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Please download this Word document (available on the Industrial Commission/Outdoor Heritage Fund Program website at <http://www.nd.gov/ndic/outdoor-infopage.htm>) to your computer and provide the information as requested. You are not limited to the spacing provided. After completing the report, save it and attach it to an e-mail and send it to outdoorheritage@nd.gov AND print it and mail it to: North Dakota Industrial Commission, ATTN: Outdoor Heritage Fund Program, State Capitol – Fourteenth Floor, 600 East Boulevard Ave. Dept. 405, Bismarck, ND 58505. If you are unable to scan attachments, mail them with your paper copy of the report. You will be sent a confirmation by e-mail of receipt of your report and attachments.

Outdoor Heritage Fund Status and Final Report Form/Guidelines

This report is used to show progress of grant projects funded through the Outdoor Heritage Fund. Status Reports and the Final Report must be submitted as required in Contract.

Contract Number 005-075	Report Date 10-26-18	Period Covered by Report 10/01/2016 to 10/26/2018
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Project Name
Devils Lake Access Improvements for Handicapped, Elderly and Mobility Impaired

Project Sponsor Name
City of Devils Lake

Responsible Official (Last, First Middle) Mike Grafsgaard	Responsible Official's Title City Engineer
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Project Sponsor Address
PO Box 1048

City Devils Lake	State ND	Zip Code 58301	Telephone Number 701-662-7600 ext 2
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Financial Update

Please provide the following information regarding the funding for your project based on the contract award:

Funds Spent this Reporting Period

(As appropriate please provide copies of receipts for purchases)

Match Funding \$39,941

In-kind Funding \$77,240

OHF Funding **Requested for Reimbursement** \$291,698.50

Total Funding Expended for this Reporting Period \$448,820.50

Total Funds Spent to Date

Match Funding \$85,979.05

In-kind Funding \$88,747.50

OHF Funding Received and Requested for Reimbursement \$260,472.69 (actual expenditures exceeded this amount)

Total Funding Expended to Date \$377,653.69 (actual expenditures exceeded this amount)

Balance of Grant Funds

Match Funding -\$828.75

In-kind Funding -\$13,747.50

OHF Funding still to be Requested -\$31,475.81

Total Funding to be Expended on this Project \$514,419.30

Do you anticipate needing to request a grant extension If yes, please explain

Yes No

Work Completed during Period Covered by Report:

(This information will be posted on the Outdoor Heritage Fund/Industrial Commission website)

The Outdoor Heritage Funding the City of Devils Lake received was applied to the installation of fishing piers at three locations. These piers are especially designed for handicapped, elderly and mobility impaired anglers. Signs have been installed at all three locations designating the pier for the use of those that are impaired. Large decorative signs were designed and placed at all three sites listing the project sponsors.

Channel A

The Channel A site is located on the north side of Hwy 2 about 6 miles west of Devils Lake. The site features a concrete ADA parking area, sidewalk to a handicap accessible bathroom, and a fishing pier that any angler with mobility issues can use with ease. The site development has taken into consideration those issues by installing a guard rail to prevent motorists from rolling down the slope and adding signs that direct anglers to the site.

The fishing pier has been used extensively by anglers and many of those anglers have expressed their appreciation for the ability to go fishing in an area that is specifically designed for the needs of the handicapped, elderly or mobility impaired.

East Ditch Recreation Area

This portion of the fishing pier project includes the actual fishing pier, as well as a handicap accessible bathroom and a colorful playground area. The site has been developed to include a gravel parking lot, concrete ADA parking area, and a sidewalk to access the bathroom. The access road was also widened and improved.

This fishing and playground area is in close proximity to the south side of the City and enables quick access to the site whether it be for fishing, using the playground equipment, or both. Adjacent to the site is the City's flood protection embankment that is often used as a walking path by outdoor enthusiasts.

Both the fishing pier and playground are used by local residents and those anglers that come to Devils Lake for the fishing and outdoor activities.

Henegar Landing

The fishing pier at Henegar Landing has extra amenities that were already in place at the time of the pier installation. On site is a bathroom, boat loading ramp, and fish cleaning station that are used regularly. The addition of a fishing pier that is accessible to handicap, elderly or mobility impaired anglers has substantially increased the number of people who use Henegar Landing. The auxiliary dock at this location has provided boaters easy access to the site's bathroom and a place to dock the boat for short periods.

