Bay Mills Indian Community will be submitting a grant request to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for the Michigan Spark Grant.

Eligible uses for this funding include the development, renovation or redevelopment of indoor or outdoor public recreation facilities and the provision of recreation-focused equipment and programs at public recreation spaces.

Part of the grant requirements involves citizen participation. The project information must be published, and insight from our community members is encouraged.

The tribe is proposing a renovation of the BMIC marina. The marina will be expanded and, the existing two-lane boat launch will be removed and replaced in a new location to better accommodate user traffic and boat launching activities.

We will be requesting up to $1,000,000 in grant funding. If you would like to submit comments regarding this project, please send them to Loni LeBlanc, leleblanc@baymills.org, by 4 p.m. on November 30, 2022.