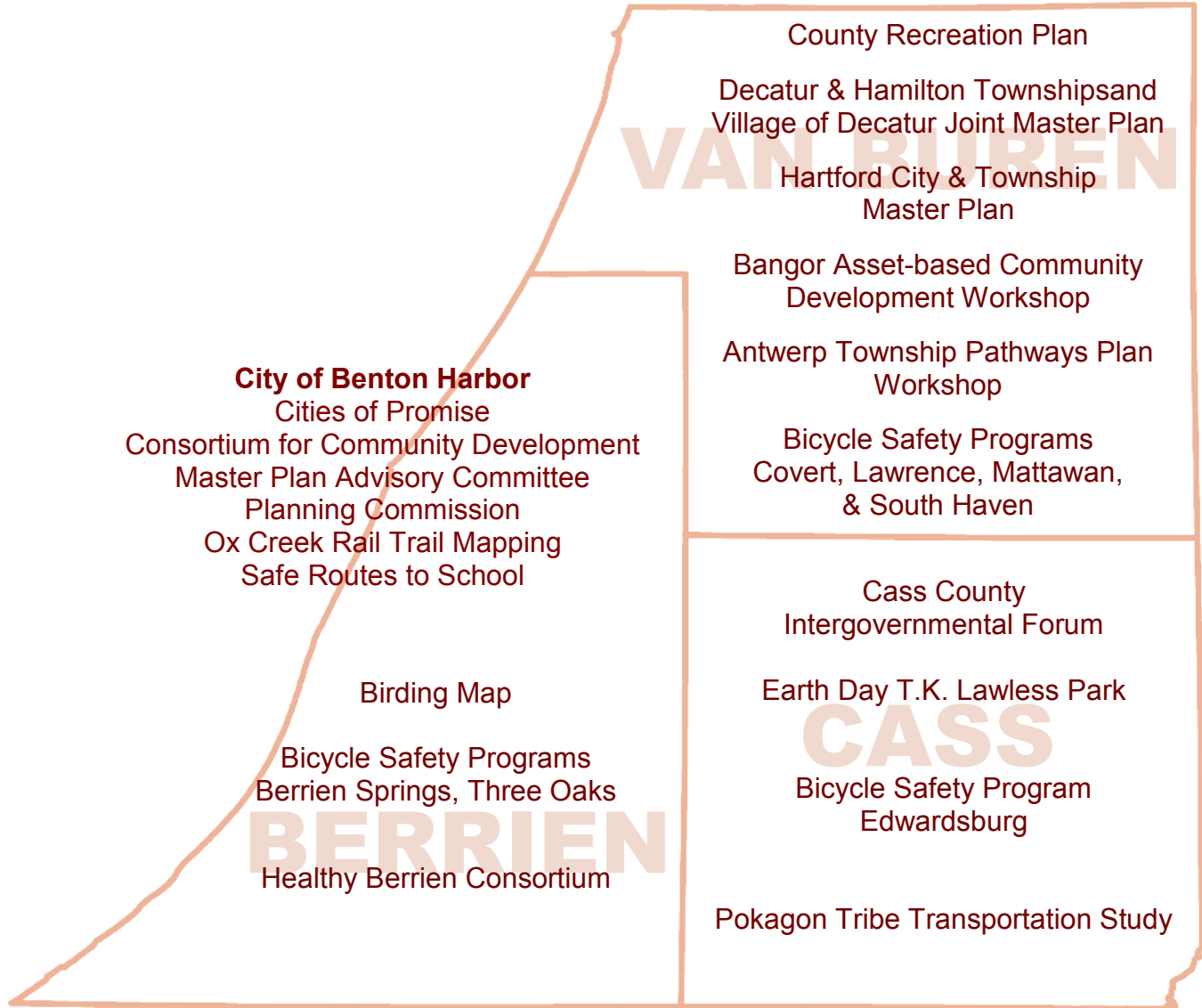


## LOCAL SERVICES PLANNING

The SWMPC provides customized planning and information services to local governments and organizations including comprehensive and land use planning, research and analysis, GIS mapping, surveys, recreational planning, grant writing and grant administration. Outreach to build support for wise planning and awareness of vital regional development issues leads to program initiatives that address local needs.



