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South Haven, MI

Harbor Features

- Located on the east shore of Lake Michigan, 77 miles northeasterly from Chicago, IL.
- Commercial harbor.
- Controlling depths – 21 feet in the entrance channel and 19 feet in the river.
- Approximately 3,100 feet of maintained Federal channel.
- More than 4,300 feet of maintained structures, including breakwaters, piers and revetments.
- Major stakeholders include U.S. Coast Guard, Lake Carriers Association.



Project Needs

- Project condition surveys.
- Annual inspection of the breakwaters with periodic structural maintenance by hired labor plant and forces.

Transportation Importance

- This project serves primarily commercial fishing and recreational navigation interests.
- The local community has established a significant infrastructure around the harbor facilities that generates income from harbor users and visitors to the area.

Consequences of Not Maintaining the Project

- Significant loss of jobs both locally and regionally.
- Loss of commercial fishing in the area.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2007 and 2008 South Haven, MI Project Needs and President's Budget

Work Package	FY07 Need	FY07 Budget	Δ	FY08 Need	FY08 Budget*
Operations				22	
CDF's					
Maintenance Dredging				280	
Structures					
Environmental Activities					
TOTALS	0	0	0	302	

* FY08 President's Budget will not be available until February 2007