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PA01	Accelerating the Wildlife Management Area Program - Phase XIX	8	8	5	9	8	9	9	9	8	8	9	90	
PA02	Acquisition and restoration of terrace wetland complex with potential fen characteristic	5	5	3	3	3	5	3	8	5	5	0	45	
PA03	DNR Accelerated Native Prairie Bank Protection-Phase IX	5	8	5	8	8	3	3	0	5	5	0	50	
PA04	DNR WMA & SNA Acquisition, Phase XIV	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	0	5	5	9	69	
PA05	Great Prairie Lakes and Wetlands Restoration Initiative	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	5	5	5	9	74	
PA06	Lower Sioux Prairie and Wetland Habitat Protection and Restoration Project	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	8	5	8	9	77	Will land be open to hunting for both non-tribal and tribal members?
PA07	Martin County WMA Acquisition Phase 11	8	5	5	8	8	5	8	0	8	5	8	68	Lots of unspent funds
PA08	Minnesota Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (MN CREP)	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	10	5	5	8	78	
PA09	Minnesota River Watershed Habitat Conservation Program Phase 2	8	5	5	5	8	5	8	3	5	5	8	65	
PA10	MN Prairie Recovery Program	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	5	5	8	8	76	
PA11	Prairie Chicken Habitat Partnership of the Southern Red River Valley - Phase XIII	8	8	5	5	8	5	5	5	5	8	8	70	Lots of unspent funds
PA12	RIM Buffers for Wildlife and Water - Phase XIII	8	8	5	5	8	5	8	0	5	5	8	65	
PA13	Western Minnesota Prairie and Wetland Protection Program	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	3	5	5	3	66	
PRE01	Enhanced Public Land - Grasslands - Phase X	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	5	5	8	8	73	
PRE02	Restoring Minnesota's Prairie Pothole Ecosystem - Phase 1	8	8	5	8	8	8	5	10	5	8	8	81	
FA01	Camp Ripley Sentinel Landscape ACUB Protection Program Phase 14	8	3	3	3	5	5	5	0	5	5	0	42	
FA02	Mississippi Headwaters Habitat Corridor Project Phase 11	8	8	5	8	5	5	8	0	5	5	3	60	
FA03	MN Forests of the Future Phase XI South East Blufflands to Northern Forests Protection	8	8	5	8	5	5	8	5	5	5	3	65	
FA04	Pine and Leech Watershed Phase IV Forest Habitat Protection	8	5	5	8	8	5	8	0	5	5	3	60	
FRE01	DNR Statewide Forest Enhancement-Phase 7	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	0	5	5	8	65	Unspent funds need explaining
FRE02	Enhancing Black Ash Forests for Resilience and Habitat	8	5	5	5	8	5	5	8	5	5	8	67	Can this project move the needle??
FRE03	Metro Forests for Minnesota Wildlife and Communities	8	8	5	5	5	5	8	8	8	8	5	73	Is forest land open to the public??
FRE04	Minnesota Forest Recovery Project	8	8	5	5	5	8	8	8	5	5	8	73	

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WA01	Accelerating the Waterfowl Production Area Program - Phase XIX	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	10	5	5	8	84	
WA02	RIM Wetlands - Restoring the most productive habitat in Minnesota	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	0	5	5	5	65	
WA03	Shallow Lake & Wetland Protection & Restoration Program	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	10	5	5	8	84	
WRE01	Accelerating the USFWS Habitat Conservation Easement Program	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	3	77	missing questin about open to public
WRE02	DNR Shallow Lakes and Wetland Enhancements Phase 19	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	0	5	5	8	71	Unspent funds a problem??
WRE03	DNR Statewide control and reduction of invasive Phragmites Phase I	5	5	8	8	5	8	8	3	5	5	5	65	Leverage dollars confusing. \$50,000 versus \$250,000 ???
