



Urban Farm Conservation Mini-Grant 2025 Request for Proposals

Applications due by 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 30, 2025

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This program is funded by the Minnesota Natural Resources Conservation Service.



Grant Summary

Overview

The Urban Farm Conservation Mini-Grant program, administered by the Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA), offers up to \$5,000 for commercial urban farmers in Minnesota to implement conservation practices.

The intent of this grant program is to support commercial urban farmers to pay for equipment, materials, and services they may need to manage their farm's soil, water, and plant and animal life with conservation in mind. Learn more about [conservation basics](#) for farmers and landowners from the funder of this grant, the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Natural Resources Conservation Services (NRCS).

Through this grant, urban farmers will be able to pay for conservation-related efforts including but not limited to:

- Soil improvement
 - Soil testing including for nutrients, biology, and contaminants
 - Urban farm composting facilities
 - Multi-species cover cropping
 - Specialty crop rotations
 - Reduced tillage practices
 - Raised bed systems including soil and compost
- Water management
 - Micro irrigation systems
 - Mulching with natural materials
 - Rain barrels and rainwater management
- Plant and animal health
 - Pollinator mixes for plant cover
 - Perennial vegetation including field borders
 - Conservation-minded weed treatment
 - Low tunnel systems
 - Urban forestry

Funds available

Applicants may request between \$500 and \$5,000. The MDA expects to award approximately \$75,000 through this grant program.

A match (cost share) is not required, but a voluntary match may be provided by applicants. This is a contribution of resources that helps carry out the proposed work. Your entity may provide a voluntary match up to 25% of the requested funds. A match may be achieved with contributions of cash, staff time, services, materials, equipment, or third-party in-kind contributions.

Note: Grant funds are dispersed on a reimbursement basis. A grantee will need pay for their expenses up front and then request reimbursement with proof of payment for expenses.

Eligibility

Eligible applicants

Entities that 1) Grow or raise farm products in an urban setting, and 2) sell those farm products, are eligible. This includes but is not limited to:

- For-profit businesses
- Nonprofit organizations
- Native American tribal communities
- Local government entities

Applicants must be:

- A commercial farm, meaning they sell at least \$1,000 of their farm products annually. (see [Definitions](#) for “commercial farm” and “selling farm products”).
- Based in a Minnesota location that meets one of the following criteria:
 - Farming within the municipal boundaries of a Minnesota town with a population over 5,000, or
 - Farming within the boundaries of federally recognized tribal land and serving tribal community members, regardless of population size.
- Able to provide proof of earning less than \$300,000 in agricultural sales per year for the past three calendar years (2021-2023).
- In good standing with the State of Minnesota:
 - No back taxes owed.
 - No defaults on Minnesota state-backed financing for the last seven years.
 - Acceptable performance on past MDA grants.
 - Compliant with current state regulations.
- Not be an employee or spouse of an employee of the MDA.

Note: Only one application per farm will be accepted.

Priority will be given to urban farms that are located within a disadvantaged or distressed community, as determined by using this [map tool](#) from USDA Rural Development.

It is the policy of the State of Minnesota to ensure fairness, precision, equity, and consistency in competitive grant awards. This includes implementing diversity and inclusion in grantmaking. [Policy 08-02: Rating Criteria for Competitive Grant Review \(PDF\)](#) sets up the expectation that grant programs intentionally show how the grant serves diverse populations, especially populations experiencing inequities or disparities.

Eligible expenses

Through this grant, urban farmers can pay for the following items as needed for carrying out conservation practices:

- Equipment and tools
- Supplies and materials, such as raised bed materials; hoops and covers for low tunnels; mulch; etc., that contribute towards the conservation practices
- Fees for services such as soil testing or contractor support to carry out the project work
- Perennial plants and seeds needed to carry out conservation practices

Urban farm conservation-related efforts that would be a good fit for this grant program include but aren't limited to:

- Soil improvement
 - Soil testing including for nutrients, biology, and contaminants
 - Urban farm composting facilities
 - Multi-species cover cropping
 - Specialty crop rotations
 - Reduced tillage practices
 - Raised bed systems including soil and compost
- Water management
 - Micro irrigation systems
 - Mulching with natural materials
 - Rain barrels and rainwater management
- Plant and animal health
 - Pollinator mixes for plant cover
 - Perennial vegetation including field borders
 - Conservation-minded weed treatment
 - Low tunnel systems
 - Urban forestry

If an applicant wants to propose a conservation practice not on this list, they could justify it by linking it to an [NRCS-defined resource concern](#) and explaining the practice in their application.

