of Natural Resources to support invasive species control and predict beach water quality.

Community and Other Technical Assistance - \$500,157 (19%)

Local assistance to the three Wisconsin Coastal Regional Planning Commissions.

Community Grants - \$1,595,451 (39%)

Provided community coastal planning grants.
Provided habitat restoration and public access grants.

Other Partnerships - \$767,166 (12%)

Water quality monitoring plan for Greater Milwaukee Watersheds.
Assistance to the Wisconsin Marina Association to implement the Clean Marina Program.
Promoting educator training through a certificate program and curricula about the Great Lakes and coastal management

Leveraging Federal Funds

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The WCMP provided grants totaling \$1.6 million to nonprofit organizations, local, state and tribal governments to help fund 45 projects, which leveraged a total of \$3.8 million in additional funds above the required match. In other words, for every grant dollar a bit less than 2.4 were leveraged beyond the required match.

Example: A WCMP investment of \$59,000 for a boat launch rehabilitation in the City of Bayfield was leveraged with an additional investment of \$800,000 from other sources.

OTHER PARTNERS

Green Bay Metropolitan Sewage District	Ozaukee County River	Alliance of Wisconsin	River Revitalization Foundation
Sixteenth Street Community Health Center	Iron County	Wisconsin Marina Association	1000 Friends of Wisconsin
Village of Egg Harbor	Town of LaPointe	Town of Clover	City of Kewaunee
Friends of Lakeshore State Park	City of Oak Creek	Riveredge Nature Center	

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