

# 2015 ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND

## ALL PROPOSALS SELECTED TO PRESENT BY FUNDING PRIORITY TOPIC AREA

### LCCMR Process for 2015 Recommendations

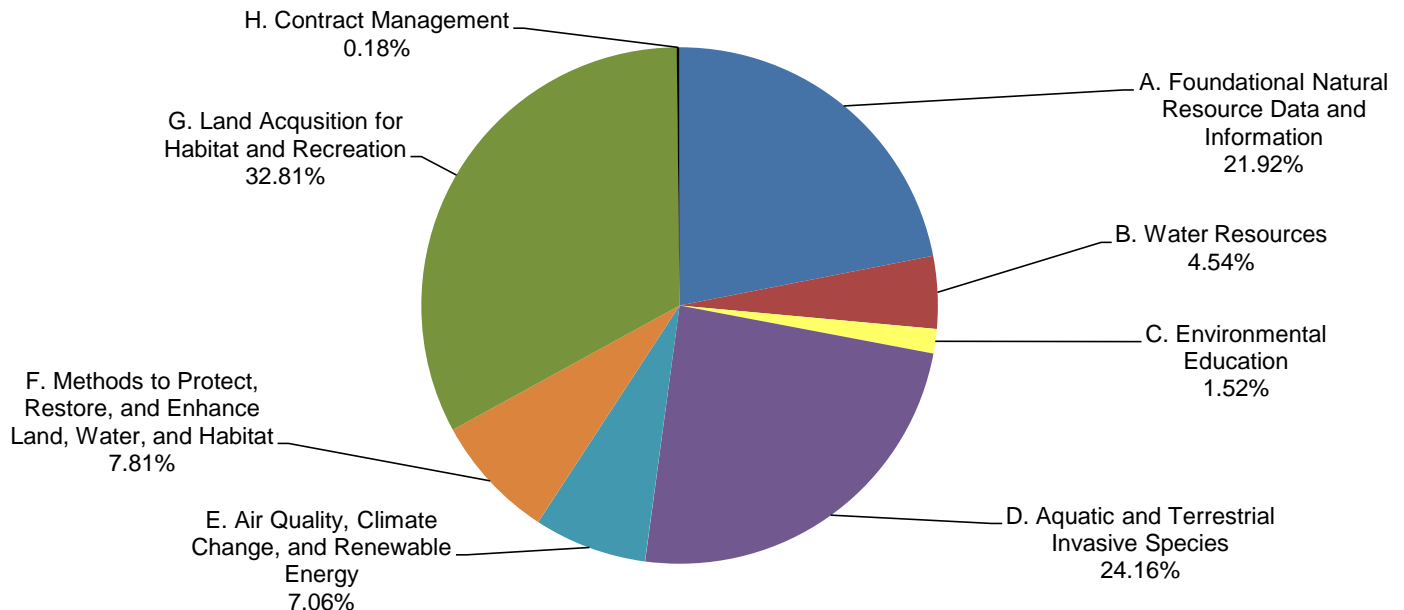
*In response to the 2015 Request for Proposal (RFP), due March 28, 2014, 152 proposals requesting a total of approximately \$126.3 million were received. This RFP process is for funding available beginning July 1, 2015. For that period, approximately \$44 million from the Environment and Natural Resources Trust Fund is expected to be available to recommend for project funding. The LCCMR reviewed, evaluated, and ranked all proposals received. On June 4, the LCCMR selected 76 proposals requesting a total of approximately \$74.9 million to invite in for a presentation before the Commission for further consideration. Proposal presentations are scheduled for June 17, 18, 19, 25, and 26.*

October 23 & December 10, 2013	2015 Funding Priorities Determined and RFP Adopted
December 16, 2013	2015 RFP Issued
March 28, 2014	2015 RFP Proposal Deadline (Received 152 Proposals totaling \$126,332,461)
June 4, 2014	2015 Selection of Proposals for Presentations
June 17, 18, 19, 24, & 25, 2014	2015 Proposal Presentations (Selected 76 proposals totaling \$74,867,915 to present)
July 8-9, 2014	2015 Allocations Recommendations (2 days)
August - November, 2014	Research Projects Recommended Undergo Peer Review
November 19 & December 9, 2014	2015 Appropriation Language Review & Adoption

