

ARCHIVES OF MICHIGAN

702 WEST KALAMAZOO STREET
P.O. Box 30740, Lansing, MI 48909
517-373-1408

archives@michigan.gov

www.michigan.gov/archivesofmi

Circular No. 46 – Shipping and Navigation

Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
Administration	66-46	25	36	Straits Ferry Revolving Fund	1954-1958
Administration	62-1	9	7	Ferry Vacationland	1952-1953
Agriculture	76-4	31	2	St. Lawrence Seaway	1960-1964
Agriculture	76-58	32	1	St. Lawrence Seaway	1954-1961
Attorney General	53-7	3	V1	Duluth South Shore and Atlantic	Ca. 1917
Attorney General	70-41	18	3	Motor Boat Ordinances	1961-1964
Attorney General	71-92	22	63	CD and GB Tax Case	1946-1947
Attorney General	74-50	29	8	Navigable Waters	1964
Attorney General	74-50	29	12	Boating Control	1966
Attorney General	76-109	44	1-8	St. Lawrence Seaway	1959-1967
Auditor General	57-24	1	V19	Steamship Tonnage Tax	1911-1943
Civil Service	69-58	3	1	State Ferry Personnel	1949-1958
Civil Service	69-107	5	1-2	State Ferry Operations	1930-1958
Commerce	67-18	1	5-8	Railroad Car Ferries	1961
Commerce	68-79	6	1-4	Railroad Car Ferries	1962
Commerce	70-5	15		Shipping Firms	1913-1955
Commerce	70-43	19	46-48	Railroad Car Ferries	1964
Commerce	71-120	24	10-13	Railroad Car Ferries	1963
Commerce	72-47	31		Shipping Firms	1955-1957
Commerce	76-61	68	1-4	Railroad Care Ferries	1965
Commerce	78-10	84		Shipping Firms	1958
Commerce	79-16	93		Shipping Firms	1959
Commerce	80-56	103		Shipping Firms	1960
Commerce	81-103	116	17	Bi-State Ferry	1976
Commerce	81-103	116	21	Winter Navigation	1976
Commerce	82-12	121		Shipping Firms	1961
Commerce	82-13	122		Shipping Firms	1962
Commerce	85-12	136		Shipping Firms	1964
Commerce	85-13	137		Shipping Firms	1965
Commerce	85-14	138		Shipping Firms	1963
Commerce	85-133	143	11-13	Port of Detroit	1974-1981
Commerce	89-215	196		Shipping Firms	1969
Commerce	86-51	152	13	Great Lakes Transportation	1981
Commerce	86-101	157		Shipping Firms	1966



Circular No. 46 – Shipping and Navigation
Page 2

Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
Commerce	89-149	186		Shipping Firms	1967
Commerce	89-152	187		Shipping Firms	1968
Commerce	90-110	218		Shipping Firms	1970
Commerce	92-430	297		Shipping Firms	1971
Commerce	92-432	298		Shipping Firms	1972
Conservation	68-107	42	28	Navigation	1947-1955
Corporations	61-11	3		Shipping Firms	1853-1930
Corporations	62-19	5		Shipping Firms	1931
Corporations	63-7	6		Shipping Firms	1932
Corporations	64-6	7		Shipping Firms	1933
Corporations	65-20	8		Shipping Firms	1934
Corporations	66-14	9		Shipping Firms	1935
Economic Development	66-32	6	3	Frankfort Auto Ferry	1952-1957
Education	75-49	26	23-24	Maritime Academy	1969
Executive (DMB)	80-67	21	5	Maritime Academy	1980
Executive	44	1	31	River Improvements	1844-1906
Executive	44	1	43	U.S.S. Michigan	1895
Executive	44	1	67	U.S.S. Michigan	1908-1910
Executive	44	1	151	Naval Brigade	1824-1910
Executive	44	1	193	Steamship Companies	1870-1907
Executive	45	1	5	Naval Brigade	1911
Executive	48	1	27	Ferries, State	1923
Executive	48	1	37	Ferry, State	1923
Executive	48	1	48	Ferries, State	1924
Executive	48	1	56	Ferry, State	1924
Executive	48	1	74	Ferry, State	1925
Executive	48	1	86	Ferries, State	1925
Executive	48	1	92	Ferry, State	1925
Executive	49	1	60	Ferries, State	1928
Executive	49	1	207	St. Lawrence Seaway	1929-1930
Executive	50	1	2	St. Lawrence Seaway	1930-1933
Executive	42	1	78	St. Lawrence Seaway	1943-1945
Executive	42	1	98	St. Lawrence Seaway	1946
Executive	43	1	11	Ferries, State	1947
Executive	43	1	41	Ferries, State	1948
Executive	43	1	47	Ports of Monroe/Detroit	1948
Executive	43	1	53	Harbors of Refuge	1948
Executive	43	1	63	Harbors of Refuge	1947
Executive	43	1	69	St. Lawrence Seaway	1947
Executive	43	1	85	St. Lawrence Seaway	1948
Executive	43	1	95	Navy, United States	1947



Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
Executive	43	1	100	Navy, United State	1948
Executive	43	1	115	Michigan Naval Militia	1947
Executive	43	1	119	Michigan Naval Militia	1948
Executive	88-269	36	12	St. Lawrence Seaway	1969
Executive	88-269	36	18	Naval Board	1969
Executive	88-269	36	29	Marine Division	1969
Executive	88-269	36	30	Navy Secretary	1969
Executive	88-269	36	45	St. Lawrence Seaway	1970
Executive	88-269	36	70	Navy Secretary	1970
Executive	88-269	36	86	St. Lawrence Seaway	1971
Executive	88-269	36	104	Marine Division	1971
Executive	88-269	36	104	Navy	1971
Executive	88-269	36	138	Navy	1972
Executive	88-269	36	223	Navy Secretary	1974
Executive	88-269	36	272	Navy	1975
Executive	88-269	36	312	Navy	1976
Executive	88-269	36	396	Navy	1978
Highway	58-5	1	V1-11	State Ferry Log Books	1928-1951
Highway	58-5	1	V23	Ferry Traffic Studies	Not Dated
Highway	58-5	1	13	State Ferry Service	1927
Highway	58-10	2	21	State Ferries	1949
Highway	58-10	2	22	State Ferries	1950
Highway	58-10	2	25	State Ferries	1952
Highway	58-10	2	5	State Ferries	1943-1951
Highway	62-20	9	2-3	State Ferry Correspondence	1950-1955
Highway	62-20	9	6	State Ferry Reports	1946-1958
Highway	64-16	13	38-39	State Ferry Correspondence	1946-1955
Highway	64-16	13	V1-12	Vacation Land Log Books	1952-1957
Highway	66-30	16	6	Proposed Ferry	1952-1956
Historical Commission	61-32	1	22	Film Strip	1957
Labor	71-71	5	5	Boat Inspections	1910-1954
Legislative Service	65-51	1	5	Ferry Service	1951
Legislative Service	65-51	1	12	Ferry Service	1956
Legislative Service	65-51	1	32	St. Lawrence Seaway	1950-1955
Legislature	68-132	11	2	Ferry Service	1951-1952
Legislature	68-132	11	4	Marine Safety	1951-1952
Legislature	70-7	14	67	Marine Affairs	1965-1968
Legislature	70-7	14	127	Mackinaw Transportation Company	1964
Legislature	70-8	15	9	St. Lawrence Seaway	1965
Legislature	75-78	28	5	Marine Affairs	1971-1972
Legislature	75-78	28	11	Marine Affairs	1972

Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
Legislature	80-71	49		Marine Affairs	1971-1976
Legislature	81-13	51	17	Marine Affairs	1977-1978
Legislature	82-126	61	2	Port Development	1976
Legislature	83-33	71	11	Marine Affairs	1979-1980
Legislature	85-25	92	17	Marine Affairs	1981-1982
Legislature	86-18	101	24	Tug-Barge Proposal	1979
Legislature	87-50	109	17	Marine Affairs	1983-1984
Legislature	87-75	113	2	Deep Water Port	1980
Legislature	89-498	139	15	Marine Affairs	1985-1986
Legislature	91-15	154	3	Marine Safety	1989
Legislature	93-75	192	20-21	Marine Affairs	1989-1990
Military Affairs	79-4	11	4	Naval Board Minutes	1937-1967
Military Affairs	80-36	15	63	Naval Militia	1946-1949
Military Affairs	80-36	15	65	Naval Reorganization	1944-1949
Military Affairs	80-36	15	68-71	Naval Officers	1948-1961
Military Affairs	80-36	15	71-73	Naval Muster-in-Rolls	1908-1917
Military Affairs	80-36	15	74-84	Naval Enlistments	1917-1949
Military Affairs	84-107	18	151-169	Navy Bonuses	1921-1932
Military Affairs	85-78	20	14	Naval Board Minutes	1911-1917
Military Affairs	85-78	20	15-17	Naval Payrolls	1911-1917
Military Affairs	87-40	21	3	Naval Brigade	1944
Military Establishment	59-14	1	V107	Naval Brigade Roster	1894-1912
Military Establishment	59-14	1	V148	Naval Board Minutes	1911-1920
Military Establishment	59-14	1	V222	Naval Brigade Letters	1911-1913
Natural Resources	70-44	7	20-21	Control of Boating	1962-1964
Natural Resources	70-92	10	1	Schooner Henry Selby	1853
Natural Resources	70-129	13	1	Boat and Water Safety	1965
Natural Resources	74-28	46	1	Marine Safety	1968
Natural Resources	75-81	59	1-2	Marine Safety	1971
Natural Resources	78-24	72	9	Boat and Water Safety	1967
Natural Resources	78-38	73	1	Marine Safety Council	1970-1971
Natural Resources	78-47	75	3	Sunken Vessels	1970
Natural Resources	79-28	82	6	Underwater Archaeology	1971-1973
Natural Resources	80-32	89		Lighthouse Drawings	1853-1918
Natural Resources	80-44	91	15	Presque Isle Lighthouse	1975
Natural Resources	80-45	92	3	Boating Law Conference	1969
Natural Resources	80-45	92	10	Marine Fuel Tax	1968-1970
Natural Resources	80-87	94	5	Lake Carriers' Association	1971
Natural Resources	81-77	104	1	"Welcome" Ship	1975-1976
Natural Resources	82-34	111	6	Recreational Boating	1968
Natural Resources	82-90	117	2	"Welcome" Ship	1976-1977



Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
Natural Resources	83-54	123	1	Lighthouses	1972-1977
Natural Resources	83-54	123	2	Shipping	1855-1978
Natural Resources	83-61	125	3	Underwater Archaeology	1977-1978
Natural Resources	84-83	131	2	Port Detroit	1955-1956
Natural Resources	85-37	135	6	Navigation	1960
Natural Resources	85-37	135	8	Shipping	1961
Natural Resources	85-37	135	15	Navigation	1945-1962
Natural Resources	86-22	146	2	Steamer C. W. Moore	1887
Natural Resources	86-22	146	3	Barge Agreements	1870-1877
Natural Resources	86-22	146	3	Transportation	1874, 1944
Natural Resources	86-57	147	4	Navigation Season	1977
Natural Resources	86-57	147	7	Marine Fuel Tax	1969
Natural Resources	86-57	147	11	Boats	1969-1975
Natural Resources	86-57	147	12	Marine Fuel Tax	1971
Natural Resources	86-57	147	13	Port Planning	1977
Natural Resources	86-57	147		Marinas	1969-1971
Natural Resources	86-57	147		Recreational Boating	1976-1979
Natural Resources	86-57	147	14	St. Lawrence Seaway	1978
Natural Resources	86-57	147		Winter Navigation	1978
Natural Resources	86-75	148		Inland Boating	1950-1979
Natural Resources	86-76	149	30	Marine Safety	1975
Natural Resources	86-76	149	32	Port of Monroe	1975-1976
Natural Resources	86-111	151	4	Underwater Archaeology	1975
Natural Resources	86-111	151	9	Round Island Lighthouse	1978-1980
Natural Resources	86-111	151	10	Underwater Archaeology	1978-1980
Natural Resources	86-122	155	2	Marine Recreation	1977
Natural Resources	88-13	174	2-9	Winter Navigation	1973-1981
Natural Resources	89-261	203	8	Marine Safety	1978
Natural Resources	91-143	245	12	Marine Safety	1979
Natural Resources	91-161	247	2	Commercial Harbors	1982
Natural Resources	91-161	247	4	Harbor Programs	1982-1984
Natural Resources	91-161	247	5	Marinas	1982-1984
Natural Resources	92-216	269	3	Monroe Harbor	1977-1978
Natural Resources	92-356	276	1-3	Navigability Studies	1979
Public Health	74-83	22	38	Pollution by Navigation	1948
Public Health	76-40	36	1	Safe Boating	1963-1964
Public Health	76-40	36	2	Boat Safety	1965
Public Health	84-2	89	4	Marinas	1972-1973
Public Service	62-11	2		Shipping Firms	1951-1956
Public Service	63-32	3		Shipping Firms	1948-1950
Public Service	65-33	4		Railroad Car Ferries	1959



Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
Public Service	66-19	5		Railroad Car Ferries	1960
Social Services	81-66	61	2	Sailors' Relief	1940
State	67-4	11	1	Boating Control	1963
State	68-5	21	10	Great Lakes Steamers	1962
State	68-32	24	1	Boats	1964
State	68-32	24	3	Watercraft	1964
State	68-134	29	1	Red Stacks Over Horizon	1967
State	69-39	32	5	Underwater Archaeology	1962-1965
State	69-123	37	1	Boats	1965
State	69-123	37	2	Boat Registrations	1965
State	69-123	37	3	Watercraft	1965
State	70-70	46	1	Boats	1966
State	70-70	46	3	Boat Registrations	1966
State	70-70	46	3	Watercraft	1966
State	71-18	57	1	Boats	1967
State	71-18	57	3	Boat Registrations	1967
State	71-18	57	3	Watercraft	1967
State	71-136	66	2	U.S.S. Michigan	1965-1971
State	72-5	71	1	Boats	1968
State	72-5	71	3	Watercraft	1968
State	74-59	86	1	Boats	1970
State	74-59	86	3	Boat Registrations	1970
State	74-59	86	3	Watercraft	1970
State	75-6	89	2	Watercraft	1971
State	76-76	95		Drawings of Boats	Not Dated
State	78-19	103	4	Watercraft	1974
State	81-32	116	4	Great Lakes Transportation	1957
State	81-75	118	1	Underwater Archaeology	1972-1975
State	84-94	143		Lighthouses	1862-1925
State	85-103	145	11	Maritime Grant	1979-1981
State	86-23	148	6	Underwater Archaeology	1971-1981
State	86-23	148	7	Lighthouses	1973-1974
State	88-55	171	1	Lighthouses	1988
State	88-59	172	2	Great Lakes Transportation	1957
State Highways	68-84	22	1-2	Ferries	1958-1959
State Highways	69-25	24	1	State Ferries	1938
State Highways	69-25	24	2	State Ferry Audits	1950-1953
State Highways	69-25	24	3	State Ferries	1960
State Highways	70-29	28		State Ferry Drawings	1901-1951
State Highways	72-3	30	2	Ferry Rates and Statistics	1949-1955
State Highways	72-24	31		Port Huron-Sarnia Ferry	1891-1925



Agency	Record Group	Lot	Box	Description	Date
State Police	90-240	28	16	Boats	1924-1925
Tax Commission	64-22	2		Railroad Car Ferries	1945-1955
Tax Commission	66-67	3		Railroad Car Ferries	1956-1959
Transportation	79-2	43	19	State Ferries	1950-1953
Transportation	84-100	62		Railroad Car Ferries	1911-1978
Transportation	87-101	84	1	Ferry Docks	1924-1932
Transportation	88-47	93		Railroad Car Ferries	1905-1980
Transportation	89-297	112	1	State Ferries	1955
Transportation	89-379	123	5	Chief Wawatam Ferry	1976-1980
Transportation	89-379	123	6	Cross Lake Ferry	1979-1980
Transportation	89-379	123	21	Mackinac Car Ferry	1977-1980
Transportation	89-417	133	4	Navigation Season Extension	1976-1979
Transportation	89-417	133	7	Winter Navigation	1973-1980
Transportation	89-492	136	2	Marine Gas Tax	1969-1971
Transportation	90-298	152		Car Ferry Drawings	1977-1988
Transportation	91-260	161	2	Mackinac Car Ferry	1984
Transportation	91-357	168	1	Port Council	1983
Transportation	94-360	238	All	Car Ferry Records	1977-1987
Transportation	95-35	261	All	Muskegon Ferry Records	1980-1987
Transportation	96-295	290	4	S.S. City of Milwaukee Car Ferry	1988-1993
Transportation	96-295	290		UP Shipbuilding Company Project	1987-1990
Transportation	94-456	255	2, 3	Wawatam Car Ferry	1984-1986
Transportation	96-68	272	1	Wawatam, The Chief	1988-1989
Transportation	96-323	295	1	Car Ferry Records	1976-1983
Treasury	67-6	4		Shipping Firms	1936
Treasury	68-35	7	103	Canal Tonnage Reports	1855-1858
Treasury	68-89	9		Shipping Firms	1937
Treasury	68-130	11		Railroad Car Ferries	1960-1962
Treasury	69-27	13	1	Straits Ferry Fund	1952-1955
Treasury	69-27	13	8	Straits Ferry Records	1957
Treasury	70-35	15		Shipping Firms	1938-1948
Treasury	74-16	43		Shipping Firms	1949-1950
Treasury	74-62	48		Shipping Firms	1954
Treasury	75-45	51		Shipping Firms	1955
Treasury	76-8	53		Shipping Firms	1956
Treasury	77-24	61		Shipping Firms	1957
Treasury	82-14	77		Railroad Car Ferries	1973-1975

