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| 1 | C15-2974 | Becker SWCD | Becker and Clay | \$ 398,000 | \$ 398,000 | \$ 234,200 | Buffalo Red Shallow Lakes and Mainstem Improvement Strategy | 95.2 | This project will reduce nutrient and sediment delivery to 12 impaired lakes and impaired reaches of the Buffalo River. Under this project, 65 Water and sediment control basins and 80 acres of filter strips will be implemented to meet 28% of the Phosphorus reduction goals for lakes in the watershed and as much as 32% of the Phosphorus reduction goal for the Buffalo River Mainstem. |
| 2 | C15-7778 | Minneapolis, City of | Hennepin | \$ 399,425 | \$ 399,425 | \$ 225,000 | Nokomis Neighbors For Clean Water | 94.9 | This project engages private property owners in a neighborhood scale effort to install up to 180 stormwater BMPs to protect Lake Nokomis, a water body in Minneapolis impaired for excess nutrients. Lake Nokomis is one of the most visited lakes in Minnesota. |
| 3 | C15-7726 | Polk, West SWCD | Polk | \$ 875,300 | \$ 475,000 | \$ 118,750 | Sand Hill River Watershed Projects and Practices Grant Application | 94.4 | This project will result in the installation of 18 rock riffles and 2 rock arch rapids to control the grade and stabilize the 5 mile channelized reach of the sediment impaired Sand Hill River, which contributes thousands of tons of sediment downstream. |
| 4 | C15-5124 | Freeborn County | Freeborn | \$ 494,500 | \$ 494,500 | \$ 124,300 | 2015 Myrtle On-site sewer solutions | 93.8 | The City of Myrtle is an unsewered community in Freeborn County. Thirty-one of thirty-two properties are connected to a community straight pipe, which discharges raw sewage and are classified as an imminent threat to public health. This project will provide cost-share assistance to 28 low income property owners who are connected to the community straight pipe to construct individual sub-surface treatment systems. |
| 5 | C15-4810 | Pomme de Terre River Association JPB | Multi-County | \$ 387,146 | \$ 387,146 | \$ 96,787 | 2015- Pomme de Terre WRAPS Implementation Plan | 92.7 | This project will result in the implementation of over 50 best management practices being installed in addition to the enrollment of up to 1,900 acres in conservation practices resulting in reductions of 17,801 tons of sediment and 17,784 pounds of phosphorous from entering surface waters yearly in the watershed. |
| 6 | C15-0337 | Scott SWCD | Scott | \$ 136,130 | \$ 136,130 | \$ 66,000 | Prior Lake Spring Lake Targeted Water Quality BMP Installation Project | 92.2 | This project is a cooperative initiative between the Prior Lake Spring Lake Watershed District, the City of Prior Lake, and the Scott SWCD to implement 30 to 35 on-the-ground best management practices that will protect and improve water quality in Spring, Upper Prior and Lower Prior Lakes including shoreland buffers, grassed waterways, and native prairie. |
| 7 | C15-1438 | Pope SWCD | Pope | \$ 150,000 | \$ 150,000 | \$ 37,500 | 2015 Lake Minnewaska Targeted Sub Watershed Water and Sediment Control Project Phase II | 92.0 | This project will result in the installation of 22 water and sediment control structures in two priority sub watersheds with the potential to reduce sediment load by 514 tons per year and reduce phosphorus by 440 pounds of year. This will result in meeting 7 % of the phosphorus reduction goal for Lake Malmedahl, 11% of the phosphorus goal for Strandness, 40% of the Lake Emily phosphorus goal from flowage from Lake Minnewaska. |
| 8 | C15-8500 | Benton SWCD | Benton | \$ 705,000 | \$ 705,000 | \$ 176,250 | NE St Cloud Sediment Reduction Project | 91.9 | This project addresses the northeast St. Cloud drainage basin, an older part of town, with little to no stormwater treatment within the existing drainage system. The proposed projects are estimated to reduce sediment by approximately 11 tons which is 15% of the total drainage area loading. |
| 9 | C15-1978 | Clearwater River WD | Meeker | \$ 351,906 | \$ 351,906 | \$ 131,909 | Watkins Area Stormwater Treatment | 90.9 | Construction of a stormwater treatment facility to treat runoff from 6,500 acre urban and agricultural drainage area in and around the City of Watkins, MN. The result is an annual phosphorus reduction of 796 pounds to Lake Betsy, the Clearwater River, and the Clearwater River Chain of Lakes, as well as an oxygen demand reduction benefit of 10% for the Clearwater River. |
