



AMERICAN SYSTEM OF CONSERVATION FUNDING

How sportsmen and women in Michigan supported the American System of Conservation funding in 2026:

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The American System of Conservation Funding rests on three pillars, including sporting license revenues and excise taxes generated through the Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration Programs.

These state-specific documents give partners and the public a clear view of how sportsmen and women—and the industries that support them—fuel conservation efforts in all 50 states.

2026:	Hunting Licenses	Fishing Licenses	Pittman-Robertson	Dingell-Johnson	TOTAL
Funding	\$35.8M	\$27.9M	\$23.9M	\$13.7M	\$101M
National Ranking	7	10	7	6	7
Historical Funding Total	\$1.3B	\$1.7B	\$1.03B	\$690M	\$4.8B
Historical Funding U.S. Rank	5	5	5	5	5

625,517

2026 Total Hunting License Holders

46%

Michigan Dept of Natural Resources - Division of Fish and Wildlife's Budget is from sportsmen & women-generated dollars

1,090,840

2026 Total Fishing License Holders