Ineligible expenses

The grant will not fund:

- High tunnels or hoop houses (see the [NRCS Environmental Quality Incentives Program \(EQIP\)](#) for potential funding)
- Post harvest infrastructure
- Land or property purchases
- Urban farm staff time

Ineligible expenses include but are not limited to:

- Expenditures incurred before the grant agreement is signed by all parties.
- Donations and in-kind services or contributions, including property and services, made by the applicant (regardless of the recipient).
- Fines, penalties, and other settlement expenses resulting from failure of the applicant to follow federal, state, local, or tribal nation laws and regulations.
- Entertainment, amusement, diversion, social activities, gifts, or any costs directly associated with such purchases (such as tickets to shows or sports events, meals, lodging, rentals, transportation, alcohol, and gratuities).
- Fundraising, including financial campaigns, solicitation of gifts and bequests, and similar expenses incurred to raise capital or obtain contributions, regardless of purpose for which funds will be used.
- Taxes, except sales tax on goods and services.
- Bad debts, late payment fees, finance charges, legal costs, or contingency funds.
- Parking or traffic violations.
- Out of state transportation and travel expenses. Minnesota will be considered the home state for deciding whether travel is out of state.

How to Apply and Grant Timeline

Key dates

Wednesday, November 20, 2024.....	Application period opens
Thursday, January 23, 2025.....	Deadline to submit questions about grant
Thursday, January 30, 2025, 4 p.m. Central Time (CT).....	Applications due
March 2025 (estimated).....	Applicants notified of decisions

How to apply

Apply for the Urban Farm Conservation Mini-Grant using the MDA's [online application system](#).

- If you're a new user, you need to create an account first.
- Reference this [how-to guide](#) if you have questions while setting up your account.
- Once you're logged in, select "Urban Farm Conservation Mini-Grant."
- Contact us if you need this information in a different format.

Applications are due **by 4 p.m. CT on Thursday, January 30, 2025**.

You will receive a confirmation email after submitting your application. Contact the MDA if you do not receive this confirmation email.

The MDA is not responsible for any technical or logistical problems resulting in not receiving your application or additional grant communication. It is your responsibility to ensure that the MDA receives your application and to check on the status of your grant application.

Submitting questions

For questions on the grant program or application, submit them in writing **by Thursday, January 23, 2025**, to Emily Toner at emily.toner@state.mn.us.

Questions from the public about this program will be posted with answers on the grant webpage to ensure transparency and access to the same information for all potential applicants. MDA employees are not authorized to give advice or feedback on any application. Applicants who solicit or receive advice from unauthorized MDA employees may be disqualified from eligibility for a grant award.

For help with the online application system, email Emily Toner or call her at 651-201-6034.

Application guidelines and tips

- Use plain, easily understood language. Write for reviewers who have general knowledge but may not have a thorough or deep understanding of your farm.
- Answer all questions completely.
- Review the [Application Evaluation Profile](#) included in this document. It is used to score and compare grant applications.
- Make sure your budget is realistic and includes only eligible items. Write a detailed budget narrative that clearly explains how the money will be spent. More detail is better than less.
- We will not accept late applications. Apply early so there is enough time to get help with the application process if you need it. It's best practice to submit your application at least 24 hours in advance.

Application Evaluation Profile

Yes / No Eligibility

- Farm of the applicant is located in an urban area or tribal nation in Minnesota.
- Applicant sold at least \$1,000 of their farm products in the most recent year.
- Applicant earned less than \$300,000 in agricultural sales per year for the past three years (2021-2023).

