



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Jason
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
Woolford
3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
n/a
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
FRIENDS OF NORTH ORE CREEK
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
FRIENDS OF NORTH ORE CREEK 6570 LINDEN RD FENTON MI 48430-9350
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:
FRIENDS OF NORTH ORE CREEK 6570 LINDEN RD FENTON MI 48430-9350
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:
Representative Jason Woolford 50th House District
8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. As a dedicated nonprofit organization in Livingston County, our mission is to preserve, protect, and enhance North Ore Creek for current and future generations. To advance these efforts, we respectfully request your support in securing an enhancement grant for \$5,000 to fund critical initiatives.

Specifically, we seek funding to facilitate:

- A comprehensive water quality study to assess current conditions and identify areas requiring remediation - \$3,000
- Acquisition of cleanup equipment to remove debris, invasive species, and pollutants from the creek and surrounding ecosystem -\$1,500
- Strategic planning initiatives to ensure long-term sustainability, habitat restoration, and community engagement in conservation efforts - \$500

North Ore Creek is a vital waterway that supports local wildlife, provides recreational opportunities, and contributes to the ecological balance of our region. With proper funding, we can take measurable steps toward improving water quality, enhancing habitat health, and fostering public involvement in conservation activities.

9. Attach documents here if needed:

Attachments added to the end of this file.

10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item.

5000

11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.

["Private"]

12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item:

Non-profit organization

13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months?

Yes

14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months?

Yes

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors?

Yes

16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.'

President: Tim Brodd Treasurer: Brad Swartz Secretary: Shane Preston

17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item."

Yes, this is correct

18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item:

Conservation efforts begin upon receipt of appropriation from the State of Michigan

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate."

Yes



FRIENDS OF NORTH ORE CREEK

Livingston County, Michigan

President: Tim Brood

Treasurer: Brad Swartz

Secretary: Shane Preston

March 14, 2025

The Honorable Jason Woolford
Michigan State Representative
Michigan House of Representatives
Lansing, MI 48933

Subject: Request for Enhancement Grant for North Ore Creek Conservation Efforts

Dear Representative Woolford,

On behalf of the Friends of North Ore Creek, we appreciate your commitment to environmental stewardship and the well-being of our community's natural resources. As a dedicated nonprofit organization in Livingston County, our mission is to preserve, protect, and enhance North Ore Creek for current and future generations. To advance these efforts, we respectfully request your support in securing an enhancement grant for \$5,000 to fund critical initiatives.

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We would welcome the opportunity to discuss this request further and explore potential funding sources to achieve our objectives. Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to your guidance and support in preserving one of Livingston County's treasured natural resources.

Sincerely,

Tim Brood

President, Friends of North Ore Creek
586-201-6430



FRIENDS OF NORTH ORE CREEK
6570 LINDEN RD
FENTON MI 48430-9350

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Stop by your nearest
Huntington office or
contact us at:

1-800-480-2001

[www.huntington.com/
businessresources](http://www.huntington.com/businessresources)

Huntington Business Checking 100

Account: -----6576

Statement Activity From: 06/01/24 to 06/30/24		Beginning Balance	\$7,620.00
		Debits (-)	7,600.00
		Regular Checks Paid	7,600.00
		Total Service Charges (-)	0.00
		Ending Balance	\$20.00
Days in Statement Period	30		
Average Ledger Balance*	2,553.33		
Average Collected Balance*	2,553.33		
* The above balances correspond to the service charge cycle for this account.			

Checks (-)

Account:-----6576

Date	Amount	Check #	Date	Amount	Check #
06/11	7,600.00	14448429			

(*) Indicates the prior sequentially numbered check(s) may have 1) been voided by you 2) not yet been presented 3) appeared on a previous statement or 4) been included in a list of checks.

Service Charge Summary

Account:-----6576


Previous Month Service Charges (-)	\$0.00
Total Service Charges (-)	\$0.00

Balance Activity

Account:-----6576

Date	Balance	Date	Balance	Date	Balance
05/31	7,620.00	06/11	20.00		

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1. Tell us your name, your business's name (if appropriate) and the Huntington account number (if any).
2. Describe the error or the transaction you are unsure about, and explain as clearly as you can why you believe there is an error or why you need more information.
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Balancing Your Statement - For your convenience, a balancing page is available on our web site <https://www.huntington.com/pdf/balancing.pdf> and also available on Huntington Business Online.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR HUNTINGTON ACCOUNT(S)

We have made important changes to your business checking, savings and money market account(s) as described in this notice. Please retain this document for your records as these changes apply to your Business Account Charges Form, Business Signature Card form, and your business Deposit Account Agreement ("Account Agreements:") for Business Banking Customers.