## BEYOND OUR BORDERS

### PARTICIPATION

American Planning Association  
 Great Lakes Association of Regional Councils  
 Lake Michigan Watershed Academy (Delta Institute)  
 Michigan Association of Planning  
 Michigan Association of Regions

Michigan Business Incubator Association  
 Michigan Economic Developers Association  
 Michigan Transportation Planning Association  
 Quad State Directors  
 Wingspread Accord

### PARTNERS

Community Media Workshop  
 Land Information Access Association  
 Pokagon Band of Potawatomi Indians

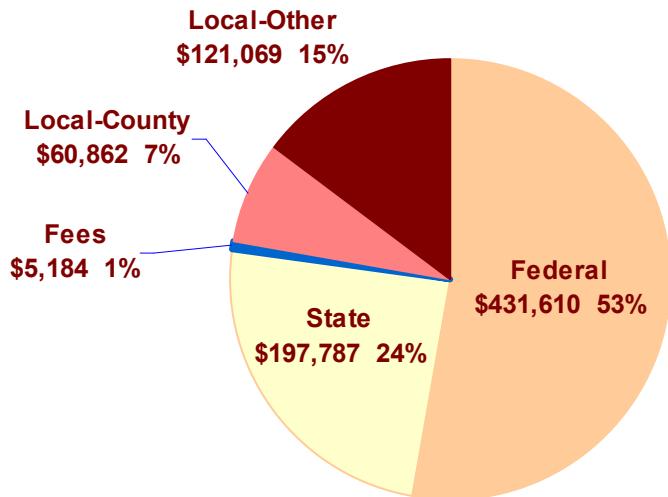
Michigan Economic Development Corporation  
 Michigan State University  
 University of Michigan

## MORE ABOUT SWMPC



The July 20, 2010 SWMPC Full Board Meeting was held at the Pokagon Band of Potawatomi Indians' Tribal Council Lodge located in Dowagiac, MI. The agenda included a Michigan Prosperity Initiative presentation by planner Elizabeth Luther with small group discussions to prioritize goals and objectives following (above). After the close of business, Doris Higgins, Executive Director of the Volunteer Center of Southwest Michigan, led a Board training session with staff and Board members. The event ended with an outdoor picnic lunch with SWMPC charter member Johnie Rodebush providing fresh corn.

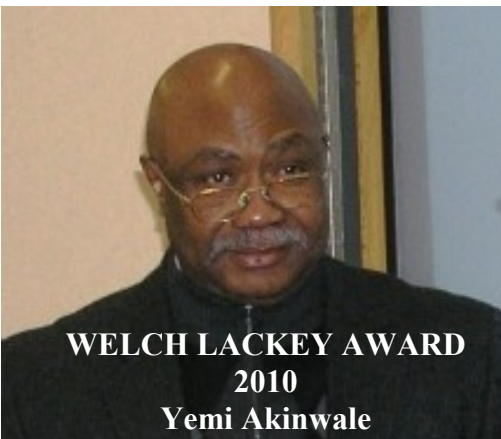
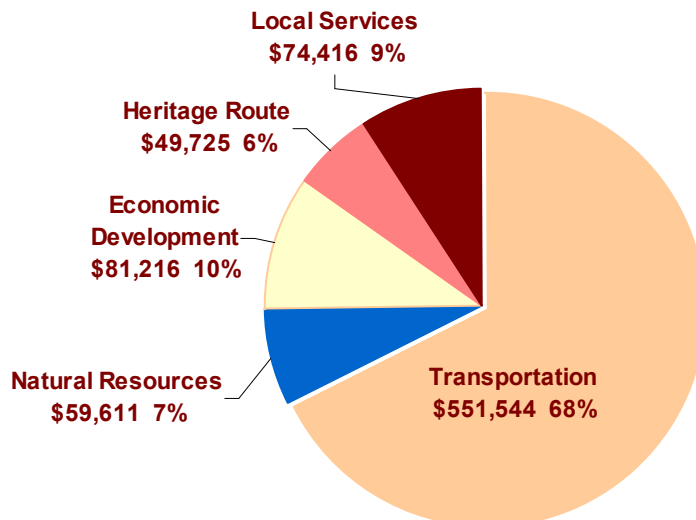
### Revenue By Source



### *Mission Statement:*

*The mission of the Southwest Michigan Planning Commission is to promote a sustainable high quality of life through facilitation of sound planning and decision making.*

### Revenue by Theme



## 2010 BOARD MEMBERS

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John Klimek, County Commissioner  
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Donald Ryman, County Commissioner  
Marletta Seats, County Commissioner  
Roger Seeley, St. Joseph Charter Township  
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