

HOUSE BILL NO. 4798

August 26, 2025, Introduced by Rep. Markkanen and referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Tourism.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"
by amending section 1901 (MCL 324.1901), as amended by 2018 PA 597.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1901. As used in this part:

2 (a) "Board" means the Michigan natural resources trust fund
3 board established in section 1905.

4 (b) "Local unit of government or public authority" means a
5 county, city, township, village, school district, **recreational**
6 **authority**, the Huron-Clinton metropolitan authority, or any

1 authority composed of counties, cities, townships, villages, or
2 school districts, or any combination of these entities, and legally
3 constituted to provide public recreation. **As used in this**
4 **subdivision, "recreational authority" means an authority**
5 **established under the recreational authorities act, 2000 PA 321,**
6 **MCL 123.1131 to 123.1157.**

7 (c) "Michigan state parks endowment fund" means the Michigan
8 state parks endowment fund established in section 35a of article IX
9 of the state constitution of 1963 and provided for in section
10 74119.

11 (d) "Trust fund" means the Michigan natural resources trust
12 fund established in section 35 of article IX of the state
13 constitution of 1963.

14 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
15 unless Senate Bill No. ____ (request no. S01810'25) or House Bill
16 No. 4694 (request no. H01810'25) of the 103rd Legislature is
17 enacted into law.