

The West End **Expansion Project**

The West End Expansion Project will complete 11 Master Plan initiatives and create additional programming opportunities through the year-round use of the Log Cabin, a Pioneer Landscape, a storytelling space, and reclaimed lawn space. As one of 20 recipients of a Michigan Community Museum Grant, \$399,770 of the project costs will be reimbursed, but we need your help! We need \$60,000 in individual donations to make this project a success and set the groundwork for the next steps in our Master Plan!

Project Goals:

- Move the Log Cabin and add heat for year-round programming
- · Move and update the Pioneer Garden and Herb Garden
- Move and improve the Pioneer Landscape including outbuildings
- Extend the Village fence line
- Remove a utility pole to reclaim lawn space
- Add a storytelling space for Indigenous programming
- Add a rain garden and other natural drainage to reclaim lawn space
- Add staff parking to increase capacity for large programs
- Add trees and landscaping for natural screening





Following the completion of the West End Expansion Project, we will turn towards our next steps in our Master Plan that will include the Artisan's Corner and plans for a new Visitor Center. Visit our website to view our entire Master Plan.