Urban Farm Conservation Mini-Grant evaluation criteria	Points possible
<p>Project purpose</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The suggested work aligns with conservation outcomes for urban farming. (10 pts) • Applicant clearly explains the conservation-related practices to be carried out with the funds. (10 pts) 	20
<p>Impact on urban farm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suggested use for the funds will result in clear impacts for the urban farm. (10 pts) • Applicant shows past engagement with sustainable farming practices. (5 pts) 	15
<p>Urban farm is located in a disadvantaged or distressed community.</p>	10
<p>Work plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant clearly explains the steps needed to carry out the proposed work. (10 pts) • Applicant lays out a realistic timeline for completing each part of the work. (5 pts) 	15
<p>Budget</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant includes a detailed budget and all costs are clearly explained. (5 pts) • Budget shows evidence of being based on quotes or other cited costs. (5 pts) • The grant funds are important for the completion of the project. (5 pts) • Applicant indicates they will provide a voluntary match up to 25% of the amount of requested funds. (5 pts) 	20
<p>Total</p>	80

Both the review committee and commissioner may consider geographic distribution, diversity in agricultural enterprise, applicant’s history as a state grantee, and capacity to perform the work in their decisions.

Application Definitions and Questions

Definitions

Commercial farm – means a farm from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were produced and sold, or normally would have been sold, during the year.

Conservation practices – means a variety of actions an urban farm may want to carry out to address concerns related to the health of soil, water, plants and animals, and other resources.

Disadvantaged community – is a census tract-based geographic designation developed by the [Climate and Economic Justice Screening Tool \(CEJST\)](#), from the White House Council on Environmental Quality. Census tracts are considered disadvantaged if they meet the thresholds for at least one of the CEJST’s eight categories of burden: Climate, Energy, Health, Housing, Legacy Pollution, Transportation, Water and Wastewater, or Workforce Development.

Distressed community – is a zip code-based geographic designation which identifies communities where their economic wellbeing is significantly lower than other communities. This designation is determined using the [Distressed Communities Index \(DCI\)](#), developed by the Economic Innovation Group. The DCI combines seven publicly-available metrics to assess the economic well-being of communities including percent of the population 25 years and older without a high school degree and percent of the population living under the poverty line.

Selling farm products – means keeping, offering, or exposing food for sale or use; transporting, transferring, negotiating, soliciting, or exchanging food; having in possession with intent to sell, use, transport, negotiate, solicit, or exchange food; storing, manufacturing, producing, processing, packing, and holding of food for sale; dispensing or giving food; or supplying or applying food in the conduct of any food operation or carrying food in aid of traffic in food whether done or permitted in person or through others.

Urban farm – means an entity growing crops or raising livestock within the municipal boundaries of a Minnesota town of population 5,000 or more people; or within the boundaries of federally recognized tribal land and serving tribal community members, regardless of population size. Activities related to aquaculture and apiculture are also part of this definition. See the [Appendix](#) for list of locations which meet this urban farm definition.

Application questions

Contact and entity information

- Point of contact name
- Job title
- Phone number
- Email address
- Entity name
- Entity type (select one):
 - For-profit business
 - Nonprofit organization
 - Tribal organization
 - Municipality
 - School or university
 - Other. If other, please explain.
- Entity address
- Farm address (if different)
- Minnesota county where urban farm is located (choose from dropdown menu)
- Mailing address (if different)

Authorized representative

- If awarded a grant, is the person authorized to sign contracts on behalf of the organization the same as the point of contact person listed above? (Yes/No)
- If no, please provide the following Authorized Representative information for signing any resulting grant contract agreement:
 - Name
 - Title
 - Authorized representative phone number
 - Authorized representative email

Eligibility

Confirm that the following statements apply to you and/or your entity.

- This application is for an urban farm located in the state of Minnesota, including tribal lands. (Yes)
 - Select from dropdown menu the urban area or tribal land where the farm is located.
- I/We sold at least \$1,000 of agricultural products from this urban farm in the previous calendar year. (True)
- I/We earned less than \$300,000 in agricultural sales per year for the past three calendar years (2021-2023) and can provide documentation to prove this. (True)

- I/We do not owe the State of Minnesota any back taxes and have not defaulted on any State of Minnesota-backed financing in the last seven years. (True)
- My entity is compliant with current state regulations. (True)
- I attest that I have the authority to apply on behalf of the entity and no other application is being submitted from this entity for the Urban Farm Conservation Mini-Grant. (Yes)
- I attest that none of the entity's staff with authority to access grant funds have been convicted of a felony financial crime in the last 10 years. (Yes)
- I understand that if my application is successful, the MDA cannot reimburse for any expenses incurred or work performed prior to the start date of the contract (expected to be March/April 2025). (Yes)
- I am not an employee of the MDA or spouse of an MDA employee. (Yes)

