

*Mining Ideas 2: A Report on 106 Great Lakes Ecological
Protection and Restoration Projects*

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1854 Ceded Territory Authority
A consortium of staff from various municipalities in the Irondequoit Bay drainage basin
Allegan State Game Area
Allegany County Conservation District NY
Altgeld Gardens: children and adult volunteers
Amoco Corporation
Angler's All
Ann Arbor Parks & Recreation Department
Apostle Islands National Lakeshore
Arrowhead Regional Development Commission
Artists' Association
Ashland County
Ashland School District
Ashtabula County
Ashtabula County Park District
Association for Biodiversity Information
Bad River and Red Cliff Bands of Lake Superior Chippewa, The
Bad River Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians
Bad River Natural Resources Department
Bad River Tribe
Ball State University
Barksdale Township
Bay Border Towns
Bay Lake Regional Planning Commission
Bayfield County
Benzie County Conservation District
Biohabitats Inc.
Bird Studies Canada Marsh Monitoring Program
Black River Remedial Action Plan Coordinating Committee
Blue Water Land Conservancy
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green University - Environmental Studies Program
Boy Scouts
Brookfield Zoo
Brown County
Brown County Planning
Buffalo River Remedial Advisory Committee
Bureau of Endangered Resources
Bureau of Endangered Species
Bureau of Indian Affairs
Bureau of Land Management
Bureau of Water Regulation and Zoning Program (now called the Bureau of Watershed management)
Bureau of Water Resources (now called the Bureau of Watershed Management)
C.S. Mott Foundation

California Department of Fish and Game
Calumet County
Calumet County University of Wisconsin Extension
Canadian Great Lakes Cleanup Fund
Canadian Wildlife Service
Cedar Creek Watershed Alliance
Cedar Grove High School
Ceded Territory Fisheries Program
Center for Compatible Economic Development
Central Michigan University Biological Station
Champion Forests
Chequamegon - Nicolet National Forest
Chicago Academy of Sciences
Chicago State University
Chicago Wilderness
Chipper Woods Bird Observatory
City of Ashland
City of Buffalo
City of Chicago: Department of the Environment
City of Cleveland
City of Duluth
City of Rochester
City of Seven Hills
City of Sheboygan
City of Superior
City of Toledo
civic groups
Clark Township Board
Cleveland Museum of Natural History
Cleveland Museum of Natural History
CLIMB: Michigan State University
Colgate University
College of Environmental Science and Forestry
College of the Menominee Nation
Community Foundation, The
Community Schools
community volunteers
Consultative Group on Biological Diversity
Consumer's Energy Corporation
Cook County Forest Preserve District of Illinois
Cornell biological Field Station
Cornell University
Corporation for Enterprise Development, The
County Drain Commissions
County Soil Conservation Service personnel
Crawford Conservation District
Cutter and Associates (Watertown, NY)
Cuyahoga Soil and Water Conservation District
Defiance College
Delta County Soil & Water Conservation District
Department of Interior
Division of Natural Areas and Preserves
Divisions of Soil Conservation
Dodge County Planning
Door County Land Trust

Door County Land Trustees
Door County Property Owners Association
Door County Soil and Water Conservation District
Door County University of Wisconsin Extension
Door Property Owners, Inc.
Dow Chemical
drainage industry, the
Ducks Unlimited
Dunes-Calumet Audubon
DuPage County Forest Preserve District of Illinois
DuPont Corporation
Earlham College
East Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission
Eastman Place Association
Eastman Tract
Edinboro University
Environment Canada
Environmental Health Lab
Erie County Health Department
Erie County Soil and Water Conservation District
Erie County Water Quality Strategy Committee (including USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service)
Exotic Plant Pest Council-(California Florida Pacific NW Tenn. Councils)
Farm Service Agency
Farm Services Agency
Farmers Home Administration
Federation of Ontario Naturalists
Field Museum
Finger Lakes Community College
Firelands Land Conservancy
Fish and Wildlife and Forestry
Fisher Creek Alliance
Fisheries and Oceans Canada
Flintsteel Restoration Association
Fond du Lac Ceded Territory Wildlife Program
Fond du Lac Resources Program - Department of Fisheries and Wildlife
Forest Preserve District of Will County
Fort Wilkins Historical Society
Friends of Gibson Woods
Friends of Sandy Pond Beach
Friends of the Buffalo River
Friends of the Detroit River
Gale Gleason Environmental Institute
Gannon University
GAP
Garden River Ojibway Forest Nation
Geauga County Park District
Geauga Soil and Water Conservation District
General Motors
George Gund Foundation
Gibson Woods Nature Preserve
Girl Scouts
Glidden Drive Property Owners Association
Graduate students
Grand Calumet Task Force
Grand Portage Reservation Tribal Government

