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Project ID	Subd.	Project Title	2026 February Forecast Additional Funds	ML2026 Final LSOHC Recommendation Amount	% of Request
PA01	2(a)	2026 RIM Grasslands	\$ 31,000	\$ 2,334,000	23%
PA02	2(b)	Accelerating the Wildlife Management Area Program, Phase XVIII	\$ 61,000	\$ 4,521,000	29%
PA03	2(c)	DNR WMA & SNA Acquisition, Phase XVIII	\$ 47,000	\$ 3,502,000	39%
PA04	2(d)	Martin County WMA Acquisition, Phase 10	\$ 40,000	\$ 3,017,000	30%
PA05	2(e)	ML 2026 Northern Tallgrass Prairie National Wildlife Refuge, Phase XVI	\$ 41,000	\$ 3,087,000	31%
PA06	2(f)	MN Prairie Recovery Program, Phase 15	\$ 47,000	\$ 3,492,000	26%
PA07	2(g)	Prairie Chicken Habitat Partnership of the Southern Red River Valley - Phase XII	\$ 41,000	\$ 3,094,000	26%
PA08	2(h)	RIM Buffers for Wildlife and Water	\$ 50,000	\$ 3,744,000	37%
PRE01	2(i)	2026 Accelerating the USFWS Habitat Conservation Easement Program	\$ 61,000	\$ 4,509,000	34%
PRE02	2(j)	DNR Grassland Enhancement, Phase 17	\$ 28,000	\$ 2,139,000	21%
PRE03	2(k)	Enhanced Public Land - Grasslands, Phase IX	\$ 39,000	\$ 2,948,000	41%
FA01	3(a)	Northern Forests Legacy Project	\$ -	\$ 25,090,000	100%
FA02	3(b)	Sand Lake/7 Beavers Acquisition & Enhancement	\$ 99,000	\$ 7,347,000	71%
HA07	3(c)	Hardwood Hills Habitat Conservation Program, Phase 3	\$ 34,000	\$ 2,558,000	46%
FRE01	3(d)	DNR Forest Restoration and Enhancement, Phase 6	\$ 26,000	\$ 1,944,000	26%
WA01	4(a)	Accelerating the Waterfowl Production Area Program, Phase XVIII	\$ 73,000	\$ 5,431,000	39%
WA02	4(b)	RIM Wetlands - Restoring the Most Productive Habitat in Minnesota	\$ 47,000	\$ 3,502,000	25%
WA03	4(c)	Shallow Lake & Wetland Protection & Restoration Program	\$ 82,000	\$ 6,087,000	47%
WA04	4(d)	Wetland Habitat Protection and Restoration Program, Phase 11	\$ 43,000	\$ 3,210,000	22%
WRE03	4(e)	Living Shallow Lakes and Wetlands Enhancement & Restoration Initiative	\$ 90,000	\$ 6,661,000	44%
WRE05	4(f)	Talcot Lake	\$ -	\$ 1,000,000	13%
WRE06	4(g)	Roseau Lake Rehabilitation: Phase III	\$ 48,000	\$ 3,553,000	41%

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WRE07	4(h)	Shallow Lakes and Wetland Enhancements, Phase 18 (Habitat Projects/Critical Staff Combination)	\$ 50,000	\$ 3,744,000	16%
HA01	5(a)	2026 Riparian Habitat Protection in the Kettle and Snake River Watersheds	\$ 15,000	\$ 1,137,000	23%
HA02	5(b)	Cannon River Watershed Habitat Protection and Restoration Program, 15	\$ 39,000	\$ 2,886,000	25%
HA03	5(c)	DNR AMA Fee-Title and Trout Stream Easement Acquisition	\$ 29,000	\$ 2,182,000	34%
HA04	5(d)	Washington County Habitat Protection and Enhancement Partnership, Phase 2	\$ 38,000	\$ 2,812,000	41%
HA05	5(e)	Fisheries Habitat Protection on Strategic North Central Minnesota Lakes, ML2026	\$ 31,000	\$ 2,317,000	27%
HA06	5(f)	Greenbelt Phase 1	\$ 19,000	\$ 1,467,000	44%
HA08	5(g)	Integrating Habitat and Clean Water	\$ 24,000	\$ 1,827,000	18%
HA09	5(h)	Metro Big Rivers 16	\$ 91,000	\$ 6,776,000	32%
HA11	5(i)	Mississippi Headwaters Habitat Corridor Project, Phase 10	\$ 37,000	\$ 2,770,000	28%
HA12	5(j)	Protecting Coldwater Fisheries on Minnesota's North Shore, Phase 4	\$ 22,000	\$ 1,695,000	42%
HA13	5(k)	Protecting Minnesota's Lakes of Outstanding Biological Significance, Phase 5	\$ 40,000	\$ 2,983,000	33%
HA15	5(l)	Red River Basin Riparian Habitat Program, Phase II	\$ 53,000	\$ 3,920,000	18%
HA16	5(m)	Shell Rock River Watershed Habitat Restoration Program	\$ 27,000	\$ 2,066,000	39%
HA17	5(n)	Southeast Minnesota Protection and Restoration, Phase 14	\$ 107,000	\$ 7,956,000	42%
HA18	5(o)	St. Croix Watershed Habitat Protection and Restoration Phase 7	\$ 52,000	\$ 3,859,000	28%
HA19	5(p)	Upper Mississippi Flyway Habitat Conservation Program	\$ 29,000	\$ 2,156,000	42%
HRE01	5(q)	A River of Birds in the Sky: Conserving Minnesota's Flyway	\$ 16,000	\$ 1,227,000	85%
HRE02	5(r)	Bone Lake South, Phase 2	\$ 19,000	\$ 1,432,000	88%
HRE04	5(s)	DNR Aquatic Habitat Restoration and Enhancement, Phase 9	\$ 88,000	\$ 6,517,000	39%
HRE05	5(t)	Little Cannon River Stream Habitat Restoration	\$ -	\$ 500,000	10%
HRE06	5(u)	Mission Creek Watershed Connectivity	\$ 17,000	\$ 1,296,000	38%

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HRE07	5(v)	Mud River Enhancement Project	\$ 40,000	\$ 2,957,000	58%
HRE08	5(w)	Oak Savanna Restoration for Living Landscapes	\$ 23,000	\$ 1,702,000	47%
HRE09	5(x)	Swift Coulee Channel Restoration/ Enhancement, Phase 2	\$ 36,000	\$ 2,671,000	75%
HRE10	5(y)	Woods Creek Restoration	\$ -	\$ 750,000	100%
HA10	5(z)	Minnesota Statewide Trout Habitat Enhancement & Protection	\$ -	\$ 750,000	16%
CPL	5(aa)	Conservation Partners Legacy Grant Program ML26/FY27	\$ 186,000	\$ 13,797,000	92%
O1	6(a)	Contract Management	\$ -	\$ 450,000	100%
O2	6(b)	DNR Core Functions in Partner-led OHF Acquisitions	\$ -	\$ 1,377,000	
O3	6(c)	Restoration Evaluations - ML 2026	\$ 2,000	\$ 192,000	94%
LCC	6(d)	Legislative Coordinating Commission - Administration	\$ -	\$ 140,000	
		Totals	\$ 2,158,000	\$ 191,081,000	