



GRETCHEN WHITMER  
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
LANSING



SHANNON LOTT  
ACTING DIRECTOR

March 28, 2023

VIA E-MAIL

Chippewa County Sorva  
Mr. Charlie Steffens  
ccsorva@gmail.com  
P.O. Box 173  
Hulbert, Michigan 49784

Dear Mr. Steffens and the Chippewa County Sorva:

SUBJECT: East Hiawatha 3 New Orv Routes – (RTPD#: O608172022001), Chippewa County

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the East Hiawatha 3 New Orv Routes trail proposal listed above has been approved.

The next step in this process is for you to discuss the development of this trail with your local Department of Natural Resources (DNR) contact, Mr. Peter (PJ) Costa. This discussion should include a request for funding, if necessary, that may involve a special maintenance project request in next year's grant, or a special maintenance amendment request to your current year grant, and the new trail number that may be assigned to this trail.

Upon completion of the development of the trail, the DNR contact and the trail sponsor should coordinate the collection of GPS data. This information should be forwarded to Program Management staff in Lansing for updating the online trail map series.

Enclosed with this letter is additional information related to the approved trail proposal. Thank you for your interest and efforts in making Michigan's Trails Program one of the best in the nation. We look forward to working with you in the future.

If you have any further questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Peter (PJ) Costa, eastern Upper Peninsula Trails Specialist, at 906-630-0513 or Mr. Tim Novak, State Trails Coordinator, Parks and Recreation Division, at 517-388-8347; at novakt8@michigan.gov; or Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 30257, Lansing, Michigan 48909.

Sincerely,

Tim Novak, State Trails Coordinator  
Parks and Recreation Division

Enclosure

cc: Ms. Jessica Holley-Roehrs, DNR  
Mr. Ronald Yesney, DNR  
Mr. Peter (PJ) Costa, DNR

# Proposed SORVA Routes