| 10 | C15-5748 | Becker SWCD | Becker | \$ 257,000 | \$ 257,000 | \$ 152,800 | South Branch Wild Rice Sediment Reduction Project | 90.7 | The South Branch Wild Rice Sediment Reduction Project will implement 45 erosion control structures and 40 acres of filter strips to reduce sediment loading to the South Branch of the Wild Rice River in Becker County. Fully implemented, this project stands to reduce sediment loads leaving the project area by 26% and reduce TSS in the Lower Wild Rice River by 7%. |
| 11 | C15-5947 | Polk , East SWCD | Polk | \$ 253,800 | \$ 253,800 | \$ 150,000 | Phase IV Sand Hill River Watershed Erosion BMP's | 90.6 | Phase IV is a continuation (since 2011) to install water and sediment basins located within Sand Hill Watershed. 50 water and sediment basins are proposed to be installed with sediment reduction estimates of 965 tons per year and phosphorus reduction estimates of 1,000 pounds per year. |
| 12 | C15-4698 | Goodhue SWCD | Goodhue and Wabasha | \$ 317,984 | \$ 317,984 | \$ 80,000 | Protecting and Restoring Water Quality in Mississippi River/Lake Pepin Watershed | 90.5 | This project will use a targeted approach to siting conservation efforts in the Mississippi River/Lake Pepin Watershed in Goodhue and Wabasha Counties, focusing on the construction of multiple targeted BMP's in priority areas which will provide measureable reductions in sediment and phosphorus loadings. |

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| 13 | C15-6848 | Carnelian-Marine-St. Croix WD | Washington | \$ 108,431 | \$ 108,431 | \$ 27,108 | Carnelian Marine St Croix Priority Lake TMDL Implementation – 75 Pound Phosphorus Load Reduction by 2017 | 89.4 | This project will implement watershed load reduction practices to restore the top priority water body in the Carnelian Marine St. Croix Watershed District. Proposed projects include two iron-enhanced sand filters, one sand filter, and one ravine stabilization. These projects, in total, will reduce annual phosphorus loads by 17 pounds to Goose Lake. |
| 14 | C15-6544 | Browns Creek WD | Washington | \$ 204,350 | \$ 204,350 | \$ 139,700 | Brown's Creek Improvement at Brown's Creek Park | 89.2 | Brown's Creek Watershed District is partnering with the City of Stillwater to reduce sediment and thermal loading to Brown's Creek from existing impervious gravel parking lot and paved roads to achieve water quality goals in this reach of the creek. |
| 15 | C15-7832 | Middle St. Croix River WMO | Washington | \$ 142,000 | \$ 142,000 | \$ 142,000 | Lake St. Croix Direct Discharge Stormwater Retrofits | 88.9 | This project will address the nutrient impairment of Lake St. Croix through the installation of targeted stormwater treatment best management practices as prioritized in the 2014 Lake St. Croix Direct Discharge Stormwater Retrofit Assessment. The goal is to install up to 16 Low Impact Development practices to reduce pollutant loading to Lake St. Croix by at least 8.0 pounds phosphorous and 2 tons of sediment. |
| 16 | C15-2843 | Snake River Watershed Management Board | Pine | \$ 312,025 | \$ 312,025 | \$ 78,006 | Snake River Watershed WRAPS based projects | 88.9 | The primary focus of this project is riparian restoration on 6.5 miles of targeted tributaries, ditches, and wetlands within five sub - watershed areas. These Best Management Practices are estimated to reduce phosphorus loading in the watershed by 1,230 pounds per year, which is a 6% reduction toward the phosphorus goal. In addition, sediment reduction is estimated at 123 tons per year, which is a 67% reduction toward the sediment goal. |
| 17 | C15-8417 | Scott SWCD | Scott | \$ 340,080 | \$ 125,000 | \$ 31,250 | Lower MN River Targeted Water Quality BMP Implementation Project | 88.5 | This project will result in constructing on-the-ground conservation practices in the targeted watersheds and near channel sources. Practices will include grade control structures, grass and lined waterways, water and sediment control basins, filter strips, native grasses/prairie, lakeshore and streambank stabilization, and alternative tile intakes. |
| 18 | C15-3594 | Le Sueur County | Le Sueur | \$ 325,240 | \$ 325,240 | \$ 81,335 | Lake Volney Targeted Restoration | 88.4 | The goal of the Lake Volney Targeted Restoration project is to improve the water quality draining to Lake Volney. The project consists of 8 priority areas that will have 14 Best Management Practices installed. |
