# **Grand Traverse County Assets**

*Asset mapping is a process that helps communities identify and describe their strengths and resources, which can then be used to address community needs and improve health. This can include community engagement, partnership building, and resource allocation. Each county asset list contains the following: social services, social and/or grassroot organizations, education, health institutions, public services, community-based organizations, infrastructure, and noteworthy people and groups.*

## **Social Service**

### Community Center

* Grand Traverse County Civic Center
* Twin Lakes/Gilbert Lodge
* Fife Lake Public Library
* Redeemer Fellowship Center
* Kingsley: The Rock
* Traverse City Senior Center
* Grand Traverse Bay YMCA
* Polestar LGBT+ Community Center
* Commongrounds Community Cooperative

### Housing Organizations

* Housing North
* Northwest Community Action Agency
* Habitat For Humanity – Grand Traverse Region
* Northwest Michigan Supportive Housing
* HomeStretch Nonprofit Housing Corporation
* Traverse City Housing Commission
* Senior Housing Solutions

### Food Pantry/Kitchens

* The Father Fred Foundation
* Salvation Army
* Goodwill Food Rescue
* ACTS Food Pantry
* Bayview Wesleyan Community Meal
* Buckley Tabernacle Pantry
* Central United Methodist Church Outreach Meals
* Christ Church Food Pantry and Meal Site
* Faith Reformed Church Community Meal
* Grace Episcopal Food Pantry & Community Lunch
* Grace Point Café at Church of the Nazarene Community Meal
* Grand Traverse Baby Pantry
* Immaculate Conception Food Pantry
* Kandu Island Food Pantry
* Kingsley Baptist Church Food Pantry
* Kingsley United Methodist Church Food Pantry
* PrayerFyre Food Pantry
* Redeemer Lutheran of Interlochen Food Pantry
* Sal’s Kitchen Meal Site
* Seventh Day Adventist Food Pantry
* St. Francis High School Community Meal
* St Francis Food Pantry
* St. Michaels Food Pantry
* St. Patrick Catholic Church Food Pantry
* Traverse House Clubhouse
* Trinity Lutheran Food Pantry and Community Meal Site
* West Bay Baby Pantry
* Women’s Resource Center

### Emergency Housing Shelters

* Safe Harbor of Grand Traverse
* Goodwill Inn Emergency Homeless Shelter
* Women’s Resource Center
* Pete’s Place

### Halfway Houses

* Nexus Family Services
* Dann’s House
* Dakoske Hall

### Domestic Violence Shelters

* Women’s Resource Center

## **Social/Grassroot Organizations**

### Seniors’ Group

* Grand Traverse County Senior Care Network
* Area Agency on Aging
* Grand Traverse Commission on Aging
* Traverse City Senior Center
* Cordia at Grand Traverse Commons
* Bay Area Senior Advocates

### Special Interest Group

* Disability Network Northern Michigan
* Traverse Area Historical Society
* Protect the Peninsula
* Michigan State Police Angel Program
* Big Brothers/Big Sisters
* Up North Pride
* League of Women Voters

### Advocacy Groups/Coalitions

* Northwest Michigan Coalition to End Homelessness
* Families Against Narcotics
* Up North Pride
* Community Development Coalition of Northwest Michigan
* Housing North
* Traverse Bay Children’s Advocacy
* Grand Traverse Foodshed Alliance
* Disability Network Northern Michigan
* Single MOMM
* Northwest Food Coalition
* Grand Traverse County Drug Free Coalition
* SEEDS ecology and education center
* Michigan Climate Action Network
* Groundwork Center for Resilient Communities
* For the Love of Water (FLOW)

### Cultural Organizations

* Dennos Museum Center
* Old Town Playhouse
* City Opera House
* Crooked Tree Arts Center
* Interlochen Center for the Arts
* Traverse City Film Festival
* Traverse Symphony Orchestra
* Traverse City Arts Commission
* Parallel 45 Theater

### Hunting/Sportsman Leagues

* Kingsley Sportsman’s Club
* Cedar Rod and Gun Club
* Grand Traverse Ducks Unlimited
* Adams Chapter Trout Unlimited

### Amateur Sports Leagues

* Traverse City Little League
* Grand Traverse Hockey Association
* YMCA Basketball
* YMCA Baseball
* Traverse Bay Area Youth Soccer
* Traverse City Pit Spitters
* Traverse City Figure Skating Club
* Traverse City Pickleball

## **Education**

### Colleges or Universities

### Community College

* Northwestern Michigan College

### Before-/After-School Program

* Munson Kids Club
* The Rock of Kingsley
* Latchkey Program
* Grand Traverse Bay YMCA
* SEEDS
* Traverse City Area Public Schools
* Generations Ahead

### Vocational/Technical Education Programs

* Career Tech Center – Northwest Education Services
* Northwestern Michigan College

