

Historical Marker - S463 - Horton Bay (Marker ID#:S463)



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Horton Bay

Named for pioneer settler Samuel Horton, this village was founded as a lumbering community in 1876, complete with sawmill, shanty boys, boarding house, company store, blacksmith shop, and draft horses. The store and many early buildings still stand. After the timber was gone, three fine restaurants opened: Dilworth's, The Waffle Shop, and The Red Fox Inn. Young Ernest Hemingway frequently came here to fish and camp on "The Point." This area is the setting for several of his famous "Nick Adams" short stories. Hemingway was married here in 1921.

Significant Date:

Industry and Invention (1875-1915)

Registry Year: 1975 **Erected Date:** 1977

Marker Location

Address: Bay Twp Hall, corner of Lake Street and Boyne City Road

City: Boyne City

State: MI **ZipCode:**

County: Charlevoix

Township:

Lat: 45.28457900 / **Long:** -85.07863900

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