Ray and Alma Statema Park Stewardship Fund

Ray Statema was a tireless supporter of the Ottawa County Parks. This fund was created to recognize Ray and his wife Alma for their legacy of environmental leadership and the countless students they’ve inspired to serve their community.

This organizational fund will help schools pay for bussing costs and other expenses so students can participate in service-based workdays in Ottawa County Parks. Service-based workdays instill a stewardship ethic in future generations while enhancing the natural features within the park system.

Grants from this fund will also help pay for tools, equipment, and materials related to outreach and education for the work days.