Facility Overview

The Perfect Event Destination

The Blue Water Convention Center, located on the scenic St. Clair River, has been designed to be as versatile as it is attractive. The convention center’s state-of-the-art flexible space is what every meeting planner envisions for conventions and consumer or trade shows, as well as meetings and banquets. The ASM Global managed Blue Water Convention Center offers all of the amenities of big city convention centers combined with the convenience of being only a one hour drive from Detroit and Flint.

Sandy beaches, friendly parks, and convenient marinas are just a few of the outdoor attractions Port Huron has to offer.

Attractions within the Port Huron Area

Free-time fun and captivating history abound in Port Huron and the surrounding area. Lighthouses dot the shoreline; some have guided tours and tower climbs available.

Arts & Culture

The art scene is a valuable component of the Blue Water Region where there’s a growing respect for the importance of creativity in a community. Art galleries feature local and national artists along with classes and workshops for art enthusiasts. Live theatre and music performances bring talent and great entertainment to the area.

Trails, Parks, & Recreations

Stretch your legs by taking advantage of the many trails and parks in the area. Several river-walks line the water’s edge and many grassy parks lend themselves to picnics and relaxation.

Recreation

Get out and have some fun! Swing a club along the rolling greens of a pristine golf course or rent a bike and cruise along the riverfront and downtown. Mini golf, bowling, movie theatres and more are ready for laughter and leisure.

Dining

Dining in the Blue Water Region is simply delectable. Satisfy your appetite with a variety of options including gourmet restaurants, eclectic cafés, casual pizza shops or a spot with a cold drink, and a burger. Delight your taste buds and your senses with the atmosphere you’re craving, be it perched on the waterfront, downtown on Main Street, overlooking a rolling golf course or another excellent location. For an evening of entertainment, many venues provide live music and nightlife activities.

Port Huron’s Overview

Port Huron and its surrounding cities are home to nearly 128,000 residents with a median age of 41. Surrounding cities such as Marysville, St. Clair, Marine City, Richmond and Memphis are all less than a 30 minute commute to Port Huron. Sarnia, Ontario is just a short 15 minute drive across the Blue Water Bridge.

Downtown Port Huron is home to 20 local restaurants/bars, and all within minutes of the Blue Water Convention Center. Port Huron has over 900 hotel rooms throughout the city, including connection to the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel.

With its location on Lake Huron and the St. Clair River, there are many outdoor activities to participate in.

Port Huron’s Media Sources

• The Times Herald
• The Voice
• The Jeffersonian
• RadioFirst (QCountry 107.1 FM, Rock 105.5 FM, WBTI 96.9 FM, WHLS 1450 AM, WPHM 1380 AM)
• WGRT (102.3 FM)
• CHKS-FM (Sarnia/Port Huron Rock 106.3 FM)
• EBW.TV
• And More

For detailed information and locations visit www.bluewater.org
Located in Port Huron, the Blue Water Convention Center is a multi-use facility that can host exhibitions, conventions, meetings and receptions. Port Huron is one of the busiest border crossings between the U.S. and Canada and is drawing tourism with its stunning shoreline community. The city has an abundance of events, arts, and festivals. As a tourist destination, Port Huron is growing to accommodate the expanding demand.

Service and Staff
Once you have made your decision to partner with us at the Blue Water Convention Center, an event coordinator will be assigned to work with you exclusively on your event. He or she will serve as your primary point of contact while coordinating all of your needs, such as planning the layout of the room, or providing you with the resources to select audio visual and catering.

Venue Spaces

- Lake Huron Convention Halls
- Great Lakes Hall (Pre-function Room)
- International Deck
- Grand Ballroom
- Riverview Suites
- St. Clair River Suites

Lake Huron Convention Hall A-B
The Blue Water Convention Center features the Lake Huron Hall, offering the largest space at 21,000 sq. ft. This convention space can be used as an impressive main hall or split into two halls with seating for up to 2,400 attendees. This one of a kind private indoor setting will undoubtedly leave your guests buzzing. With the ability to accommodate up to 2,400 guests, this location is perfect for larger weddings, banquets, conferences, trade shows and conventions.

Grand Ballroom
Impress your guests with the unique atmosphere found within the Grand Ballroom. The Grand Ballroom can accommodate up to 220 guests with the ability to be separated into two spaces and is ideal for hosting banquets as well as exhibit space.

Riverview Suites
The Riverview Suite, with its simple elegant interior design, is perfect for small wedding receptions, anniversary parties, or company conferences with access to the International Deck.

St. Clair River Suites
The St. Clair River Suite can be split into smaller breakout rooms. It would be perfect for a smaller meeting or banquet with seating for up to 60 people.

International Deck
The versatility of the 1,600 sq. ft. International Deck has an amazing view and atmosphere, while still maintaining the privacy desired.

Loading Docks
Two accessible loading docks, a bay door, and ramp, allows for an easy and efficient load in and load out.
Accommodations are made easy with connection to the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel. Stay at DoubleTree by Hilton Port Huron and enjoy spacious accommodations, modern amenities and a friendly welcome. They will even greet you with their delicious freshly baked cookie upon arrival. Centrally located in Port Huron, Michigan, minutes from St. Clair County International Airport, this modern hotel is close to a number of Port Huron businesses including Domtar Paper Mill, Mueller Industries, Henkel and many companies related to the automobile industry. Enjoy easy access to Port Huron’s historic downtown area, with its specialty shops and waterfront eateries, the boardwalk and marina and the McMorran Place Sports & Entertainment Center.