Grand River Environmental Action Task Force
Grand River Partners, Inc.
Grand Traverse County Conservation District
Grand Traverse Regional Land Conservancy
Great Lakes Aquatic Habitat Fund
Great Lakes Basin
Great Lakes Fisheries Commission
Great Lakes Indian Fish and Wildlife Commission
Great Lakes Protection Fund
Great Lakes Protection Fund
Great Lakes State Natural Heritage Programs
Habitat Subcommittee for the Remedial Action Plan for the Grand Calumet River and Indiana Harbor Ship Canal, The
Hamilton Lake Association
Hamlin Street Block Association
Hammond Parks and Recreation Board
Hammond Volunteer Group
Hastings Prince Edward Land Trust
Headwaters Land Trust
Headwaters Resource Conservation & Development Trust PA
Heritage Resources Centre - University of Waterloo in Ontario
Hiawatha National Forest
Hiawatha National Forest Service
Historical Association
Hobart and William Smith Geoscience Department
Holden Arboretum
Huron-Manistee National Forest
Illinois Department of Natural Resources
Illinois Geological Survey
Illinois Natural Heritage Division
Illinois Natural History Survey
Illinois Nature Preserves Commission
Illinois State University
Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Indiana Department of Natural Resources
Indiana Department of Natural Resources: Division of Fish and Wildlife
Indiana Department of Natural Resources: Division of Nature Preserves
Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore
Indiana Dunes State Park
Indiana Geological Survey
Indiana Natural Heritage Data Center
Indiana University Northwest
Indianapolis Power and Light Company
Institute for Bird Populations
International Alvar Working Group
International Joint Commission
Iowa Department of Natural Resources
Iron County
Irondequoit Watershed Collaborative
Islands Association, The
Islands Wildlife
Izaak Walton League
Jefferson County
Jefferson County Cooperative Extension
Jefferson County Planning Department
Jefferson County Soil and Water Conservation District

Jefferson-Sunset Bluff Landowners Association
Joyce Foundation
Kane County Forest Preserve District of Illinois
Kangaroo Lake Association
Kewadin Casinos
Kewaunee County Extension
Keweenaw Land Trust
Key Bank
Lac Courte Oreilles Chippewa Band
Lake County
Lake County Courthouse
Lake County Extension Service
Lake County Forest Preserve District
Lake County Forest Preserve District of Illinois
Lake County Metro Parks
Lake County Parks
Lake Erie Wildfowlers
Lake Michigan Ecological Station
Lake Michigan Federation
Lake St. Clair Great Lakes Fisheries Station
Lake Superior Protected Area Managers
Lake Superior State University
Lakeshore National Park
Land Improvement Contractors
Land Information Access Association
Le Centre de Donnees sur le Patrimoine Maturel do Quebec
Leech Lake Band of Chippewa Indians
Leech Lake Natural Resources Program
Leelanau County Conservation District
Limnofix
Little Traverse Conservancy
Local 18
local citizens
local community groups
local farmers
Local governments
local landowners
local municipalities
local planners
Local schools
Lorain County Chapter of Pheasants Forever
Lorain County Commissioners
Lorain County Metropolitan Park District
Lucas County Engineers
Lucas Soil and Water Conservation District
Mackinac State Historical Parks Commission
Mackinac Straits Area Native American Community
Marketing Education Program for Conservation District
Matthaei Botanical Gardens: University of Michigan
Maumee Bay Audubon
Maumee River Basin Commission
Maumee State Forest
Maumee Valley Audubon Club
McHenry County Conservation District
McHenry County Forest Preserve District of Illinois

