Marquette to host regional conference this summer

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MARQUETTE - Marquette will host this summer a major conference coordinated by a regional coalition of cities with ties to the Great Lakes.

A non-profit coalition, the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Cities Initiative works to advance the protection and restoration of wetlands connected to the St. Lawrence River and the Great Lakes. The organization, founded in 2001 and headquartered in Chicago, has six member municipalities located along Great Lakes states, as well as Quebec and Ontario.

"It's the Fourth largest ecosystem in the world," said Executive Director Mike W/Error! Reference source not found. said the area, which includes over 15 million people. "We're trying to hold the concept of this region, not only as a self-sustaining and very sustainable area for the entire planet, but as a much more attractive sense for the rest of the world."

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