If you have questions or would like a complete copy of the documents referenced above simply visit your local Huntington office, call your Banker or call 1-800-480-2001 to speak to a Customer Service Center Specialist.

Effective August 1, 2024, changes to the Business Deposit Account Agreement (the "Agreement:") are as follows:

1. The following paragraph has been added as Section 1.c.: "It is industry practice that business customers are responsible to discover and/or prevent unauthorized transactions. We have available certain products designed to discover and/or prevent unauthorized transactions, including unauthorized checks and ACH debits, forgeries, and alterations (Business Security Suite includes check positive pay, reverse positive pay, teller block, check block, ACH positive pay and wire block). While no such product is foolproof, we believe that the products we offer will reduce the risk of loss to you from fraud. You agree that if your account is eligible for such products and you choose not to avail yourself of them, then we will have no liability for any transaction that occurs on your account that those products were designed to discover or prevent, nor will we have any duty to re-credit your account for any such losses. Please know that utilizing Business Security Suite does not prevent all losses. Huntington is responsible to act in good faith and with ordinary care, which does not include reviewing each transaction individually or insuring that you have no losses."
2. The last sentence of the first paragraph of 4.d. has been deleted.
3. Section 19 has been re-named "Huntington Instant Payments (SM) - HIP" and references throughout the section have been updated.
4. Subparagraph d of Section 21 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

ARBITRATION PROCEDURES

The American Arbitration Association (AAA) shall administer each arbitration initiated under this Arbitration Provision and in all cases, each arbitrator must be a licensed attorney with more than 10 years of experience. Where AAA's Consumer Arbitration Rules, Mass Arbitration Supplementary Rules, or other applicable rules differ from this Arbitration Provision, the terms of this provision shall apply. For information on initiating arbitration, contact AAA at www.adr.org or 800-778-7879.

The arbitrator shall issue a reasoned written decision sufficient to explain essential findings and conclusions. If requested, the arbitrator shall apply the cost-shifting provisions of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 68 after entry of an award.

By submitting an arbitration demand, the party and counsel represent that, as in court, they are complying with the requirements of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 11(b), including that the claims and relief sought are neither frivolous nor brought for an improper purpose. The arbitrator is authorized to impose any sanctions available under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 11 on represented parties and their counsel.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR STATEMENTS

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 2024

Effective August 1, 2024, we will be implementing several improvements to your Demand Deposit Account ("DDA" or "checking account") Money Market Account ("MMA"), and Savings detailed billing statements. These enhancements will include improved visual accessibility, enhanced account privacy, a redesigned invoice section, and an updated balance required calculation for earnings credit.

With your statement generated on September 9th, the updated statement changes will be as follows:

- Your account numbers will be partially masked, with only the last five digits being displayed.



- The Service Charge detail section will be redesigned to facilitate easy navigation through the charges. Additionally, a new Charge Code column will be added to provide a description of the service charge:
 - B (Billable) use when none of the other charge code types apply
 - C (for **CONSOLIDATED lines)
 - N (for **NO CHARGE lines)
 - E (for **EXPLICIT CHARGE lines)
 - S (for **BILLED SEPARATELY lines)
- The balance required calculation for earnings credit will no longer be rounding the balance required to offset \$1 of fees to the nearest whole number. The new interest calculation steps are as follows: "To determine the balance level required to offset all monthly service charges, you must multiply the total service charges for that month by a multiplier. The multiplier is calculated by dividing the number of days in a year (366 for a leap year) by the result of the Earnings Credit Rate multiplied by the number of days in the statement cycle."
- For customer who receive invoices, the invoice section will undergo significant improvements in order to enhance the customer experience in managing invoices. The key updates will include displaying outstanding invoices and their current amounts due, as well as presenting a categorized breakdown of due amounts by month.

No action is required from you. Your statements will automatically transition to the new statement version. The content of the statements will remain unchanged, except for the balance required calculation for earnings credit formula change. For examples of this new statement format are available for viewing at huntington.com/AccountAnalysis.

These changes will be effective August 1, 2024, and reflected on your August analysis statement (received in September). Please note, the simplified formula changes may have no impact on your statement. For questions regarding statement changes, please contact your Banker, Relationship Manager, Treasury Management Advisor or call us at (800)-480-2001, Monday through Friday, 8:00am to 8:00pm ET and Saturday, 8:00am to 2:00pm ET.