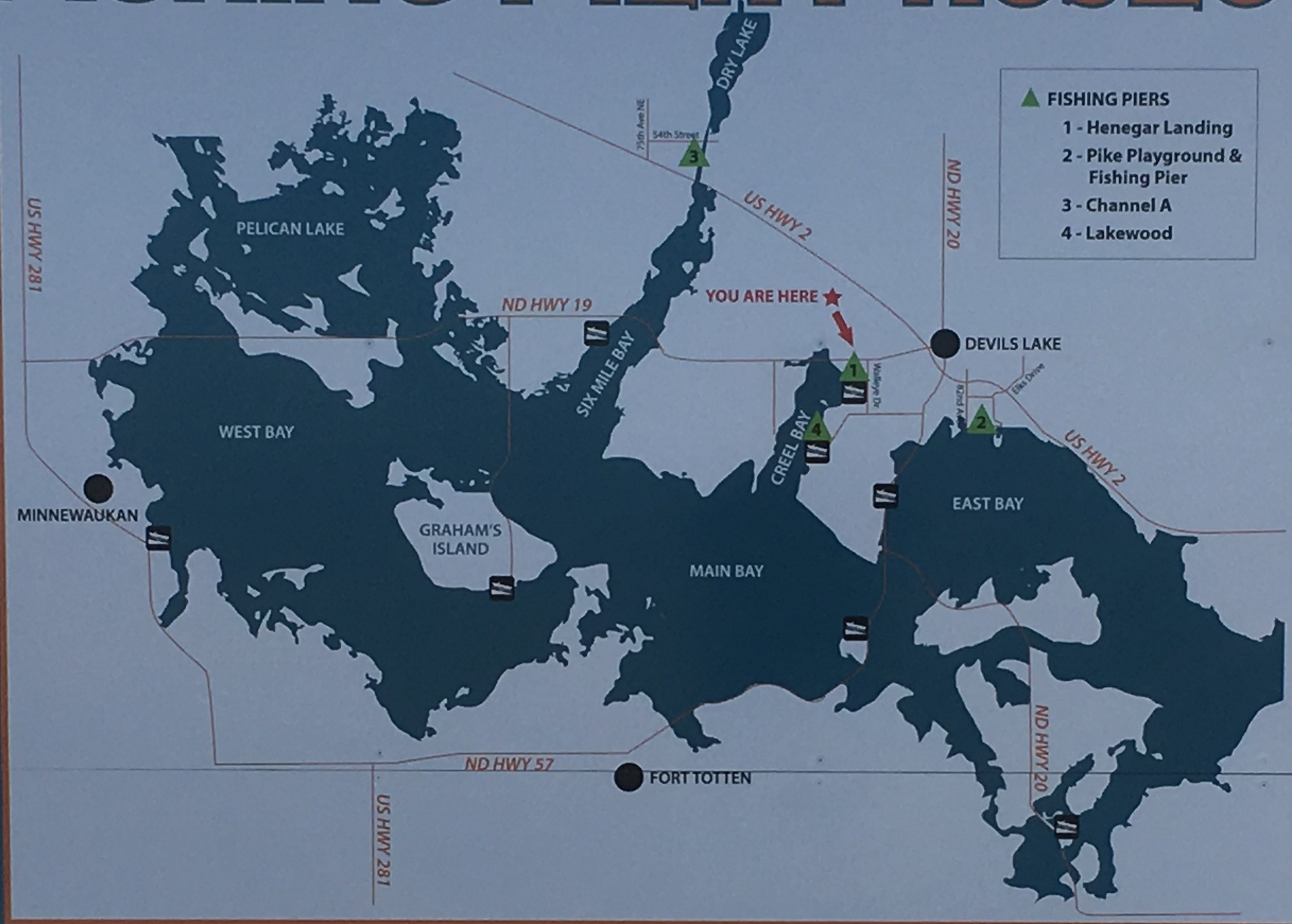
The City and its residents are grateful to the Outdoor Heritage Program for providing the funding that made these fishing piers a reality.

Photos of work completed are welcome (If appropriate, please submit photos of key elements of the project completed or in progress during reporting period) Do not exceed five photos per project report.

Signature of Responsible Official

The project reports shall be provided to the Commission in both electronic and hard-copy formats with permission for unrestricted distribution. The electronic versions shall be in a suitable format for posting on the Outdoor Heritage Fund/Commission website.

FISHING PIER PROJECT



PROJECT SPONSORS:



OTHER SPONSORS:

- Bobcat of Devils Lake
- Devils Lake Access Committee
- Devils Lake Basin Joint Water Resource Board
- Devils Lake Kiwanis Club
- Devils Lake Rotary Club
- Devils Lake Tourism
- Devils Lake Votch
- Farmer's Union Oil / Co-Bank
- Lake Region Sportsmen
- Ramsey County Water District
- RTS Shearing Contracting
- Strata Corporation
- VFW Post 756
- Wal-Mart

DEVILS LAKE, NORTH DAKOTA

The dramatic lake level rise of Devils Lake from 1993 to 2011 flooded many public access points to the lake. The need to raise roads, construct flood protection dikes, and protect the shoreline with erosion control rocks (rip rap) left very limited access for anglers who were not physically capable of traversing rip rap in order to fish. The goal of this project was to provide accessible shoreline fishing opportunity for elderly and physically challenged anglers, sportsmen and those who love the outdoors. A special Thank You to the ND Outdoor Heritage Fund and other project sponsors for making this project a reality. Enjoy the access and good luck fishing!

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