Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council Laws of Minnesota 2014 Final Report

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Program or Project Title: Accelerated Shallow Lakes and Wetland Enhancement Phase 6

Funds Recommended: \$1,050,000

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Appropriation Language: \$1,050,000 in the second year is to the commissioner of natural resources to enhance and restore shallow lakes statewide. A list of proposed land restorations and enhancements must be provided as part of the required accomplishment plan.

County Locations: Aitkin, Anoka, Beltrami, Cass, Chippewa, Clearwater, Cottonwood, Crow Wing, Isanti, Jackson, Kittson, Lac qui Parle, Mahnomen, Marshall, McLeod, Meeker, Mille Lacs, Morrison, Otter Tail, Polk, Pope, Red Lake, Roseau, Stearns, St. Louis, Wabasha, Washington, Wilkin, and Wright.

Eco regions in which work was completed:

- Northern Forest
- Forest / Prairie Transition
- Southeast Forest
- Prairie
- Metro / Urban

Activity types:

Enhance

Priority resources addressed by activity:

Wetlands

Summary of Accomplishments:

Many of Minnesota's wetlands have been lost and the remainder degraded. Recent tiling and ditching have accelerated this situation. Through this program, shallow lakes and wetlands were designed, constructed, and intensively managed to benefit wetland wildlife and Minnesota residents. Habitat accomplishments from this proposal have enhanced 19,365 acres of wetlands and shallow lakes to benefit waterfowl and wetland wildlife. Work was accomplish through constructed infrastructure, cattail control, and a significant prescribed wetland burn.

Process & Methods:

Approximately 30 species of waterfowl are regular migrants through Minnesota. More than a dozen breed and nest in Minnesota. While each of these species has its own particular habitat needs the common bond is a dependence on wetland habitat for survival. Meeting the needs of these waterfowl requires a complex of wetland sizes and types ranging from temporary and seasonal wetlands to large permanent shallow lakes. Habitat work accomplished with this OHF appropriation contributes to the needs of these waterfowl and other wetland-associated wildlife.



Five wetland/shallow lake infrastructure projects were designed and completed (Carlos Avery WMA, Anoka County; Joe River WMA, Kittson County; Cornish Flowage, Aitkin County; Mille Lacs WMA, Mille Lacs County; and Dry Sand WMA, Cass County). These projects improved or replaced dikes and water level control structures. These projects enhanced 3,079 acres of wetland habitat. In addition to these design and construct projects, another four projects were design only. Because of the complexity of many shallow lake and wetland infrastructure projects, we sometimes begin by bringing in engineers to survey and design potential projects. We can use this initial information to develop cost estimates, obtain permits, and determine if and when to move ahead with construction. Because design-only projects do not entail construction, no acres are claimed for these projects, as is consistent with our past reports. These four design-only projects were at Spohn WMA, Quistorff WMA, Aurzada WMA, and Ruff-Nik WMA, all in Todd County.

6,068 acres of invasive cattails were sprayed statewide. This work was done in both 2015 and 2018. The work in 2015 was done using private contractors, but in 2018 we were able to do the work using a state-owned helicopter outfitted with an OHF-funded spray unit and using the OHF-funded Roving Habitat Crews as ground support personnel. The acreage of cattails sprayed includes 13.3 acres of a new invasive grass that was discovered at McCarthy Lake WMA. We were able to effectively deal with this potential threat thanks to the equipment and personnel we now have available. While aerial spraying of monotypic stands of cattails can't resolve the problem statewide due to the extent of their coverage, property managers are excited to have aerial spraying as a means to improve wetland habitat at select sites.

Finally, a major prescribed wetland burn was funded out of this appropriation which enhanced 10,200 acres. This was one of the largest prescribed burns ever done in Minnesota. The effectiveness of this burn and it's relatively low cost have property managers considering future large wetland burns.

In total, 19,365 wetland acres were enhanced by this appropriation, well above the Accomplishment Plan goal.

Explain Partners, Supporters, & Opposition:

Ducks Unlimited took on one project that was initially planned to be done with this OHF appropriation. The ability to communicate with partners to determine who can most effectively complete complex wetland projects benefits everyone by ensuring projects are done in the most efficient manner possible.

