



For 30 years, the Knowles-Nelson Stewardship Program has been protecting our lakes and streams, securing critical wildlife habitat, and providing world-class recreational opportunities.

Non-profit conservation organizations, local governments, and the DNR have made thousands of investments in land protection, parks, trails, campgrounds, and more.

## BUT THERE'S MORE WORK YET TO BE DONE.

A renewed Knowles-Nelson Stewardship Program will help Wisconsin adapt to a changing climate, ensure that everyone has access to parks and green space, and will conserve critical areas that provide us with clean air and water.

# THE KNOWLES-NELSON IMPACT ON MANITOWOC-TWO RIVERS



# OF PROJECTS

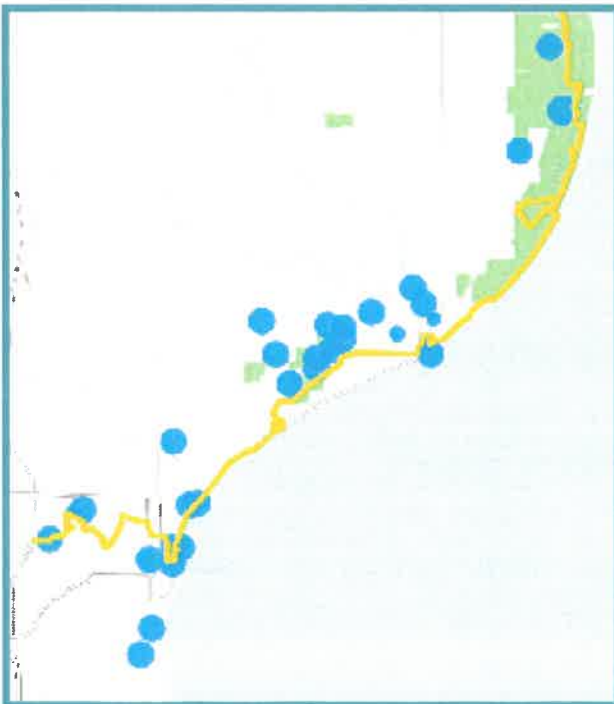
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INVESTMENT

**\$6,623,649**

ACRES PROTECTED

**500+**



- › **\$3.24 MILLION** Point Beach State Forest - bike trail development, utility upgrades, campsite renovations, recreational trail bridge & lodge remodel
- › **\$1.54 MILLION** City of Two Rivers - bike path construction, new trailhead facilities, automated pay station & seawall replacement at Harbor Park
- › **369,302** City of Manitowoc - engineering & construction of the Bayshore Recreation Trail
- › **\$20,637** City of Two Rivers - construct an accessible trail, rain garden & parking improvements at the North Pierhead Light
- › **\$11,001** City of Manitowoc - ADA kayak launch & signage at Schuette Park

Stewardship costs each Wisconsin resident just **\$11.00 each year**, less than a fishing license or state parks pass. And yes, **that includes debt service.**

Wisconsin's outdoor recreation economy provides **\$5.4 billion in wages** and contributes **\$11.2 billion** to the state's GDP.



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Nature works for us every day. Knowles-Nelson lands **filter our air, clean our water, and protect against floods.** That's worth more than **\$2.5 billion every year.**