About your urban farm

- Farm name (if applicable):
- Farm website (if available):
- Describe your urban farm. (800 character limit)
- What crops do you grow or intend to grow?
 - Barley
 - Beans, edible
 - Corn, field corn
 - Corn, sweet corn
 - Hay
 - Hemp, industrial
 - Herbs and spices
 - Flowers
 - Fruit
 - Medicinal plants
 - Nursery crops
 - Oats
 - Soybeans
 - Sugar beets
 - Sunflower, for oil
 - Tree nuts
 - Wheat
 - Vegetables
 - Other (please list):
 - Not growing crops

- What livestock do you raise or intend to raise?
 - Aquaculture
 - Bees/honey
 - Cattle/calves
 - Dairy
 - Fish/aquaculture
 - Goats
 - Hogs
 - Poultry/eggs
 - Sheep
 - Other (please list):
 - Not raising livestock
- Where do you sell your farm products? (400 character limit)

Project purpose

- Grant funds requested (minimum \$500, maximum \$5,000).
- Select one or more natural resource conservation concerns that you would address with this grant:
 - Soil and land improvement, includes practices such as:
 - Soil testing including for nutrients, biology, and contaminants
 - Urban farm composting facilities
 - Multi-species cover cropping
 - Specialty crop rotations
 - Reduced tillage practices
 - Raised bed systems including soil and compost
 - Water management, includes practices such as:
 - Micro irrigation systems
 - Mulching with natural materials
 - Rain barrels and rainwater management
 - Plant and animal health, includes practices such as:
 - Pollinator mixes for plant cover
 - Perennial vegetation including field borders
 - Conservation-minded weed treatment
 - Low tunnel systems
 - Urban forestry
 - Invasive species and pest control
 - Wildlife habitat cultivation
 - Air quality improvement or greenhouse gas reduction
 - Other, please explain.

- Explain the conservation practices that you would implement for your urban farm with the grant funds. Give a detailed explanation of the work that these funds would enable and how that fits with the goals for your urban farm. Keep in mind that these funds are specifically intended for urban farmers to implement practices with conservation outcomes. (1,200 character limit)

Impact on urban farm

- Explain how these conservation practices can provide a “sustained and significant” impact for the future of your urban farm. Sustained means for more than one year and significant means a meaningful improvement. If possible, give one or more measurable impacts these conservation practices will result in for your urban farm. Examples of measurable impacts include labor hours/staff time saved with improved efficiency, water usage reduction, reduction in water runoff, saving money, or other type of quantified change. (1,200 character limit)
- Describe the sustainable or conservation-minded farming practices that occurred at this urban farm in the past. (800 character limit)

Priority audience

Using this [map tool](#), check if your urban farm address is in a shaded area and answer the following question:

- Is your urban farm located in a disadvantaged or distressed community as defined on the USDA Rural Development map? Yes/No

Work plan

- Expected start date for using these funds. (No earlier than April 2025)
- Expected end date for completing use of the funds.
- Use the work plan table to explain the steps needed to carry out the conservation practices described in your project’s purpose. Include specific dates by which each step would ideally be completed. (10 rows available; example below)

Timeframe	Description of task or action	Responsible party
April 2025	Order micro irrigation equipment	Self
May 2025	Install micro irrigation equipment	Farm manager

Budget

- Complete a budget table detailing all expenses that will be paid for by the grant funds. The budget table should reflect the total grant funds requested. (15 rows available; example below)

Item	Quantity	Cost per item	Total amount	Source of estimate
Drip irrigation kit, 1000’	5	\$198	\$990	ABC Garden Supplies
Digital hose end timer	5	\$52	\$260	ABC Garden Supplies

Budget narrative

- Explain why each expense listed in the budget table is necessary for your proposed conservation practices. This information can be written into the application text box and you may also upload an attachment. (1,200-character limit)
- Describe the necessity for grant funding to complete this project. Where applicable, note what other funds and resources besides this grant will be used. (500 character limit)
- Will your entity provide any match to the grant award? (Yes/No)

This is a contribution of resources that helps carry out the proposed work. A match (cost share) is not required for this grant. However, your entity may provide a voluntary match up to 25% of the requested funds. A match may be achieved with contributions of cash, staff time, services, materials, equipment, or third-party in-kind contributions.

