

Day 4 LCCMR Presentation Schedule - 2026 Proposals Friday, June 27, 2025 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM						
Time	Proposal ID	Category	Presenter	Title	Organization	Amount Requested
LCCMR Business						
8:30 AM	2026-528	G. Small Projects Sub: A. Resiliency	Taylor Guenther	Mahnomen EAB Preparation Project	City of Mahnomen	\$62,000
8:40 AM	2026-034	G. Small Projects Sub: B. Water	Dr. Dalma Martinovic-Weigelt	Statewide Risk Estimates for Contaminants of Emerging Concern	University of St. Thomas	\$175,000
8:50 AM	2026-084	G. Small Projects Sub: B. Water	Dr. Matthew Petersen	Enhancing the Integrity of Minnesota's Waterway Bioassessment	U of MN, College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences	\$299,000
9:00 AM	2026-486	G. Small Projects Sub: B. Water	Prof. Peter Bruggeman	Mitigating Short-Chain Forever Chemicals for a PFAS-Free Minnesota	U of MN, College of Science and Engineering	\$299,000
9:10 AM	2026-002	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Crystal Olson	CMSM 2026 Proposal	Children's Museum of Southern Minnesota	\$300,000
9:20 AM	2026-013	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Lee Furuseth	Native Fish Exhibits Transforming Aquatic Education in Minnesota	Headwaters Science Center	\$299,000
9:30 AM	2026-039	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Brad Bourn	River Bend Nature Center's Inclusive Interpretive Plan Implementation	River Bend Nature Center	\$293,000
9:40 AM	2026-065	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Lori Forshee-Donnay	Fostering Environmental Stewardship through Art	Watermark Art Center	\$298,000
9:50 AM	2026-099	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Bryan Wood	Bringing Environmental Education and Outdoor Recreation to K-12 Schools	Osprey Wilds Environmental Learning Center	\$192,000
10:00 AM	2026-102	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Bryan Wood	Improving Trail Accessibility for Minnesotans at Osprey Wilds	Osprey Wilds Environmental Learning Center	\$25,000
10:10 AM	2026-115	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Ansel Schimpff	Duluth Traverse Accessibility and Sustainability Improvements	Cyclists of Gitchee Gumee Shores	\$85,000
10:20 AM	2026-165	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Kimberly Musser	College-School Collaboration to Restore Campuses and Activate Stewardship	Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, Minnesota State University Mankato	\$199,000

10:30 AM	2026-177	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Daniel Colten Schmidt	Urban Farming Education to Increase Urban Environmental Stewardship	East Phillips Neighborhood Institute	\$300,000
10:40 AM	2026-231	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Kalley Pratt	YES Connects Students to Outdoors for Youth-Led Sustainability	Prairie Woods Environmental Learning Center	\$199,000
10:50 AM	2026-302	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	David Woods ; Hayley Ball	Engaging Saint Paul Youth in Meaningful Restoration Work	Urban Roots MN	\$300,000
11:00 AM	2026-367	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Omena Giles	Minnesota Water Education for K-5	Science Museum of Minnesota	\$295,000
11:10 AM	2026-436	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Superintendent Chris Lindholm	Outdoor Learning Center and Trails	Cook County Schools ISD 166	\$250,000
11:20 AM	2026-450	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Eric Mayranen, Chairman of the Board, Veterans on the Lake	Facility Outdoor Improvements	Veterans on the Lake	\$180,000
11:30 AM	2026-571	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Principal Darren Sheldon	Lakewood Elementary School Trail Renewal and Community Engagement 2	Duluth School District #709 - Lakewood Elementary	\$288,000
11:40 AM	2026-584	G. Small Projects Sub: C. Education and Outdoor Recreation	Marc Hosmer, Executive Director	Expanding Community Boat Building and Outdoor Experiences	Urban Boatbuilders	\$100,000
11:50 AM	2026-112	G. Small Projects Sub: D. Fish and Wildlife	Dr. Yuzhu Lu	Pollinator Education for Minnesota's Diverse Cultural Communities	EcoAlpha	\$54,000
12:00 PM	Lunch Break - 12:00 - 12:30 PM					
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12:20 PM						
12:30 PM	2026-384	G. Small Projects Sub: F. Land	Dr. Jiwei Zhang	Alleviating PFAS Impacts of Biosolids on Agricultural Lands	U of MN, College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences	\$300,000
12:40 PM	2026-399	G. Small Projects Sub: D. Fish and Wildlife	Tanya Roerick	Wolf Monitoring on the Leech Lake Reservation	Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe	\$295,000
12:50 PM	2026-457	G. Small Projects Sub: D. Fish and Wildlife	Dr. Erik Runquist	Building a Future for Minnesota's At-Risk Butterflies	Minnesota Zoological Garden	\$294,000

1:00 PM	2026-506	G. Small Projects Sub: D. Fish and Wildlife	Mark Clark	Incidence of Avian Influenza in Minnesota Forest Birds	U of MN, Duluth	\$234,000
1:10 PM	2026-532	G. Small Projects Sub: D. Fish and Wildlife	Dr. Solomon David	Regarding Native Fish: Outreach, Engagement, and Citizen Science	U of MN, College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences	\$270,000
1:20 PM	2026-529	G. Small Projects Sub: E. Energy	Kelsey Klucas	Minnesota Chiller Energy Efficiency and Onsite Energy Generation	U of MN, School of Public Health	\$298,000
1:30 PM	2026-166	G. Small Projects Sub: F. Land	Dr. Bryan Runck ; Keith Pelletier	Updating Land Cover Maps for Enhanced Natural Systems	U of MN, College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences	\$298,000
1:40 PM	2026-200	G. Small Projects Sub: F. Land	Dr. Mark Bowen	Evaluating Soil Health Benefits of Controlled Agricultural Drainage	Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, Minnesota State University Mankato	\$249,000
1:50 PM	2026-292	G. Small Projects Sub: F. Land	Jefferson Brand	Lake Brophy Park Trail Armoring and Trail Improvements	Big Ole Bike Club	\$70,000
2:00 PM	2026-271	G. Small Projects Sub: D. Fish and Wildlife	Dr. Dana Franzen-Klein	Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza's Impacts on Minnesota Raptors	U of MN, Raptor Center	\$298,000
2:10 PM	2026-497	H. Administration	Katherine Sherman-Hoehn	2026 Contract Agreement Reimbursement	MN DNR, Grants Unit	\$340,000
2:40 PM	LCCMR Business					