## **Health Institutions**

### Hospital

* Munson Medical Center

### Healthcare Clinic

* Traverse Health Clinic
* Crystal Lake Health Center
* Bayside Docs Urgent Care
* Munson Walk-In Clinic
* Foster Family Community Health Center
* Munson Family Practice Center
* Traverse Bay Internal Medicine
* Brookside Family Medicine
* West Front Primary Care
* Thirlby Clinic
* Colonel Demas T. Craw VA Clinic
* Northwest Michigan Health Services, INC
* Northwoods OBGYN
* Planned Parenthood
* Table Health

### Health Department

* Grand Traverse County Health Department

### Behavioral Health Services

* Addiction Treatment Services
* Pine Rest
* Bethany Christian Services
* Northern Lakes Community Mental Health
* Munson Healthcare Behavioral Health Services
* Northwest Michigan Health Services
* Lakeview Counseling

## **Public Service**

### Library

* Traverse Area District Library
* Interlochen Public Library
* East Bay Branch Library
* Fife Lake Public Library
* Kingsley Branch Library
* Peninsula Community Library

### Police Department

* Grand Traverse County Sheriff’s Department
* Traverse City Police Department
* Michigan State Police

### Fire Department

* Grand Traverse Metro Fire Department
* Interlochen Fire Department
* Grand Traverse Rural Fire Department
* Long Lake Fire Department
* Buckley Fire Department
* Garfield Township Fire Department
* Peninsula Township Fire Department
* East Bay Township Fire Department

### Emergency Medical Services

* MMR
* Blair Township EMS
* North Flight EMS

## **Community-Based Organizations**

### Religious Organizations

* Trinity Lutheran Church
* St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church
* Christ the King Catholic Church
* Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Grand Traverse
* Central United Methodist Church
* New Hope Community Church
* West Side Community Church
* Bayview Wesleyan Church
* Kensington Church
* Grace Episcopal Church
* Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church
* St. Joseph Catholic Church
* Resurrection Life Church
* Bethlehem Lutheran Church
* Living Hope Church
* City Church

### United Way

* United Way of Northwest Michigan

### Community or Philanthropic Foundation

* Grand Traverse Regional Community Foundation
* Rotary Charities
* Munson Healthcare Foundation
* The Les and Anne Biederman Foundation
* Father Fred Foundation
* The Oleson Foundation
* Zonta Club of Traverse City
* NMC Foundation
* Community Foundation

### Political Organizations

* Grand Traverse Democratic Party
* Grand Traverse County Republican Party
* League of Women Voters

## **Infrastructure**

### Parks

* Civic Center
* Barns Park
* Hannah Park
* Clinch Park
* F and M Park
* East Bay Park
* Grand Traverse Commons
* Whitewater Township Park and Campground
* Bryant Park
* Keith J. Charters Traverse City State Park
* Hull Park
* Bowers Harbor Park
* West End Beach
* Traverse Area Recreation Trail
* Fisher’s Run
* Cedar Run Creek Natural Area
* Timbers Recreation Area
* Interlochen State Park
* Kingsley Village Park
* Brownson Memorial Park
* Veterans Memorial Park
* Whispering Pines Park
* Grove Park
* Haywood Park
* Beitner Park

### Public Pools

* Easling pool
* Grand Traverse Bay YMCA

### Vacant Private Building or Lot

* Airport Access Rd
* Kmart Building
* Cherryland Mall
* Tom’s Food Market in Acme
* Ruby Tuesday’s
* Miniature Golf Course on 3 Mile Rd and US31
* Power Plant the Commons

### Public Lake or Coastline

* West End Beach
* West Bay
* East Bay
* Bryant Park
* Arbutus Lake
* Long Lake
* Green Lake
* Lake Michigan
* Duck Lake
* Boardman Lake
* Elk Lake
* Grand Traverse Bay

### Community Gardens

* TC Community Garden
* Grand Traverse Area Children’s Garden
* Kingsley Branch Library Children's Garden
* Buckley Community Garden

### Farmer’s Markets

* Sara Hardy Farmers Market
* Village Farmers Market
* Interlochen Farmers Market
* Kingsley Farmers Market

## **Noteworthy Person/Group**

### Local Artists/Musicians

* The Accidentals
* Rufus Snoddy
* Seth Bernard
* Miriam Pico
* Mike Moran
* Levi Britton
* Jeff Haas
* Glenn Wolff
* Joshua Davis
* Joan Gallagher Richmond
* Ken Scott Photography
* David Chown
* Doc Probes
* Broom Closet Boys
* Don Julin
* Charles Murphy
* Billy Strings

### Community Leader

* Jim Carruthers
* John Roth
* Ryan Hannon
* Betsy Coffia
* Amy Shamroe
* Ed Ness
* Meredith Kennedy
* Warren Call
* Marc Schollett
* Judge Bob Cooney
* Penny Morris
* Nick Viox

### Celebrity or Influential Figure

* Carter Oosterhouse
* Michael Moore
* Joshua Davis
* Doug Stanton
* Casey Cowell

## **Other**