Copper piece on island in danger of being relocated

Owners of 28-2-ton chunk want its memory

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Copper Deposits - A large piece of a valuable copper piece was recently discovered on a beach in Michigan. The Marquette County Community Foundation's Chief Operating Officer, Jeff Anderson said the copper was found by two men while hiking on the beach. They brought it to the Marquette County Community Foundation, which has been trying to find a new home for the piece of copper.

"The copper piece was discovered by hikers on a beach in Marquette," Anderson said. "We were contacted by the hikers who had found the piece and we were able to make arrangements to have it transported to the Marquette County Community Foundation."

Anderson said the piece of copper is a valuable discovery and they are currently working on a plan to display it in a local museum.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for the community," Anderson said. "We are working on plans to display the piece in a local museum and we are looking for other ways to incorporate the piece into the community's history."