- If yes, briefly describe the match.
- Have you previously applied for any grant(s) from any source for a similar purpose? (Yes/No)
 - If yes, briefly describe your previous grant(s) including funding source, grant purpose, date, and amount awarded.

Application Review and Selection

Review process

A review committee made up of MDA staff and external reviewers evaluates all eligible applications based on the criteria in the [Application Evaluation Profile](#). Reviewers may recommend whole or partial funding of a project. The commissioner of agriculture reviews the committee recommendations and makes the award decisions. Both the review committee and commissioner may consider geographic distribution, diversity in agricultural enterprise, applicant's history as a state grantee, and capacity to perform the work in their decisions.

We will notify applicants, both successful and unsuccessful, in writing. Applicants may request a summary of reviewer comments.

Conflicts of interest

State grant policy requires that steps and procedures are in place to prevent individual and organizational conflicts of interest, both in reference to applicants and reviewers ([MINN. STAT.16B.98](#) and [Conflict of Interest Policy for State Grantmaking, 2022 \(Word\)](#)).

In cases where a conflict of interest is suspected, disclosed, or discovered, the applicant or grantee will be notified and actions may be pursued, including but not limited to disqualification from eligibility for the grant award or termination of the grant agreement.

Privacy notice and data classification

The information provided by an applicant will be used to assess the applicant's eligibility to receive a grant under this program. The decision to apply for this grant is voluntary, and applicants are not legally required to provide any of the requested information. Applicants may decline to complete this application without any legal consequence. However, only completed applications will be considered for a grant; incomplete applications will not be considered.

Data provided in this application is initially classified by the Minnesota Data Practices Act as private or nonpublic, although some or all of the data will generally become public at various points of the application process unless the data are otherwise classified by state or federal law. Access to private or nonpublic data is limited to those authorized by law, including but not necessarily limited to MDA staff and contractors with a valid work assignment to access the data, parties authorized by the applicant, parties identified in a valid court order or federal subpoena, Minnesota Management and Budget, Minnesota Department of Administration, the state auditor, and the legislative auditor. If necessary, the MDA may also share the data with law enforcement or the Office of the Attorney General.

Per Minnesota's statute on grants ([MINN. STAT. 13.599](#)):

- Names and addresses of grant applicants, and the grant amount requested, will be public data once application responses are opened.
- All remaining data in application responses (except for data otherwise classified by law, including trade secret information, see below) becomes public data after the evaluation process is completed (for the purposes of this grant, when all grant agreements have been fully executed).
- All data created or maintained by the MDA as part of the evaluation process (except trade secret information, see below) will generally be public data after the evaluation process is completed.

Procedure for claiming protection of trade secrets:

Trade secret information is classified as not public data. In order to qualify as trade secret information, the data in question must be provided to the MDA by the affected person (i.e. the data must be about the applicant) and otherwise meet the legal definition found in statute ([MINN. STAT. 13.37, subd. 1\(b\)](#)). In order for an applicant to assert trade secret protection for data submitted as part of this application: the applicant must: 1) clearly identify the specific formula, pattern, compilation, program, device, method, technique or process that the applicant believes to be trade secret information; 2) describe what efforts the applicant takes to maintain the secrecy of the data; and 3) adequately explain how the data derive(s) independent economic value from not being generally known to, and not readily ascertainable by proper means by, other persons. Merely asserting trade secret protection does not, in and of itself, classify the data in question as not public; determining what data meet the definition of trade secret information is ultimately the legal responsibility of the MDA, and the MDA cannot guarantee that data identified as trade secret information by an applicant will be classified as such. If the MDA determines that data do not meet the definition of trade secret information, the data in question will be available to the public unless the applicant secures a court order saying otherwise.

All persons, businesses, and individuals applying for grants in the state of Minnesota must comply with applicable laws. Under the law titled Right of Setoff ([MINN STAT 270C.65, subd. 3](#)), a grantee consents to disclosure of its social security number, federal employer tax identification number, and/or Minnesota tax identification number, already provided to the State, to federal and state tax agencies, and to state personnel involved in the payment of state obligations. These identification numbers may be used in the enforcement of federal and state tax laws which could result in action requiring a grantee to file state tax returns and pay delinquent state tax liabilities, if any.