| 19 | C15-9219 | Riley-Purgatory-Bluff Creek WD | Carver | \$ 233,400 | \$ 233,400 | \$ 58,350 | Lake Susan Watershed Treatment and Stormwater Reuse Enhancements | 87.9 | This is a joint grant application from the Riley-Purgatory-Bluff Creek Watershed District and the City of Chanhassen. The project has been identified as most cost effective for the watershed and will consist of modifying an outlet control structure at a higher elevation that will provide increased water quality treatment and the installation of a Minnesota Filter to treat dissolved phosphorus. |
| 20 | C15-7604 | St. Paul, City of | Ramsey | \$ 695,000 | \$ 695,000 | \$ 200,000 | Trout Brook Urban Stream Restoration - Phase II | 87.5 | This project will harvest storm water from the Trout Brook Interceptor storm sewer, remove sediment, and daylight the water to the surface stream and is anticipated to reduce phosphorus loading by 96 pounds per year, nitrogen by 960 pounds per year, and sediment by 16 tons per year. This restoration project also provides aquatic and terrestrial habitat in 1 of only 2 designated Metro Conservation Corridors within Saint Paul. |
| 21 | C15-8445 | Stearns SWCD | Stearns | \$ 137,050 | \$ 137,050 | \$ 34,263 | Cold Spring Southwest Stormwater Infiltration Project | 87.5 | The purpose of this project is to retrofit 24 acres of existing development within a 138 acre subcatchment to improve the water quality of Cold Spring Creek which is a designated trout stream. This project is a the first phase of a multiphase approach to provide stormwater treatment in the 138 acre subcatchment area. |
| 22 | C15-1992 | Carnelian-Marine-St. Croix WD | Washington | \$ 98,200 | \$ 98,200 | \$ 24,550 | Marine on St. Croix Innovative Stormwater Management Implementation – Phase 1 | 87.5 | This grant project will result in the design and construction of a series of water quality improvements including 18 rain gardens, 1 bio filtration basin, and 1 sand iron filter in Marine on St. Croix. |
| 23 | C15-6291 | Capitol Region WD | Ramsey | \$ 175,000 | \$ 175,000 | \$ 150,000 | Retrofitting the Oldest High School in MN | 87.5 | Capitol Region Watershed District is partnering with St. Paul Public Schools to implement a variety of Best Management Practices at Central High School that will improve the quality of stormwater discharged to the Mississippi River. Implementing the projects will reduce sediment by 86% and total phosphorus by 90% over the target area annually. Additionally, 95% of the stormwater volume generated in the project area during a one-inch storm will be treated through infiltration. |

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| 24 | C15-7306 | Ramsey Conservation District | Ramsey | \$ 59,766 | \$ 59,766 | \$ 15,000 | Lambert Creek Stream Bank Restoration Project 2015 | 87.3 | Lambert Creek discharges into East Vadnais Lake, which is the final impoundment reservoir containing the water supply that the Saint Paul Regional Water Services treats and then distributes to thirteen municipalities including the city of St. Paul. The restoration of this area will lead to a decrease of phosphorus by 8 pounds per year and sediment by 9 tons per year from entering the creek. |
| 25 | C15-0866 | Chippewa River Watershed Project | Pope | \$ 271,073 | \$ 271,073 | \$ 67,768 | Simon Lake and Lake Gilchrist Restoration and Protection in the Chippewa River Watershed | 87.2 | This purpose of this project is to implement 30 of the following best management practices: Stream-bank and shoreline restorations, prairie strip and buffer strips on highly erodible areas, critical seeding of perennial native species on vulnerable slopes, rotational grazing, exclusion fencing and alternative water sources. |
| 26 | C15-1304 | Isanti SWCD | Isanti | \$ 99,736 | \$ 99,736 | \$ 24,934 | Green Lakeshore Rehabilitation and Stormwater Treatment | 86.7 | This project will install nearly 800 linear feet of restored lakeshore on Green Lake with an emphasis on bioengineering techniques, native plants and buffers. By targeting properties that are eroding and/or with concentrated overland flow to the lake, sediment will be reduced by 8 tons per year and phosphorus will be reduced by approximately 1 per year. |
| 27 | C15-5327 | Capitol Region WD | Ramsey | \$ 200,000 | \$ 200,000 | \$ 50,000 | Stormwater Retrofits: East Kittsondale Subwatershed | 86.4 | This project will result in the implementation of a variety of cost-effective BMPs in the East Kittsondale subwatershed. Over 100 potential projects have been identified with over 700 BMP configurations to choose from. Capitol Region Watershed District will be selecting projects from the top 50% of the prioritized list. |