Additional Comments:

Exceptional challenges, expectations, failures, opportunities, or unique aspects of program

The ability to add, subtract and modify the parcel list throughout the life of an appropriation is critical given the complexity of wetland projects. Wetland projects, especially those involved large or complicated infrastructure components, are complex due to engineering, weather, permitting, costs, etc. Flexibility is needed to move projects on and off the parcel list or move them between appropriations.

An ongoing issue is the ability of DNR engineering to accommodate the number of projects that need survey and design work. Assessment of their ability to provide this service is ongoing. Options being considered include contracting with private engineering companies or obtaining DNR engineers who will only work on wetland projects.

Other Funds Received:

Not Listed

How were the funds used to advanced the program:

Interest in Minnesota's wetland and shallow lake habitats has resulted in numerous initiatives with a variety of funding sources, including the Environmental and Natural Resource Trust Fund and Clean Water Fund. The work from this program complement the goals of other funds, though project selection is based on wildlife benefits.

What is the plan to sustain and/or maintain this work after the Outdoor Heritage Funds are expended:

Engineers from the DNR make "warranty" visits to completed projects at set times after construction to ensure that the project is functioning as designed and to implement any needed corrections. Area Wildlife Managers are responsible to provide needed oversite of completed project over time to ensure management and maintenance needs are met and that available resources are sufficient to have a functioning project. Shallow Lake Specialists are available for shallow lake projects to undertake standardized assessments to document project success, problems, or management issues over time.

Outcomes:

The original accomplishment plan stated the program would

Programs in the northern forest region:

- Healthy populations of endangered, threatened, and special concern species as well as more common species
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How will the outcomes be measured and evaluated?

Intensive wetland management and habitat infrastructure maintenance will provide the wetland base called for in numerous prairie, shallow lake and waterfowl plans. Area wildlife staff and/or shallow lakes staff will monitor completed projects to determine success of implementation and to assess the need for future management and/or maintenance.

Programs in forest-prairie transition region:

- Protected, restored, and enhanced nesting and migratory habitat for waterfowl, upland birds, and species of greatest conservation need
- Wetland and upland complexes will consist of native prairies, restored prairies, quality grasslands, and restored shallow lakes and wetlands
- · Increased waterfowl and upland bird migratory and breeding success

How will the outcomes be measured and evaluated?

Intensive wetland management and habitat infrastructure maintenance will provide the wetland base called for in numerous prairie, shallow lake and waterfowl plans. Area wildlife staff and/or shallow lakes staff will monitor completed projects to determine success of implementation and to assess the need for future management and/or maintenance.

Programs in metropolitan urbanizing region:

Not Listed

How will the outcomes be measured and evaluated?

Intensive wetland management and habitat infrastructure maintenance will provide the wetland base called for in numerous prairie, shallow lake and waterfowl plans. Area wildlife staff and/or shallow lakes staff will monitor completed projects to determine success of implementation and to assess the need for future management and/or maintenance.

Programs in southeast forest region:

Not Listed

How will the outcomes be measured and evaluated?

Intensive wetland management and habitat infrastructure maintenance will provide the wetland base called for in numerous prairie, shallow lake and waterfowl plans. Area wildlife staff and/or shallow lakes staff will monitor completed projects to determine success of implementation and to assess the need for future management and/or maintenance.

Programs in prairie region:

- Improved condition of habitat on public lands
- Increased wildlife productivity
- Remnant native prairies are part of large complexes of restored prairies, grasslands, and large and small wetlands
- Improve aquatic vegetation
- Enhanced shallow lake productivity
- Protected, restored, and enhanced habitat for migratory and unique Minnesota species

How will the outcomes be measured and evaluated?

Intensive wetland management and habitat infrastructure maintenance will provide the wetland base called for in numerous prairie, shallow lake and waterfowl plans. Area wildlife staff and/or shallow lakes staff will monitor completed projects to determine success of implementation and to assess the need for future management and/or maintenance.