### Summary of Proposals Received by Funding Priority Topic Area

Funding Priority Topic Area	\$ Requested	# Proposals
A. Foundational Natural Resource Data and Information	\$16,407,960	20
B. Water Resources	\$3,400,446	10
C. Environmental Education	\$1,139,210	5
D. Aquatic and Terrestrial Invasive Species	\$18,090,483	8
E. Air Quality, Climate Change, and Renewable Energy	\$5,289,363	6
F. Methods to Protect, Restore, and Enhance Land, Water, and Habitat	\$5,843,944	13
G. Land Acquisition for Habitat and Recreation	\$24,561,509	13
H. Contract Management	\$135,000	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$74,867,915</b>	<b>76</b>

**% of Total \$ Requests Selected to Present by Funding Priority Topic Areas**



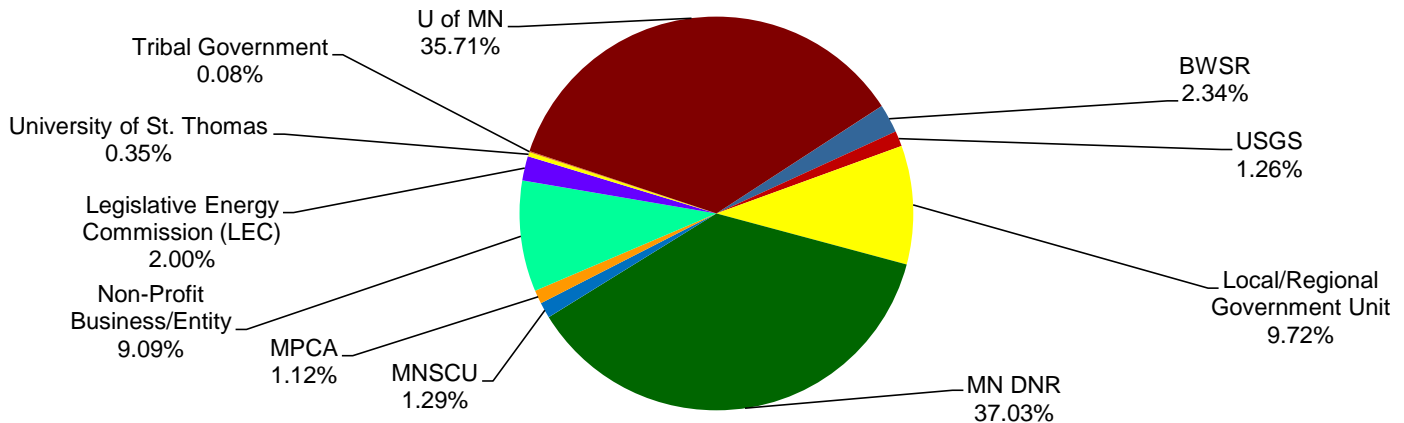
## 2015 ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND ALL PROPOSALS SELECTED TO PRESENT BY AFFILIATION AND AREA OF IMPACT

### Summary of Proposals Selected to Present by Proposer Affiliation\*

Affiliation Type by Proposer Affiliation	\$ Requested	# Proposals
Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR)	\$1,753,000	2
U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)	\$944,057	2
Local/Regional Government Unit	\$7,279,320	9
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (MN DNR)	\$27,721,764	13
Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MNSCU)	\$968,072	3
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA)	\$835,342	1
Non-Profit Business/Entity	\$6,809,235	14
Legislative Energy Commission (LEC)	\$1,500,000	1
University of St. Thomas	\$258,603	1
Tribal Government	\$61,040	1
University of Minnesota (U of MN)	\$26,737,482	29
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$74,867,915</b>	<b>76</b>

\*Dollar amounts based on project manager affiliation listed in the proposal; some proposals have multiple partners with multiple affiliations and dollars requested distributed between them.

### % of Total \$ Requests Selected to Present by Proposer Affiliation



### Summary of Proposals Selected to Present by Area of Impact

Area of Impact	\$ Requested	# Proposals
Metro*	\$7,964,586	14
Metro and Adjacent Regions	\$1,902,476	3
Regional (Non-Metro)**	\$15,321,139	22
Statewide	\$49,679,714	37
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$74,867,915</b>	<b>76</b>

\* "Metro" region includes the 11 counties of Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington, and Wright.

\*\* "Regional" means area of impact is less than "Statewide" but includes one or more regions of the state ("Northwest", "Northeast", "Central", "Southwest", or "Southeast") other than the 11-county "Metro" region.

### % of Total \$ Requests Selected to Present by Area of Impact

