

# **TORCH LAKE DOCUMENT COLLECTION**

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For fifty years, monitoring activities and research studies have been conducted on Torch Lake in Antrim County, Michigan. The Three Lakes Association and other organizations have worked together to gather chemical, physical, biological and fish data. The sources (paper and digital) were collected from the following non-profit organizations, universities and government agencies that have participated in and supported this work. They now form the Torch Lake Document Collection.

The Three Lakes Association collection of paper files are stored temporarily at the Elk River Chain of Lakes Watershed Field Station located in the Antrim Conservation District on Stover Road in Bellaire, Michigan. All of the paper files will be scanned into digital files and sent to Northwestern Michigan College (NMC). NMC will maintain the Torch Lake Document Collection as part of the NMC Online Water Library (OWL).

## **NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS**

- Conservation Resource Alliance
- Elk- Skegemog Lake Association
- Friends of Clam Lake
- Grass River Natural Area
- Intermediate Lake Association
- Institute for Water Quality Research
- The Watershed Center- Grand Traverse Bay, formerly known as Grand Traverse Bay Watershed Initiative
- Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council
- Torch Conservation Center
- Torch Lake Protection Alliance

## **UNIVERSITIES**

- Bowling Green State University
- Central Michigan University
- Michigan State University
- Northwestern Michigan College
- University of Michigan

## **GOVERNMENT**

### **FEDERAL**

- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- U.S. Department of Agriculture- Natural Resources Conservation Service, formerly Soil Conservation Service

STATE

Michigan Department of Environmental Quality  
Michigan Department of Health & Human Services- Health Department of Northwest Michigan  
Michigan Department of Natural Resources- Fisheries Division

REGIONAL

Northwest Michigan Council of Governments

COUNTY

Antrim County  
    Antrim County Planning Office  
    Antrim County Equalization Office  
    Antrim County Conservation District  
Kalkaska County

TOWNSHIP

Banks Township  
Central Lake Township  
Clearwater Township  
Forest Home Township  
Helena Township  
Milton Township  
Torch Lake Township

MUNICIPAL

Village of Bellaire  
Village of Central Lake  
Village of Elk Rapids  
Village of Mancelona