Each of the spacious guest rooms and suites features stylish amenities including a 37-inch HDTV, a spacious work area, a microwave and mini-refrigerator, a comfortable Sweet Dreams bed, remote printing service and complimentary Wi-Fi. Some guest rooms have balconies offering breathtaking views of The Blue Water Bridge and the St. Clair River. Wake up to a cooked-to-order breakfast every morning and enjoy classic American dishes in the relaxed hotel restaurant, Freighters Eatery and Taproom. Maintain your exercise regimen in the complimentary fitness center and stay connected in the complimentary 24-hour business center. Total Property Parking is 602 spots.

Also connected to the Blue Water Convention Center is Freighters Eatery and Taproom. Freighters is a culinary destination situated on the St. Clair River, overlooking the Blue Water Bridge.

Freighters’ Dine-In and Banquet Menus feature locally sourced menu options, specially created by our Executive Chef. Our energetic team will make you feel right at home in our inviting atmosphere that features a fireplace lounge and outdoor seating.

FOR BOOKING INFORMATION: 810-201-5513
Blue Water Convention Center, 800 Harker Street, Port Huron, MI 48060
www.bluewaterconventioncenter.com
### Lake Huron Convention Hall

- **International Deck North**: n/a
- **International Deck South**: n/a
- **St. Clair River Suite A**: 24
- **St. Clair River Suite B**: 32 48
- **Riverview Suites A-B**: 80
- **Riverview Suite A**: 40
- **Riverview Suite B**: 40
- **Grand Ballroom**: 246

### St. Clair River Suite A

- **56 84**: St. Clair River Suite A-B

### Riverview Suites A-B

- **80**: Riverview Suites A-B

### Riverview Suite A

- **40**: Riverview Suite A

### Riverview Suite B

- **40**: Riverview Suite B

### St. Clair River Suite A-B

- **56**: St. Clair River Suite A-B

### St. Clair River Suite A

- **24**: St. Clair River Suite A

### St. Clair River Suite B

- **32**: St. Clair River Suite B

### Waters Edge (Boardroom)

- **16 20**: Waters Edge (Boardroom)

### DoubleTree by Hilton Space

- **Plan**: DoubleTree by Hilton Space
- **Style**: Booths
- **Dimensions**: Total Sq. Ft.

### CVB Space

- **Booths**: Total Sq. Ft.

### DoubleTree by Hilton Space

- **Plan**: DoubleTree by Hilton Space
- **Style**: Booths
- **Dimensions**: Total Sq. Ft.

### Waters Edge (Boardroom)

- **12 28**: Waters Edge (Boardroom)

### Riverfront View

- **Eating & Taproom**: n/a

### Abbey II

- **Lighthouse**: n/a

### Abbey I

- **Wheelhouse**: n/a

### Grand Ballroom

- **107' x 120'**: 12,844

### Board Office

- **120 176'**: 20,374

### Waters Edge

- **26' x 32'**: 818

### Theaters

- **26' x 32'**: 841

### Boardroom

- **26' x 32'**: 841

### RV Room

- **26' x 32'**: 841

### **BWCC Space**

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**Note:** Capacities and dimensions may vary. Always check with the venue for the most accurate information.
## Port Huron Accommodations

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<td>Double Tree by Hilton</td>
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<td>Super 8</td>
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Port Huron Attractions

**Thomas Edison Museum**
510 Edison Parkway
Port Huron, MI 48060
810.455.0035, www.porthuronmuseum.org
An approximate 1 minute walk from the Blue Water Convention Center.

Thomas Edison Depot Museum enhances visitor's appreciation for the life of Thomas Edison. The exhibits portray Edison's multi-faceted story of creativity, family support, adversity, perseverance, and ultimate triumph as one of the greatest inventors of our time.

**Fort Gratiot Light House**
2802 Omar Street
Port Huron, MI 48060
810.982.0891, www.porthuronmuseum.org
An approximate 3 minute drive from the Blue Water Convention Center.

The oldest operating lighthouse in the Great Lakes established in 1825 and rebuilt in 1829 and 1861. Established in 1814, military Fort Gratiot, named after General Charles Gratiot, was established to guard the juncture of Lake Huron and the St. Clair River.

**McMorran Place Sports & Entertainment Center**
701 McMorran Blvd.
Port Huron, MI 48060
810.985.6166, www.mcmorran.com
An approximate 5 minute drive from the Blue Water Convention Center.

Located in the heart of Port Huron, with ample parking, McMorran Place is a multi-use facility that annually hosts many successful concerts, exhibitions, conventions & professional hockey.

**Lakeside Beach & Park**
Gratiot Avenue
Port Huron, MI 48060
810.984.9760, www.porthuron.org
An approximate 3 minute drive from the Blue Water Convention Center.

Lakeside Park...on the clear waters of Lake Huron, boasts 1,050 feet of waterfrontage with clean, sandy beaches. Beach volleyball is a new sport of interest here and on the weekends you will find lots of boats anchoring off shore to enjoy the swimming and socializing.

**Studio 1219**
1219 Military Street
Port Huron, MI 48060
810.984.2787, www.studio1219.com
An approximate 9 minute drive from the Blue Water Convention Center.

This art gallery focuses on nurturing art, culture, classes and workshops. It’s a labor of love, featuring seven fine art galleries and a unique gift shop full of local handmade art. If you are shopping for a little piece of the Blue Water Area to take a home with you, you will find it right here.

**Black River Country Club**
3300 Country Club Drive
Port Huron, MI 48060
810.982.9595, www.blackrivercountryclub.com
An approximate 9 minute drive from the Blue Water Convention Center.

Black River Country Club is identified as one of the mature public golf courses in the country. With its gently rolling terrain, its hundreds of mature trees and carefully placed bunkers, Black River is enjoyable and challenging to golfers of all abilities.

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