Budget Spreadsheet

Final Budget line item reallocations are allowed up to 10% and do not need require an amendment to the Accomplishment Plan

Total Amount: \$1,050,000

Budget and Cash Leverage

BudgetName	Request	Spent	Cash Leverage (anticipated)	Cash Leverage (received)	Leverage Source	Total (original)	Total (final)
Personnel	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Contracts	\$798,500	\$581,000	\$0	\$0		\$798,500	\$581,000
Fee Acquisition w/ PILT	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Fee Acquisition w/o PILT	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Easement Acquisition	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Easement Stewardship	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Travel	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Pro fessio nal Services	\$70,000	\$233,400	\$0	\$0		\$70,000	\$233,400
Direct Support Services	\$86,500	\$57,600	\$0	\$0		\$86,500	\$57,600
DNR Land Acquisition Costs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Capital Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Other Equipment/Tools	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Supplies/Materials	\$95,000	\$5,700	\$0	\$0		\$95,000	\$5,700
DNR IDP	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0
Total	\$1,050,000	\$877,700	\$0	\$0		\$1,050,000	\$877,700

Explain any budget challenges or successes:

An ongoing challenge is getting engineering assistance to initiate large construction projects. We may have outpaced our DNR engineer's ability to handle the number of projects we're presenting them. We are looking at options such as hiring engineers to only work on DNR habitat project or contracting with private engineers.

There are multiple successes: (1) the flexibility to add and subtract projects from the parcel list as needed is key to dealing with complex wetland habitat issues; (2) the OHF-funded equipment to spray cattails is a cheaper and more effective than contracting; (3) new budget tracking tools are available.

All revenues received by the recipient that have been generated from activities on land with money from the OHF:

Total Revenue: \$0
Revenue Spent: \$0
Revenue Balance: \$0

• E. This is not applicable as there was no revenue generated.

Output Tables

Table 1a. Acres by Resource Type

Туре	Wetlands (original)	Wetlands (final)	Prairies (o riginal)	Prairies (final)	Forest (original)	Forest (final)	Habitats (original)	Habitats (final)	Total (original)	Total (final)
Restore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protect in Fee with State PILT Liability	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protect in Fee W/O State PILT Liability	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protect in Easement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enhance	6,788	19,365	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,788	19,365
Total	6,788	19,365	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,788	19,365

Table 2. Total Funding by Resource Type

Туре	Wetlands (original)	Wetlands (final)	Prairies (original)	Prairies (final)	Forest (original)	Forest (final)	Habitats (original)	Habitats (final)	Total (original)	Total (final)
Restore	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Protect in Fee with State PILT Liability	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Protect in Fee W/O State PILT Liability	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Protect in Easement	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Enhance	\$1,050,000	\$877,700	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,050,000	\$877,700
Total	\$1,050,000	\$877,700	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,050,000	\$877,700

Table 3. Acres within each Ecological Section

Туре	Metro Urban (original)	Metro Urban (final)	Forest Prairie (original)	Forest Prairie (final)	SE Forest (original)		Prairie (o riginal)	Prairie (final)	N Forest (original)		Total (original)	Total (final)
Restore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pro tect in Fee with State PILT Liability	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pro tect in Fee W/O State PILT Liability	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protect in Easement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enhance	0	521	3,132	4,004	0	13	497	1,207	3,159	13,620	6,788	19,365
Total	0	521	3,132	4,004	0	13	497	1,207	3,159	13,620	6,788	19,365

Table 4. Total Funding within each Ecological Section

Туре	Metro Urban (original)	Metro Urban (final)	Forest Prairie (original)	Forest Prairie (final)	SEForest (original)	SE Forest (final)	Prairie (original)	Prairie (final)	N Forest (original)	N Forest (final)	Total (original)	Total (final)
Restore	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Protect in Fee with State PILT Liability	\$O	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$O	\$0
Protect in Fee W/O State PILT Liability	\$O	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$O	\$0
Protect in Easement	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Enhance	\$0	\$124,800	\$326,600	\$236,200	\$0	\$500	\$181,200	\$42,100	\$542,200	\$474,100	\$1,050,000	\$877,700
Total	\$0	\$124,800	\$326,600	\$236,200	\$0	\$500	\$181,200	\$42,100	\$542,200	\$474,100	\$1,050,000	\$877,700

Automatic system calculation / not entered by managers

Target Lake/Stream/River Feet or Miles (original)

0

Target Lake/Stream/River Feet or Miles (final)

0

Explain the success/shortage of acre goals:

Wetland habitat work can be technically complex, expensive, and may be hampered by weather and permit issues. This appropriation successfully exceeded the expected acreage impacts thanks to some large individual projects. Cattail control was made possible by OHF funding used to purchase an aerial spray unit and impacted numerous Wildlife Management Areas. A prescribed burn of a wetland in northwest Minnesota enhanced over 10,000 acres and was one of the largest ever conducted in the state. It's success is leading to plans for other major burns on a similar scale.

