



US Army Corps
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Sackets Harbor, NY

Harbor Features

- Located on the Black River Bay on Lake Ontario in the Village of Sackets Harbor, Jefferson County, NY.
- Authorization: Rivers & Harbors Act of 1945.
- Shallow draft recreational harbor.
- Project depth is 12 feet in the lake approach and entrance channel.
- The harbor consists of a lake approach and entrance channel 250 to 500 feet wide and approximately 1,400 feet long.
- Part of the harbor is protected by a stone and brush jetty, which is 164 feet long.
- Major stakeholders: U.S. Coast Guard, fishing interests, private marinas, and the recreational boating community.

Project Requirements

- Maintenance dredging is currently required to maintain the functional harbor areas.
- Funding received in 2024 will be used to complete sediment sampling and analysis, and environmental coordination to support future dredging. Subsequent funding will be needed complete maintenance dredging.

Consequences of Not Maintaining the Project

- Potential safety issues for recreational boating community.
- Negative economic impacts, locally and regionally.



Transportation Importance

- Provides safe access between Black River Bay and the Sackets Harbor.

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2023, 2024, and 2025
Sackets Harbor, NY — Project Requirements and President’s Budget (\$1,000)**

Work Package	FY23 Requirement	FY23 Appropriation	FY24 Requirement	FY24 Appropriation	FY25 Requirement	FY25 Appropriation
Maintenance Dredging – Primary Work Package	1,000	0	1,000	100	1,000	0
Sediment Sampling Analysis	120	0	120	120	120	0
TOTAL	\$1,120	0	\$1,120	\$220	\$1,120	0

Congressional Interests

- Representative Claudia Tenney R-NY-24
- Senator Charles Schumer D-NY
- Senator Kirsten Gillibrand D-NY