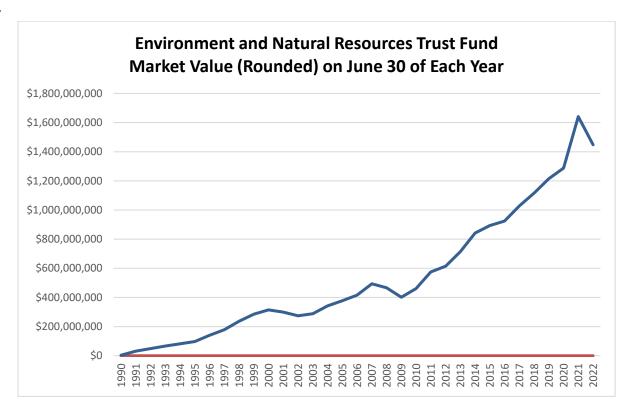
## HISTORICAL MARKET VALUE OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND

## **Background**

The assets in the Environment and Natural Resources Trust Fund (ENRTF) originate from a combination of contributions and investment income. Forty percent of the net proceeds from the Minnesota State Lottery, or more than six cents of every dollar spent on playing the lottery, are contributed to the ENTRTF each year; this source of contribution is guaranteed by the Minnesota Constitution through December 31, 2024. The ENRTF may also receive contributions from other sources, such as private donations. Once deposited into the ENRTF, contributions become part of the principal balance and are invested in a combination of stocks and bonds by the Minnesota State Board of Investment. The income generated from those investments is reinvested back into the ENRTF.

For FY 1992-1999, investment earnings of the ENRTF and up to 25% of the Minnesota Lottery's annual contributions to the ENRTF were available for appropriation each year. A constitutional amendment in 1998 altered this rule so that beginning in FY 2000, through the present, up to 5.5% of the ENRTF's market value (determined by the market value of the ENRTF on June 30 one year before the start of a biennium) is available for appropriation each year.

## History



Year	June 30 Value				
1990	\$4,000,000				
1991	\$32,000,000				
1992	\$49,000,000				
1993	\$67,000,000				
1994	\$82,000,000				
1995	\$98,000,000				
1996	\$140,000,000				
1997	\$179,000,000				
1998	\$237,000,000				
1999	\$285,000,000				
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Year	June 30 Value			
2000	\$315,000,000			
2001	\$300,000,000			
2002	\$274,000,000			
2003	\$289,000,000			
2004	\$342,000,000			
2005	\$377,000,000			
2006	\$416,000,000			
2007	\$494,000,000			
2008	\$466,000,000			
2009	\$402,000,000			

Year	June 30 Value			
2010	\$461,000,000			
2011	\$575,000,000			
2012	\$615,000,000			
2013	\$714,000,000			
2014	\$842,000,000			
2015	\$893,000,000			
2016	\$924,000,000			
2017	\$1,028,000,000			
2018	\$1,116,000,000			
2019	\$1,215,000,000			

Year	June 30 Value			
2020	\$1,288,000,000			
2021	\$1,641,000,000			
2022	\$1,448,000,000			