Parcel List

Section 1 - Restore / Enhance Parcel List

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Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Cornish Flowage	05123223	147	\$141,500	Yes	Wetland infrastructure
Anoka					
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Carlos Avery Pool 6	0 3322222	220	\$114,300	Yes	Design and construct
Beltrami	•				
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Moose River WMA Prescribed Fire	15737233	10,200	\$10,600	Yes	Wetland prescribed burn
Cass	•			•	
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Dry Sand WMA	13532206	190	\$60,528	_	Wetland Infrastructure
Dry Sand WMA - Cattail	13532206	27	\$945	Yes	Cattail Control
Chippewa	•			•	
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Franko WMA	11738214	28	\$1,000	_	Cattail Control
Clearwater	<u>.</u>	<u> </u>			
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Little Pine WMA	14838204	23	\$800	-	Cattail Control
Upper Rice Lake	14537212	63	\$2,200		Cattail Control
Cottonwood	1		. ,		
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Augusta Lake	10637210	108	\$3,800	_	Cattail Cpntrol
Delft WMA	10635220	39	\$1,300		Cattail Control
Little Swan WMA	10635218	49	\$1,700		Cattail Control
Crow Wing	10 003210		ψ1,700	163	cuttum control
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Mission WMA	13527209	30	\$1,000		Cattail Control
Isanti	13327207	30	\$1,000	163	cattan control
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Eviatina Dua ta atia n2	Docevintion.
Spencer Brook WMA	03525222	45	\$1,600	Existing Protection?	Description Cattail Control
Jackson	03323222	43	\$1,000	163	Cattan Control
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Name Heron Lake	T RDS 10 437234	Acres 336	Total Cost \$11,700	Existing Protection?	Description Cattail Control
Teal Lake WMA	10 436 230	ł	\$600		Cattail Control
Timber Lake WMA	10 437213	16 5	\$200		Cattail Control
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Name	TRDS	Acres	Total Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Beaches Lake WMA	16145208	154			Cattail Control
Joe River	16449234	47	\$61,700		Wetland Infrastructure
Twin Lakes WMA	15945210	111	\$3,900	res	Cattail Control
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Name	TRDS	Acres	Total Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Lac qui Parle WMA	12045212	55	\$1,900	Yes	Cattail Control
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Name	TRDS	Acres	Total Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Bejou WMA	14642229	30	\$1,000	Yes	Cattail Control
Marshall		, 		T	T
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
East Park WMA	15844221	30 1	\$10,500		Cattail Control
Eckvo II WMA	15640219	30 1	\$10,500		Cattail Control
Elm Lake WMA	15541206	877	\$30,572	Yes	Cattail Control
McLeod					
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Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description

Meeker

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Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Greenleaf WMA	11831233	58	\$2,000	Yes	Cattail Control
Knapp WMA	11929201	42	\$1,500	Yes	Cattail Control
Litchfield WMA	11931204	14	\$500	Yes	Cattail Control
Madsen WMA	12031223	136	\$4,800	Yes	Cattail Control
Mille Lacs					
Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Kunkel WMA	0 36 272 35	80	\$2,800	Yes	Cattail Control
Mille Lacs WMA	04126225	2,475	\$240,331	Yes	Wetland infrastructure
Mille Lacs WMA - Cattails	04126236	291	\$10,200	Yes	Cattail Control
Morrison					
Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Little Elk WMA	130 31220	138	\$4,800	Yes	Cattail Control
Otter Tail					
Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Armor WMA	13440 20 5	71	\$2,500	Yes	Cattail Control
Polk	-				
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Dugdale WMA	14944233	147	\$5,100	Yes	Cattail Control
Pembina WMA	15246213	484	\$16,900	Yes	Cattail Control
Pope	•				
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Sedan WMA	12537236	124	\$4,300	Yes	Cattail Control
Red Lake				•	
Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Moran WMA	15145202	30	\$1,100		Cattail Control
Roseau	L	L L			
Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Roseau River WMA	16344211	1,218	\$42,500	_	Cattail Control
Stearns	L	L L			
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Padua WMA	12535224	29	\$1,000	_	Cattail Control
Tamarack-Mohs WMA	12335216	29	\$1,000	Yes	Cattail Control
Zion WMA	12332231	25	\$900	Yes	Cattail Control
St. Louis	L	L L			
Name	T RDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Darwin Meyers WMA	06015235	196	\$6,800		Cattail Control
Wabasha		l.			
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
McCarthy Lake WMA	10910202	13	\$500	<u> </u>	Cattail Control
Washington			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	l	
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Paul Hugo Farms WMA	03121216	33	\$1,200		Cattail Control
Wilkin	1		7-,-30	1	
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Manston Marsh WMA	13547224	100	\$3,500		Cattail Control
Wright	100 1/22 1	100	¥0,000	<u> </u>	
Name	TRDS	Acres	T o tal Cost	Existing Protection?	Description
Maple Lake WMA	12126229	34	\$1,200	•	Cattail Control
Swarto ut WMA	12027203	16	\$600		Cattail Control
Woodland WMA	11826212	50	\$1,800		Cattail Control
TO O GIATIG ANIVIA	11020212	50	φ1,000	1.03	Cattan Control