WRE04	Living Shallow Lakes and Wetlands Enhancement & Restoration Initiative	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	5	76	Consider amount of unspent funds; what is difference between WA03 and WRE04?
WRE05	Mud River Enhancement Phase II	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	5	79	One and done
WRE06	Otter and Campbell Lakes Habitat Enhancement and Restoration Phase 1	8	5	5	8	8	8	5	5	5	5	5	67	
HA01	2027 Riparian Habitat Protection In the kettle and Snake River Watersheds	8	8	5	8	8	8	5	0	5	5	3	63	
HA02	2027 St. Croix Watershed Habitat Protection and Restoration Phase 8	8	8	5	8	5	5	8	3	5	5	8	68	
HA03	Cannon River Watershed Habitat Protection and Restoration Program - 16	8	8	5	8	5	5	8	3	5	5	8	68	
HA04	Dakota County Habitat Protection/Restoration Phase IX	8	5	5	8	5	5	8	5	5	5	5	64	Amount of unspent dollars is a big problem
HA05	Fisheries Habitat Protection on Strategic North Central Minnesota Lakes - ML2027	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	3	5	5	8	68	
HA06	Metro Big Rivers Phase 17	8	5	5	8	8	5	8	5	5	5	8	70	
HA07	Protecting Minnesota's Lakes of Outstanding Biological Significance - Phase 6	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	5	5	5	8	70	Unspent funds need explaining
HA08	RIM Priority Habitat	8	8	5	8	8	8	5	0	5	5	3	63	
HA09	Southeast Minnesota Protection and Restoration Phase 15	8	5	5	8	8	5	8	3	5	5	5	65	Unspent funds need explaining further???
HA10	Wild Rice Shoreland Protection Phase X	8	5	5	8	8	5	8	0	5	5	5	62	
HRE01	Anoka Sand Plain Habitat Enhancement and Restoration - Phase 11	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	8	5	5	5	70	
HRE02	Beaver Creek Habitat Restoration	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	3	5	5	8	71	
HRE03	Daylighting Phalen Creek - Phase 2	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	5	5	5	8	73	
HRE04	DNR Aquatic Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Phase 10	8	5	8	8	8	5	5	3	5	5	5	65	

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HRE06	DNR Irish Creek Watershed Enhancement, Phase 1	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	0	5	5	8	71	
HRE07	DNR Roving Crew 4	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	0	5	5	8	71	Lots of unspent funds
HRE08	Enhancing Agate Bay's Coastal Wetland Habitat along the Lake Superior Shore in Lake County, Minnesota	5	8	5	8	8	8	5	8	5	5	5	70	Rather confusing project; need to hear more.
HRE09	Knife River Habitat Rehabilitation Project-PH VIII	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	5	5	5	8	76	
HRE10	Little Cannon River Stream Habitat Restoration - Construction Phase	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	3	5	5	5	71	Will stream be open to public fishing?
HRE11	Minnesota Marine Art Museum LSCOHC Proposal	8	8	5	8	5	5	8	8	5	5	8	73	Need more discussion?
HRE12	Minnesota Statewide Trout Habitat Enhancement & Protection - Construction	8	8	5	5	8	8	8	5	5	5	8	73	
HRE13	Protection and Resiliency in the Rainy River Headwaters	8	8	5	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	5	76	
HRE14	Restoring priority habitats for Hennepin County's sensitive wildlife	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	3	71	
HRE15	Swift Coulee Channel Restoration/ Enhancement - Phase 2	8	8	5	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	3	71	
HRE16	Tamarac River Enhancement Project - Phase 1	8	8	8	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	5	76	
CPL	Conservation Partners Legacy Grant Program ML27/FY28												0	No scoring needed; council discussion
O1	2027 Contract Management												0	No scoring needed; council discussion
O2	2027 Restoration Evaluations - ML 2027												0	No scoring needed; council discussion
O3	DNR Core Functions in Partner-led OHF Acquisitions												0	no scoring needed; council discussion