

Support the Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure (BDPI) Grant

The BDPI grant program provides grants to cities and counties in greater Minnesota of up to 50% of the capital costs of the public infrastructure necessary to expand economic development, retain or create jobs, or increase the tax base (§116J.431). Greater Minnesota cities, in particular, depend on this grant program to **attract new businesses** and **create jobs** in their communities.

BDPI Quick Facts:

- 80 greater Minnesota cities have received BDPI grants since 2003*
- Approximately 2370 jobs have been created*
- Nearly \$130 million in total investments—a 4-to-1 return*
- \$32 million appropriated by the legislature since 2003; over \$31 million additional requests unfunded*
- Small grant amounts: \$250k – \$500k on average

*Source: DEED

This program has an **outstanding return** on investment.

—DEED, State of Minnesota 2010 Preliminary Capital Budget Requests, 7/15/2009

One of DEED's **best programs.**

—Minnesota Management and Budget Director Tom Hanson, press conference regarding governor's 2010 bonding bill requests, 1/15/10

Sample greater MN cities that have put BDPI grant to good use:

Benson \$350k grant in 2004 helped develop \$200 million Fibrominn biomass power plant
➔ 41 new jobs created

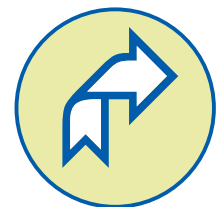
Grand Rapids \$522k (2 grants) helped develop industrial park
➔ 35 new jobs created, including 27 for developmentally disabled adults

Perham \$250k grant in 2009 helped secure hospital in city
➔ Retained 415 jobs; created 25 new jobs

Alexandria \$300k grant in 2004 helped develop industrial park
➔ 42 new, full-time jobs created

Cannon Falls \$250k grant in 2008 helped create industrial park
➔ 16 new, full-time jobs created

Complete grant award list on back



Support the Greater Minnesota BDPI grant and help grow greater Minnesota's economy.

BPDI Grant Awards

City	Amount	Year	City	Amount	Year	City	Amount	Year
Ada	166,783	2003	Grand Marais	499,137	2005	New Ulm	61,649	2008
Albany	515,309	2005	Grand Rapids	272,074	2005	New Ulm	139,031	2008
Albert Lea	72,489	2009	Grand Rapids	250,000	2008	North Branch	387,787	2003
Albert Lea	177,510	2009	Green Isle	76,036	2003	North Branch	304,222	2005
Alexandria	300,000	2003	Hallock	300,000	2006	North Mankato	250,000	2008
Audubon	19,600	2003	Harmony	191,768	2003	Olivia	164,405	2003
Austin	380,000	2003	Hartland	25,000	2009	Osakis	383,139	2006
Belgrade	136,913	2005	Hawley	122,500	2005	Perham	122,725	2003
Bemidji	350,000	2006	Herman	143,900	2007	Perham	250,000	2009
Bemidji	250,000	2008	Heron Lake	500,000	2005	Pine City	53,476	2003
Benson	347,066	2004	Hibbing	250,000	2009	Pine River	164,049	2005
Bigfork	250,000	2008	Hutchinson	250,000	2009	Pipestone	499,907	2005
Bovey	192,000	2006	Isle	250,000	2009	Redwood Falls	250,000	2008
Brainerd	375,000	2006	Jackson	351,280	2005	Richmond	121,799	2008
Brewster	81,495	2003	La Crescent	1,400,000	2006	Rockville	152,734	2005
Brewster	250,000	2008	Lake Crystal	500,000	2003	Roseau	378,000	2003
Browerville	175,000	2008	Lake Crystal	257,547	2006	Roseau	300,000	2008
Cannon Falls	213,219	2008	Lakefield	198,000	2008	Silver Bay	261,354	2003
Cannon Falls	36,780	2008	Le Sueur	358,127	2003	St. Cloud	286,710	2005
Cloquet	280,000	2003	Le Sueur	250,000	2008	St. James	209,600	2003
Cohasset	352,000	2005	Litchfield	261,900	2005	St. James	250,000	2008
Cold Spring	392,752	2005	Little Falls	500,000	2005	Thief River Falls	273,800	2006
Cold Spring	300,000	2006	Long Prairie	500,000	2005	Tower	249,980	2006
Coleraine	173,425	2006	Luverne	500,000	2003	Truman	170,676	2005
Cottonwood	140,768	2005	Mankato	500,000	2005	Truman	52,681	2005
Crookston	175,737	2006	Mankato	21,313	2006	Virginia	300,000	2006
Detroit Lakes	250,000	2009	Mankato	478,686	2006	Virginia	284,750	2009
Duluth	250,000	2008	Mankato	238,350	2008	Virginia	193,143	2009
Duluth/Cirrus	500,000	2005	Mankato	11,649	2008	Virginia	6,856	2009
Duluth/St. Mary's	500,000	2005	Mazeppa	265,000	2008	Wanamingo	222,375	2003
Elk River	360,080	2005	Melrose	400,000	2003	Winona	490,000	2005
Faribault	86,001	2003	Milaca	68,310	2003	Winona	300,000	2006
Faribault	278,425	2005	Moorhead	500,000	2003	Winona	337,500	2008
Faribault	500,000	2008	Mora	56,995	2006	Winthrop	500,000	2008
Fergus Falls	300,000	2006	Mountain Iron	200,000	2009	Wyoming	1,000,000	2003
Freeport	388,482	2006	Murdock	343,000	2008	Wyoming	500,000	2006
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