

# Hartshorn Municipal Marina

Acres: 12.2

## Usefulness

- Shore fishing – recreational, subsistence
- Parking lot and bike path available
- Hartshorn Drive provides scenic view of Muskegon lake from Western Avenue
- Motorized boat launch is within walking distance to downtown and neighborhood
- The only place for boats over 20'
- Protected from westerly winds
- Shoreline and water depths are good for kayak launching
- Beidler's Creek floodplain wetland for stormwater filtration
- Good place to view water-based recreational events, fireworks
- ADA accessible

## Needs, Concerns,

## Recommendations

- Needs trees, shade and low maintenance native landscaping
- Bathroom is locked
- Bike path is in floodplain, could be a raised boardwalk over wetland
- Launch was closed due to high water in 2019
- Picnic areas should be developed
- More benches needed for shore fishing and lake viewing
- Native landscaping would improve appearance and stormwater control
- Site of the mouth of historic Beidler's Creek, eco-tourism and education highlights
- Need better understanding of past Land and Water Conservation Fund, MNRTF improvements and conversions

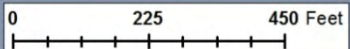
# Western Waterfront District

*Nims Neighborhood*



**Hartshorn Municipal Marina - 12.4 Acres**

*Muskegon Lake*



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**Legend**

- Public Access Parcel
- Other Lake Parcel
- Neighborhood Assoc
- Trails
- Boat Launch
- State Road
- Road
- Lake