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Mercer Department of Natural Resources
Mercyhurst College
MetroParks Serving Summit County
Michigan Bureau of Land Management
Michigan Chapter of the Wildlife Society
Michigan Coastal Management Program
Michigan Department of Agriculture
Michigan Department of Education
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality - Michigan Coastal Management Program
Michigan Department of Natural Resources
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Fisheries Division
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Forest Management Division
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Forest Management Division
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Parks & Recreation Division
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Private Lands Program
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Wildlife Diversion
Michigan Department of Natural Resources: Wildlife Management Division
Michigan Environmental Council
Michigan Great Lakes Protection Fund
Michigan Karst Conservancy
Michigan Natural Areas Council
Michigan Natural Features Inventory
Michigan Natural Heritage Program
Michigan Nature Conservancy
Michigan Nursery and Landscape Association
Michigan Parks & Recreation Stewardship Program
Michigan Rivers Inventory
Michigan Seedling Growers Association
Michigan State University
Michigan United Conservation Clubs
Michigan Works!
Ministry of Natural Resources
Minnesota Chippewa Laboratory
Minnesota Department of Corrections
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources: Ecological Services
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources: Fisheries
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources: Minnesota County Biological Survey
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources: Parks
Minnesota Natural Heritage and Non-game Research
Minnesota Nature Conservancy
Minnesota Parks and Trails Council
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
Minnesota Power
Minnesota Sea Grant
Minnesotans for Responsible Recreation
Missouri Department of Conservation
Missouri Department of Conservation
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Monroe County Sheriff's Department
Monroe County towns and villages
Monroe County Water Coordinating Committee
Monsanto

More than 20 local organizations and governments
More than 75 federal, state, and local agencies and organizations
Moriah Fund, the
Morton Arboretum
Muskegon County Conservation District
Muskegon County Natural Resource Conservation Service
National Audubon Society
National Park Service
National Park Service Midwest Region
National Park Service Water Resources Division
National Wildlife Federation
Native American Programs: Central Michigan University
Native American Society for Historical Preservation
Natural Areas and Preserves (Scenic Rivers Program) and Wildlife
Natural Areas Preservation Division
Natural Heritage Information Center - Ontario
Natural Heritage Programs in the United States and Canada
Natural Resource Conservation Center Rose Lake Plant Materials Center
Natural Resource Conservation Service
Natural Resource Conservation Service, the
Natural Resources Conservation Service's Wetland Reserve Program
Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin
Natural Resources Research Institute-Duluth
Nature Conservancy of Canada
Nettle Lake Steering Committee
New York Coastal Management Program
New York Department of Conservation
New York Department of Environmental Conservation
New York Department of Natural Resources
New York Natural Heritage Partnership
New York Natural Heritage Program
New York Sea Grant
New York Sea Grant Extension
New York Sea Grant/Sea Trail
New York Seneca Trail Resource Conservation & Development Council
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
New York State Department of State
New York State Department of Transportation
New York State Office of Parks
New York State Parks and Recreation
NIPSCO
Norcross Foundation
North American Fund for Environmental Cooperation
North Branch Prairie Project
North Central Research Station: U.S. Forest Service
North Jefferson Park Landowners Association
North Rainbow Shores
North Rainbow Shores Landowners Association
North/South Pond Association
Northeast Ohio Area wide Coordinating Agency
Northeast Ohio Four County Regional Planning and Development Organization
Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District
Northeast Wisconsin Land Trust
Northeastern Illinois Planning Commission
Northeastern Illinois University

