

ML2017/FY2018 LSOHC Funding Recommendations - Results of December 14, 2016 Council Meeting

| Proposal ID | Proposal Title | Organization | Original Funding Request | LSOHC Recommended Funding Amount |
|-------------|---|--|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2(a) | DNR WMA and SNA Acquisition - Phase IX | MN DNR | \$ 15,000,000 | \$ 4,437,000 |
| 2(b) | Accelerating the Wildlife Management Area Program - Phase IX | Pheasants Forever, Inc. | \$ 18,814,000 | \$ 5,603,000 |
| 2(c) | MN Prairie Recovery Project - Phase VII | The Nature Conservancy | \$ 3,778,300 | \$ 1,901,000 |
| 2(d) | Northern Tallgrass Prairie National Wildlife Refuge Land Acquisition - Phase VIII | The Nature Conservancy | \$ 6,175,000 | \$ 2,683,000 |
| 2(e) | Cannon River Watershed Habitat Complex - Phase VII | The Trust for Public Land | \$ 2,054,900 | \$ 1,436,000 |
| 2(f) | Accelerated Native Prairie Bank Protection - Phase III | MN DNR | \$ 8,994,000 | \$ 2,481,000 |
| 2(g) | RIM Buffers for Wildlife and Water - Phase VII | BWSR | \$ 10,000,000 | \$ 5,333,000 |
| 2(h) | Prairie Chicken Habitat Partnership of the Southern Red River Valley - Phase III | Mn Prairie Chicken Society/Pheasants Forever | \$ 8,138,000 | \$ 1,908,000 |
| | Martin County/Fox Lake DNR WMA Aquisition - Phase II | Fox Lake Conservation League, Inc. | \$ 2,478,900 | \$ - |
| 2(j) | DNR Grasslands - Phase IX | MN DNR | \$ 13,184,800 | \$ 3,950,000 |
| 2(k) | Anoka Sand Plain Habitat Conservation - Phase V | Great River Greening | \$ 4,735,100 | \$ 1,130,000 |
| 3(a) | Carnelian Creek Conservation Corridor | Minnesota Land Trust | \$ 5,265,200 | \$ 2,458,000 |
| 3(b) | Laurentian Forest - St. Louis County Habitat Project | MN Deer Hunters Association | \$ 8,309,600 | \$ 2,400,000 |
| | Camp Ripley ACUB - Phase VII | Morrison SWCD | \$ 3,000,000 | \$ - |
| 3(c) | Southeast Minnesota Protection and Restoration - Phase V | The Nature Conservancy | \$ 8,699,700 | \$ 2,375,000 |
| 3(d) | Minnesota Forests for the Future - Phase V | MN DNR Forestry | \$ 8,000,000 | \$ 2,291,000 |
| | Protect (Acquire) Key Forest Habitats in Cass County - Phase VIII | Cass County | \$ 1,404,000 | \$ - |
| 3(e) | State Forest Acquisition - Richard J. Dorer Memorial Forest - Phase IV | MN DNR Forestry | \$ 7,000,000 | \$ 1,000,000 |
| 3(f) | Critical Shoreland Habitat Protection Program - Phase IV | Minnesota Land Trust | \$ 5,226,500 | \$ 1,700,000 |
| 3(g) | Bushmen Lake | The Conservation Fund | \$ 4,611,500 | \$ 4,600,000 |
| 4(a) | Accelerating the Waterfowl Production Area Program - Phase IX | Pheasants Forever, Inc. | \$ 18,744,500 | \$ 5,500,000 |
| 4(b) | Shallow Lake & Wetland Protection Program - Phase VI | Ducks Unlimited | \$ 20,410,000 | \$ 5,750,000 |
| 4(c) | RIM Wetlands - Phase VIII | BWSR | \$ 25,000,000 | \$ 10,398,000 |
| 4(d) | Wild Rice Shoreland Protection - Phase V | BWSR | \$ 1,400,000 | \$ 750,000 |
| 4(e) | Accelerated Shallow Lakes and Wetland Enhancement - Phase IX | MN DNR | \$ 3,000,000 | \$ 1,755,000 |
| 4(f) | Living Shallow Lake Enhancement & Wetland Restoration Initiative - Phase V | Ducks Unlimited | \$ 14,900,000 | \$ 4,716,000 |
| | Restoration of Non-native Cattail Dominated Wetlands in Rainy Lake | Voyageurs National Park | \$ 1,782,700 | \$ - |
| | MN DNR Aquatic Protection and Enhancement - Phase IX | MN DNR | \$ 7,023,000 | \$ - |
| | Metro Big Rivers - Phase VIII | MN Valley Trust | \$ 6,643,900 | \$ - |
| 5(a) | Mississippi Headwaters Habitat Corridor Project - Phase II | Mississippi Headwaters Board | \$ 8,998,500 | \$ 2,396,000 |
| 5(b) | Fisheries Habitat Protection on Strategic North Central Minnesota Lakes - Phase III | Leech Lake Area Watershed Foundation | \$ 6,974,000 | \$ 1,716,000 |
| | Wildlife and Rare Species Habitat | The Conservation Fund | \$ 13,260,800 | \$ - |
| 5(c) | Goose Prairie Marsh WMA Enhancement | Wild Rice Watershed District | \$ 1,820,000 | \$ 600,000 |
| 5(d) | Minnesota Trout Unlimited Coldwater Fish Habitat Enhancement and Restoration - Phase IX | MN Trout Unlimited | \$ 3,260,000 | \$ 2,403,000 |
| 5(e) | DNR Stream Habitat - Phase II | MN DNR | \$ 6,130,000 | \$ 2,166,000 |
| 5(f) | St. Louis River Restoration Initiative - Phase IV | MN DNR | \$ 6,305,000 | \$ 3,392,000 |
| | Knife River Habitat Rehabilitation - Phase III | Lake Superior Steelhead Association | \$ 5,200,000 | \$ - |
| 5(g) | Shell Rock River Watershed Habitat Restoration Program - Phase VI | Shell Rock River Watershed District | \$ 4,122,400 | \$ 1,779,000 |
| 5(h) | Lake Wakanda Enhancement Project | Kandiyohi County | \$ 921,100 | \$ 921,000 |
| 5(i) | Wolverton Creek Habitat Restoration | Buffalo-Red River Watershed District | \$ 3,015,000 | \$ 1,877,000 |
| | Fairmont Lakes Foundation Dutch Creek Habitat Restoration | Fairmont Lakes Foundation | \$ 1,580,000 | \$ - |
| 5(j) | Conservation Partners Legacy Grant Program - Phase IX: Statewide and Metro Habitat | MN DNR | \$ 11,634,000 | \$ 9,294,000 |
| 6(a) | Contract Management 2017 | MN DNR | \$ 150,000 | \$ 150,000 |
| 6(b) | LSOHC Administrative Budget 2018 | n/a | \$ 571,000 | \$ 571,000 |
| 6(c) | Restoration Evaluations | MN DNR | \$ 150,000 | \$ 150,000 |
| 6(d) | Legacy Web Site | n/a | | \$ 8,000 |
| | | | Total: | \$ 103,978,000 |