Section 2 - Protect Parcel List

No parcels with an activity type protect.

Section 2a - Protect Parcel with Bldgs

No parcels with an activity type protect and has buildings.

Section 3 - Other Parcel Activity

No parcels with an other activity type.

Completed Parcel: Armor WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	71
County:	Otter Tail
Township:	134
Range:	40
Direction:	2
Section:	0.5
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	71
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$2,480

Completed Parcel: Augusta Lake

# of T o tal Acres:	108
County:	Cottonwood
Township:	106
Range:	37
Direction:	2
Section:	10
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	108
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amo unt of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$3,767

Completed Parcel: Bakers Lake

# of T o tal Acres:	27
County:	McLeod
T o wnship:	114
Range:	29
Direction:	2
Section:	20
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	27
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$928

Completed Parcel: Beaches Lake WMA

# of T otal Acres:	154
County:	Kittson
Township:	161
Range:	45
Direction:	2
Section:	08
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	154
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$10,509

Completed Parcel: Bejou WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	30
Co unty:	Mahnomen
T o wnship:	146
Range:	42
Direction:	2
Section:	29
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	30
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,046

Completed Parcel: Carlos Avery Pool 6

# of T otal Acres:	220
County:	Ano ka
Township:	0 33
Range:	22
Direction:	2
Section:	22
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	220
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$114,347

Completed Parcel: Cornish Flowage

# of T o tal Acres:	147
County:	Aitkin
To wnship:	051
Range:	23
Direction:	2
Section:	23
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	147
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$141,459

Completed Parcel: Darwin Meyers WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	196
County:	St. Louis
Township:	060
Range:	15
Direction:	2
Section:	35
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	196
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$6,830

Completed Parcel: Delft WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	39
County:	Cotto nwo o d
Township:	106
Range:	35
Direction:	2
Section:	20
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	39
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amo unt of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,343

Completed Parcel: Dry Sand WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	190
Co unty:	Cass
T o wnship:	135
Range:	32
Direction:	2
Section:	06
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	190
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$60,528

Completed Parcel: Dry Sand WMA - Cattail

# of T o tal Acres:	27
County:	Cass
Township:	135
Range:	32
Direction:	2
Section:	06
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	27
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$945

Completed Parcel: Dugdale WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	147
Co unty:	Polk
T o wnship:	149
Range:	44
Direction:	2
Section:	33
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	147
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$5,110

Completed Parcel: East Park WMA

# of T otal Acres:	30 1
Co unty:	Marshall
T o wnship:	158
Range:	44
Direction:	2
Section:	21
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	30 1
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$10,506

Completed Parcel: Eckvoll WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	30 1
Co unty:	Marshall
Township:	156
Range:	40
Direction:	2
Section:	19
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	30 1
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$10,509

Completed Parcel: Elm Lake WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	877
County:	Marshall
Township:	155
Range:	41
Direction:	2
Section:	06
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	877
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$30,572

Completed Parcel: Franko WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	28
Co unty:	Chippewa
T o wnship:	117
Range:	38
Direction:	2
Section:	14
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	28
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$973

Completed Parcel: Greenleaf WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	58
County:	Meeker
T o wnship:	118
Range:	31
Direction:	2
Section:	33
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	58
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amo unt of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$2,006