Requirements for Grant Recipients

Grant award agreement and payments

Grant contract agreement templates are available for review on the [Office of Grants Management Forms and FAQs](#) webpage.

Upon approval of an application and before beginning work on the grant project and receiving reimbursements, the applicant must:

- Complete an IRS W-9 form or register as a vendor in SWIFT, the state's accounting system, or confirm that the information in SWIFT is still correct.
 - Awardees may decide if funds are dispersed to the individual applicant or the farm entity.
- Submit other required documentation within 30 days of award notification.
- Submit documentation to meet the pre-award financial review requirements.
- Sign a grant contract agreement showing their intention to complete the proposed tasks. The agreement also authorizes the MDA to monitor the progress of the project. This agreement must be signed within 30 days of being sent to the grantee.

Eligible expenses may only be incurred after the contract has been signed by all parties. Grant contracts will last no more than two years and cannot be extended.

Payments

Grant funds are dispersed on a reimbursement basis. All grantee requests for reimbursement must correspond to the approved grant budget. To receive grant payments, grantees must provide proof that grant project work has been done by submitting details of each purchase on receipts or invoices, and proof that the vendors have been paid.

Accountability and reporting

The grantee must submit an annual report each year of the grant, the deadline for the report will be included in the award contract. A final report must be submitted prior to receiving final payment. Annual and final reports must include a summary of project results to-date, impact of the grant program, and three to five photos of the project. The MDA reserves the right to modify reporting requirements during the project. Information submitted in any report or survey will be a public record.

The MDA conducts follow-up surveys to help us determine the long-term impacts of the grant. Grantees must respond to requests for follow-up information for three years beyond the term of the grant agreement. Failure to respond to these promptly may affect your ability to secure future funding from the MDA.

Audits of project

The grantee's books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices of the grantee or other party that are relevant to the grant or transaction are subject to examination by the granting agency and either the legislative auditor or the state auditor, as appropriate ([MINN. STAT. 16B.98, subd. 8](#)). This requirement will last for a minimum of six years from the grant agreement end date; receipt and approval of all final reports; or the required period of time to satisfy all state and program retention requirements, whichever is later.

Other requirements

Bidding requirements

All funded applicants will be required to abide by the state's bidding requirements for larger purchases. See a detailed list of the state's [bidding requirements](#) for details.

Publicity

All projects funded must publicly credit MDA and NRCS funding, including on the grantee's website when practical.

Affirmative action and non-discrimination policy

The grantee agrees not to discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, status in regard to public assistance, membership or activity in a local commission, disability, sexual orientation, or age in regard to any position for which the employee or applicant for employment is qualified ([MINN. STAT. 363A.02](#)). The grantee agrees to take affirmative steps to employ, advance in employment, upgrade, train, and recruit minority persons, women, and persons with disabilities.

The grantee must not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of physical or mental disability in regard to any position for which the employee or applicant for employment is qualified. The grantee agrees to take affirmative action to employ, advance in employment, and otherwise treat qualified disabled persons without discrimination based upon their physical or mental disability in all employment practices such as the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment, advertising, layoff or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training, including apprenticeship ([Minnesota Rules, part 5000.3500](#)).

The grantee agrees to comply with the rules and relevant orders of the Minnesota Department of Human Rights issued pursuant to the [Minnesota Human Rights Act](#).

Voter registration requirement

If the grantee is a state agency, community-based public agency, or nonprofit corporation, they will provide voter registration services for its employees ([MINN. STAT. 201.162](#)).

Appendix: Eligible urban areas and tribal lands

City	County
Albert Lea	Freeborn
Albertville	Wright
Alexandria	Douglas
Andover	Anoka
Anoka	Anoka
Apple Valley	Dakota
Arden Hills	Ramsey
Austin	Mower
Baldwin (township)	Sherburne
Baxter	Crow Wing
Becker (township)	Sherburne
Belle Plaine	Scott
Bemidji	Beltrami
Big Lake	Sherburne
Big Lake (township)	Sherburne
Blaine	Anoka
Bloomington	Hennepin
Brainerd	Crow Wing
Brooklyn Center	Hennepin
Brooklyn Park	Hennepin
Buffalo	Wright
Burnsville	Dakota
Byron	Olmsted
Cambridge	Isanti
Carver	Carver
Champlin	Hennepin
Chanhassen	Carver
Chaska	Carver
Chisago City	Chisago
Circle Pines	Anoka
Cloquet	Carlton
Columbia Heights	Anoka
Coon Rapids	Anoka
Corcoran	Hennepin
Cottage Grove	Washington
Credit River (township)	Scott
Crookston	Polk
Crystal	Hennepin
Dayton	Hennepin
Delano	Wright
Detroit Lakes	Becker
Duluth	St. Louis
Eagan	Dakota

