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## Get your FREE Technical Assistance application in before March 1st!

The Commission will continue accepting applications for free technical assistance projects until **March 1, 2017 at 4:00 PM**. This program provides member counties and communities the opportunity to receive professional planning assistance on small-scale plans or projects at little or no cost. The application is available on the Commission's website



Please contact [Angela Kowalzek-Adrians](#) if you have any questions or comments.

## Bay-Lake RPC is Seeking a Planner I

**WE'RE  
HIRING!**

We are looking to hire a permanent full-time, entry-level planner. The chosen candidate will compile existing and projected transportation, land use, census, economic, housing, or other basic planning data; prepare preliminary drafts of studies and reports; provide technical assistance to other staff; respond to inquiries on

planning related items; attend meetings, conferences and workshops; monitor federal and state legislation; and assist with writing grant applications. GIS, mapping, and graphic design skills are desirable.

The starting date is flexible. **The position application period will close February 10, 2017.** More information is available [here](#).

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## BROCHURE



Commission staff presented additional information regarding the 2016 annual report on transportation system performance indicators to members of the Sheboygan MPO Technical and Policy Advisory Committees at their joint meeting in late January. This information included pavement rating maps, as well as data on demand for two intercity bus services that travel through the metropolitan planning area. Commission staff also discussed comparisons of several performance indicators across six small MPOs in Wisconsin at this meeting.

The Sheboygan MPO Technical and Policy Advisory Committees recommended approval of several minor amendments to the *2017 - 2020 Sheboygan Metropolitan Planning Area Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)* at their joint meeting in late January. The Commission's Executive Committee approved these amendments at its meeting in late January, and the approved amendments have been submitted to pertinent state and federal agencies. Some of the amendments involve acquisition of several replacement vehicles for elderly and disabled transportation in 2017, while other amendments involve cost changes to one bicycle and pedestrian transportation project and to two street and highway improvement projects.

Please contact [Jeff Agee-Aguayo](mailto:jagee@baylakerpc.org) for additional information.

## 2017 Lake Michigan Champions of Conservation Awards Nominations



It is time to nominate your favorite Lake Michigan Champion of Conservation. The Lake Michigan Stakeholders are looking for individuals, businesses, organizations, or policy makers within Wisconsin's Lake Michigan basin who have demonstrated a commitment to environmental leadership and excellence in their respected fields.

To nominate, please select the button below to fill out and submit the nomination form. Nominations are due no later than April 14, 2017.

Winners will be announced in June.

The Award Ceremony will be Friday, August 11, 2017, at Lake Michigan Day in Manitowoc.

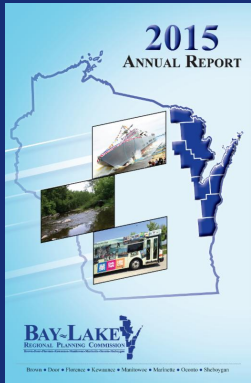
[Submit a Nomination](#)

## Upcoming Events/Meetings

February 23, 2017 @ 1PM

Sheboygan MPO Technical and Policy Advisory Committees Joint Meeting

ANNUAL REPORT



February 22-24, 2017

[Wisconsin Land Information Association Annual Conference](#)

Wisconsin Dells, WI

March 6, 2017 @ 6:30PM

Showing of Aldo Leopold Documentary: [Green Fire](#)  
Brown County Central Library Auditorium

March 10, 2017 @ 10AM

Full Commission Meeting  
Location TBD, Brown County

April 25, 2017 @ 8:30-1:30PM

Green Bay Conservation Partners Spring Roundtable  
UW-Green Bay

QUARTERLY ACTIVITY REPORTS

To submit a request for an EMSI Developer Query, please complete and submit this form:

[EMSI Request Form](#)



Available Grant Opportunities



The following is a list of upcoming grant opportunities and their due dates. Please contact the [Commission](#) if you have a project idea, or need assistance with preparing or administering a grant, or if you are interested in partnering with the Commission on a project.

- [Sustain Our Great Lakes Grant Program](#), Due February 21, 2017
- [Fund for Lake Michigan Pre-Proposals](#), Due February 22, 2017
- [North America Wetlands Conservation Act Grant Program](#), Due February 24, 2017
- [Climbing Conservation Grant Program](#), Due March 1, 2017
- [Great Lakes Fishery Trust Habitat Protection and Restoration Grant Program](#), March 1, 2017
- [Invasive Species Control Grants](#) (Sheboygan County), Due March 17, 2017
- [Regional Conservation Partnership Program](#), Pre-proposals due April 21, 2017
- [Knowles-Nelson Stewardship Local Assistance Grant Programs](#), May 1, 2017

[American Honda Foundation](#)

[BayCare Clinic Foundation](#)

[Ben & Jerry's Foundation](#)

[Charles Stuart Mott Foundation](#)

[Cornell Douglas Foundation](#)

[CN Stronger Communities Fund](#)

[Costco Wholesale Grants](#)

[Doris Duke Charitable Foundation](#)

[The Captain Planet Foundation](#)

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for the Americas Grants](#)

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[NSight Community Giving](#)

[Patagonia Environmental Grants](#)

[Rockefeller Family Fund](#)

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