Northeastern Wisconsin Audubon
Northern Indiana Public Service Company
Northern Initiatives
Northern Michigan University
Northern New York Community Foundation
Northland College - Ashland
Northland College/Sigurd Olson Environmental Institute
North-South Sandy Pond Association
Northwest District Wildlife Management staff, the
Northwoods Weed Council, The
NY Sea Grant
NY Sea Grant Extension
Oak Openings Working Group (a consortium of local partners that includes the Ohio Department of Natural Resources - Division of N
Preserves, Division of Forestry, Division of Wildlife, Ohio Department of Transportation, Toledo Metroparks, Natural Areas Stewards
Wildlife Service, and many others)
Oberlin College Biology Department
Oconto County
Ohio
Ohio Biological Survey Office, The
Ohio Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, The
Ohio Decoy Carvers
Ohio Department of Natural Resources
Ohio Department of Natural Resources: Division of Geological Survey
Ohio Department of Natural Resources: Division of Soil & Water Conservation
Ohio Division of Natural Areas & Preserves
Ohio Division of Wildlife
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency: Division of Surface Water
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency: Ecological Assessment Service
Ohio Field Office
Ohio Fish and Wildlife Management Association
Ohio Natural Heritage Program
Ohio Operating Engineers Apprenticeship Fund
Ohio State University
Oneida Tribe
Onondaga Audubon Society
Ontario
Ontario Dunes Coalition
Ontario Dunes Coalition (active members include: Black River Resource Conservation and Development, The
Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources
Ontario Natural heritage Information Centre
Ontario Natural Heritage Information Centre, The
Oswego County
Oswego County Cooperative Extension
Oswego County Environmental Management Council
Oswego County Planning Department
Oswego County Soil and Water Conservation District
Oswego County Youth Conservation Corps
Ottawa County Soil and Water Conservation District
Ottawa National Forest
Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge
Park Point Community Club
Parks Canada
Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection
Pennsylvania Department of Natural Resources

Pennsylvania Fish Commission
Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Inventory-West
Pennsylvania State University
Pestigo Wisconsin Conservation Corp
Pheasants Forever
Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore
Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park
Potlach - Minnesota Wood Products Division
Potter County Conservation District PA
Praxair
Presque Isle Natural Resources Conservation District
Presque Isle State Park
Protect the Earth/Partners - Training - and Education
Purdue Cooperative Extension Service
Purdue University
Purdue University North Central
Quinte Watershed Cleanup Inc.
RAP stakeholders
Recreation & Historic Preservation
Remedial Action Plan Coordinators basinwide
Remedial Action Plan teams
Renshaw Beach Association
Ridges Sanctuary
River Alliance of Wisconsin
River Watch
Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
Rogers City, Michigan
Rose Lake Plant Materials Center
Saginaw Basin Land Conservancy
Saginaw Bay Watershed Council
Saginaw County Cooperative Extension
Saginaw County Drain Commission
Saginaw County Natural Resource Conservation Service
Sandusky County Soil and Water Conservation District
Sandy Island Beach/ South Sandy
Sauk Trail Conservation Club
Save the Dunes Council
Sea Grant
Seneca Lake Pure Waters Association
Seney National Wildlife Service
Seney Wildlife Refuge: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Sheboygan County Conservation Association
Shelby Conservation League
Shelter Bay Forests
Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge
Shirley Heinz Environmental Fund
Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore
Small Business Development Center in the Sault
Sportsman's Club
St. Joseph County Conservation District
St. Louis River Remedial Action Plan Citizens' Advisory Committee
State Heritage Programs
State Natural Heritage Programs
State Park Stewardship Program
State University College at Buffalo (Great Lakes Center)