| 28 | C15-7364 | Browns Creek WD | Washington | \$ 32,250 | \$ 32,250 | \$ 10,750 | Long Lake - Stormwater Pond Retrofit | 86.3 | Partnering with the City of Oak Park Heights, Brown's Creek Watershed District will retrofit an existing stormwater pond to eliminate pond short circuiting and improve water quality in Long Lake. |
| 29 | C15-8972 | Chisago SWCD | Chisago | \$ 150,000 | \$ 150,000 | \$ 37,500 | Dry Creek Watershed Gully Stabilization Project | 86.2 | Two large, actively eroding gullies are contributing tremendous loads of phosphorus and sediment to the St. Croix River. Both of these perennial issues are located along the St. Croix River escarpment. Stabilizing these two gullies will greatly reduce the sediment and phosphorus loading to the St. Croix River, which will help meet the pollutant reduction goal of Lake St. Croix. |
| 30 | C15-8948 | Red Lake SWCD | Red Lake | \$ 277,500 | \$ 277,500 | \$ 69,375 | 2015 Cyr Creek, Black River, and Red Lake River Sub-Watersheds Water Quality Improvement Projects | 86.2 | Targeting priority reaches to the Red River, this project will include but is not limited to installing grade stabilization structures, grassed waterways, and water and sediment basins to correct the erosion that is occurring. The twelve proposed practices are estimated to result in a sediment reduction of 590 tons per year and a phosphorus reduction of 690 pounds per year. |
| 31 | C15-4412 | Middle Fork Crow River WD | Kandiyohi | \$ 176,000 | \$ 176,000 | \$ 52,434 | Diamond Lake TMDL Implementation Projects | 86.2 | The purpose of this project is to reduce the phosphorus loading to Diamond Lake through wetland restoration, water and sediment control basins, side inlet controls, and buffer strips. The reduction of phosphorus load associated with these practices is estimated to achieve 55 percent of the overall pollutant reduction goal. |
| 32 | C15-0452 | Nobles SWCD | Nobles | \$ 264,700 | \$ 264,700 | \$ 66,175 | 2015 - Rock River Bacterial Impairment Reduction Project | 85.5 | Environmental correction of a targeted concern identified as part of Level III animal agriculture inventories prioritized in a FY-2014 Clean Water Fund Accelerated Implementation Grant. This project will reduce bacterial loading by 87% off of this priority site. |
| 33 | C15-7249 | Wright SWCD | Wright | \$ 143,625 | \$ 143,625 | \$ 36,000 | Crow River Gully Stabilization to Reduce Turbidity Phase Two | 85.5 | This project will reduce the amount of sediment (225 tons per year) and phosphorus (250 pounds per year) being exported from the targeted stretch of the Crow River by constructing grade stabilization structures and water and sediment control basins at the headward eroding tops of these gullies. |
| 34 | C15-8106 | Benton SWCD | Benton;Morrison | \$ 227,500 | \$ 227,500 | \$ 56,875 | Little Rock Lake TMDL Implementation Project | 85.1 | This project is a continuation of a 2012 clean water fund grant. The purpose of this project is to continue implementation strategies at numerous sites to continue cleaning up Little Rock Lake. |
| 35 | C15-2077 | Olmsted SWCD | Olmsted | \$ 400,000 | \$ 400,000 | \$ 100,000 | Using Wetland Creation and Natural Stream Channel Restoration to Provide Water Quality Improvement and Protection for the South Branch Cascade Creek | 84.7 | The purpose of this project is to construct wetland basins on the Meadow Lake Golf Course to provide water quality improvement on a previously untreated branch that flows into the upper end of Cascade Creek. The wetland basins created will provide stormwater treatment, sediment storage and flood attenuation that will complement the overall South Branch of Cascade Creek project. |

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| 36 | C15-9237 | Red Lake SWCD | Red Lake | \$ 202,500 | \$ 66,263 | \$ 16,566 | 2015 Terrebonne Creek, Beau Gerlot Creek, and Lower Badger Creek Sub-Watersheds Water Quality Improvement Projects | 84.5 | The Clearwater River is sediment impaired. The five proposed conservation practices are estimated to result in a sediment reduction of 123 tons per year and a phosphorus reduction of 118 pounds per year to the Clearwater River. |
| | | | | Total | \$ 9,250,000 | \$ 3,163,435 | | | |

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