City	County
East Bethel	Anoka
East Grand Forks	Polk
Eden Prairie	Hennepin
Edina	Hennepin
Elk River	Sherburne
Fairmont	Martin
Falcon Heights	Ramsey
Faribault	Rice
Farmington	Dakota
Fergus Falls	Otter Tail
Forest Lake	Washington
Fridley	Anoka
Glencoe	McLeod
Golden Valley	Hennepin
Grand Rapids	Itasca
Ham Lake	Anoka
Hastings	Dakota
Hermantown	St. Louis
Hibbing	St. Louis
Hopkins	Hennepin
Hugo	Washington
Hutchinson	McLeod
International Falls	Koochiching
Inver Grove Heights	Dakota
Isanti	Isanti
Jordan	Scott
Kasson	Dodge
La Crescent	Houston
Lake City	Goodhue, Wabasha
Lake Elmo	Washington
Lakeville	Dakota
Lino Lakes	Anoka
Linwood (township)	Anoka
Litchfield	Meeker
Little Canada	Ramsey
Little Falls	Morrison
Livonia (township)	Sherburne
Mahtomedi	Washington
Mankato	Blue Earth
Maple Grove	Hennepin
Maplewood	Ramsey
Marshall	Lyon
Medina	Hennepin

City	County
Mendota Heights	Dakota
Minneapolis	Hennepin
Minnetonka	Hennepin
Minnetrista	Hennepin
Montevideo	Chippewa
Monticello	Wright
Moorhead	Clay
Morris	Stevens
Mound	Hennepin
Mounds View	Ramsey
New Brighton	Ramsey
New Hope	Hennepin
New Prague	Le Sueur, Scott
New Ulm	Brown
North Branch	Chisago
North Mankato	Nicollet
North Oaks	Ramsey
North St. Paul	Ramsey
Northfield	Rice
Oak Grove	Anoka
Oakdale	Washington
Orono	Hennepin
Otsego	Wright
Owatonna	Steele
Plymouth	Hennepin
Prior Lake	Scott
Ramsey	Anoka
Red Wing	Goodhue
Redwood Falls	Redwood
Richfield	Hennepin
Robbinsdale	Hennepin
Rochester	Olmsted
Rogers	Hennepin
Rosemount	Dakota
Roseville	Ramsey
Sartell	Stearns
Sauk Rapids	Benton
Savage	Scott
Shakopee	Scott
Shoreview	Ramsey
Shorewood	Hennepin
South St. Paul	Dakota
Spring Lake Park	Anoka
St. Anthony	Hennepin
St. Cloud	Benton, Sherburne, Stearns

City	County
St. Francis	Anoka
St. Joseph	Stearns
St. Louis Park	Hennepin
St. Michael	Wright
St. Paul	Ramsey
St. Paul Park	Washington
St. Peter	Nicollet
Stewartville	Olmsted
Stillwater	Washington
Thief River Falls	Pennington
Thomson (township)	Carlton
Vadnais Heights	Ramsey
Victoria	Carver
Virginia	St. Louis
Waconia	Carver
Waite Park	Stearns
Waseca	Waseca
West St. Paul	Dakota
White Bear Lake	Ramsey
White Bear (township)	Ramsey
Willmar	Kandiyohi
Winona	Winona
Woodbury	Washington
Worthington	Nobles
Wyoming	Chisago
Zimmerman	Sherburne

Anishinaabe Reservations

Bois Forte Reservation

Fond du Lac Reservation

Grand Portage Reservation

Leech Lake Reservation

Mille Lacs Reservation

Red Lake Reservation

White Earth Reservation

Dakota Communities

Lower Sioux Indian Community

Prairie Island Indian Community

Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community

Upper Sioux Community