State University of New York
State University of New York at Buffalo (Great Lakes Program)
State University of New York College at Genesco
State University of New York College at Oswego
State University of New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry
State University of New York Ononta Biological Field Station
Steadman Association
Steuben County and DeKalb County Soil & Water Conservation Districts

student interns

Syracuse University

Tahquemenon Falls State Park

TAMS Consulting

TechniSand

Tecumseh Middle School

The Nature Conservancy

The Nature Conservancy: Adirandack Office

The Nature Conservancy: Central & Western New York Chapter

The Nature Conservancy: Door County Office

The Nature Conservancy: Door Peninsula Project

The Nature Conservancy: Eastern Lake Ontario Project

The Nature Conservancy: Illinois Field Office

The Nature Conservancy: Indiana Field Office

The Nature Conservancy: Kakagon Sloughs Project

The Nature Conservancy: Michigan Field Office

The Nature Conservancy: Midwest Resource Office

The Nature Conservancy: Minnesota Field Office

The Nature Conservancy: New York Regional Office

The Nature Conservancy: Northeast Minnesota Office

The Nature Conservancy: Oak Openings Project Office/ Kitty Todd Preserve

The Nature Conservancy: Ohio Field Office

The Nature Conservancy: Peoria Office

The Nature Conservancy: Southern Lake Michigan Project

The Nature Conservancy: Wisconsin Field Office

The Nature Conservancy; Neversink River Project Office

This plan was the result of the efforts by more than 200 people and over 90 environmental agencies and organizations in the tri-state region included here

Thousand Islands Land Trust

Thousand Islands Park Commission

Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council

Toledo Edison Company, The

Toledo Metroparks

Toledo Metropolitan Area Council of Government, the

Toledo Zoo

Tourist Association

Town government of Brownville

Town government of Cape Vincent

Town government of Clayton

Town government of Ellisburg

Town government of Lyme

Town government of Richland

Town government of Sandy Creek

Town of Pensaukee

Town officials

Travel Michigan

Trout Unlimited

Trumbull Soil and Water Conservation District
Trust for Public Land
Tug Hill Tomorrow Land Trust
TV Ontario
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
U.S. Bureau of Land Management
U.S. Department of Agriculture
U.S. Department of Agriculture - Natural Resource Conservation Service
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation Service
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Agriculture Research Service
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Conservation Service, The
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Forest Service
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Forest Service - Tofte Ranger Station
U.S. Department of Agriculture: Natural Resource Conservation Service
U.S. Department of the Army
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Mid-Continent Ecology Division - Duluth
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency volunteers
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
U.S. Forest Service
U.S. Forest Service - Manistee and Hiawatha National Forests
U.S. Forest Service: Tofte Ranger Station
U.S. Geological Service
U.S. Geological Service - Biological Resource Division
U.S. Geological Service - National Water-Quality Assessment Program
University of Georgia
University of Illinois
University of Michigan
University of Michigan Herbarium
University of Michigan Museum of Zoology
University of Michigan: School of Natural Resources and Environment
University of Minnesota - Duluth
University of Minnesota Department of Fisheries and Wildlife
University of Texas at Austin
University of Toledo
University of Wisconsin
University of Wisconsin Extension
University of Wisconsin-Ashland Agriculture Research Station
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, the
University of Wisconsin-Madison
University of Wisconsin-Madison Arboretum
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
University researchers
US-Canada Great Lakes Islands Project
Village of Highland Hills
Volunteer Preserve Committee
Volunteer Stewardship Network
Volunteers
Waukegan Harbor Citizens' Advisory Group
Western Reserve RC&D Council
Wetlands Nursery
White Lake Area Sportfishing Association
White Lake Public Advisory Council
Whitefish Bay Property Owners Association
Whitefish Point Bird Observatory

Whittlesey Creek Conservation Project
Wildflower Association of Michigan
Wildfowl USA
Wildlife Division
Wildlife Forever
Wildlife Society, The - Michigan Chapter
Will County Forest Preserve District of Illinois
Williams County (Ohio) Soil & Water Conservation District
Windway Capital Foundation
Wisconsin Coastal Management Program
Wisconsin Conservation Corps
Wisconsin Department of Administration Coastal Management Program
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Department of Forestry
Wisconsin Department of Transportation Aeronautics Division
Wisconsin Education Board
Wisconsin Natural Heritage Program
Wisconsin Nature Conservancy, The
Wisconsin's Natural Heritage Inventory Program
Wolf Creek Sportsmen's Club
Wolf Ridge Environmental Learning Center
World Wildlife Fund
Zoological Society of Milwaukee