Completed Parcel: Heron Lake

# of T o tal Acres:	336
County:	Jackson
Township:	104
Range:	37
Direction:	2
Section:	34
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	336
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$11,716

Completed Parcel: Joe River

# of T o tal Acres:	47
Co unty:	Kittson
T o wnship:	164
Range:	49
Direction:	2
Section:	34
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	47
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$61,662

Completed Parcel: Knapp WMA

# of T otal Acres:	42
County:	Meeker
Township:	119
Range:	29
Direction:	2
Section:	01
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	42
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,465

Completed Parcel: Kunkel WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	80
County:	Mille Lacs
Township:	0 36
Range:	27
Direction:	2
Section:	35
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	80
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$2,797

Completed Parcel: Lac qui Parle WMA

# of T otal Acres:	55
County:	Lac qui Parle
Township:	120
Range:	45
Direction:	2
Section:	12
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	55
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,922

Completed Parcel: Litchfield WMA

# of T otal Acres:	14
County:	Meeker
T o wnship:	119
Range:	31
Direction:	2
Section:	0 4
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	14
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$478

Completed Parcel: Little Elk WMA

# of T otal Acres:	138
County:	Morrison
Township:	130
Range:	31
Direction:	2
Section:	20
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	138
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$4,813

Completed Parcel: Little Pine WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	23
Co unty:	Clearwater
T o wnship:	148
Range:	38
Direction:	2
Section:	04
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	23
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$788

Completed Parcel: Little Swan WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	49
Co unty:	Cotto nwo o d
Township:	106
Range:	35
Direction:	2
Section:	18
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	49
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amo unt of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,720

Completed Parcel: Madsen WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	136
County:	Meeker
Township:	120
Range:	31
Direction:	2
Section:	23
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	136
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$4,751

Completed Parcel: Manston Marsh WMA

# of T otal Acres:	100
County:	Wilkin
Township:	135
Range:	47
Direction:	2
Section:	24
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	100
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$3,488

Completed Parcel: Maple Lake WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	34
Co unty:	Wright
Township:	121
Range:	26
Direction:	2
Section:	29
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	34
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,193

Completed Parcel: McCarthy Lake WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	13
Co unty:	Wabasha
T o wnship:	109
Range:	10
Direction:	2
Section:	02
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	13
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$464

Completed Parcel: Mille Lacs WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	2475
Co unty:	Mille Lacs
Township:	0 41
Range:	26
Direction:	2
Section:	25
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	2475
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$240,331

Completed Parcel: Mille Lacs WMA - Cattails

# of T otal Acres:	291
County:	Mille Lacs
Township:	0 41
Range:	26
Direction:	2
Section:	36
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	291
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$10,157

Completed Parcel: Mission WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	30
Co unty:	Cro w Wing
T o wnship:	135
Range:	27
Direction:	2
Section:	09
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	30
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,046

Completed Parcel: Moose River WMA Prescribed Fire

# of T otal Acres:	10200
County:	Beltrami
Township:	157
Range:	37
Direction:	2
Section:	33
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	10200
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$10,631

Completed Parcel: Moran WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	30
County:	Red Lake
T o wnship:	151
Range:	45
Direction:	2
Section:	0 2
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	30
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amo unt of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,053

Completed Parcel: Padua WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	29
County:	Stearns
Township:	125
Range:	35
Direction:	2
Section:	24
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	29
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,015

Completed Parcel: Paul Hugo Farms WMA

# of T otal Acres:	33
County:	Washington
T o wnship:	0 31
Range:	21
Direction:	2
Section:	16
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	33
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,151

Completed Parcel: Pembina WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	484
Co unty:	Polk
T o wnship:	152
Range:	46
Direction:	2
Section:	13
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	484
# of Acres: Fo rest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$16,864

Completed Parcel: Roseau River WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	1218
County:	Roseau
Township:	163
Range:	44
Direction:	2
Section:	11
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	1218
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$42,524

Completed Parcel: Sedan WMA

# of T otal Acres:	124
County:	Pope
T o wnship:	125
Range:	37
Direction:	2
Section:	36
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	124
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T otal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$4,339

Completed Parcel: Spencer Brook WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	45
County:	Isanti
Township:	0 35
Range:	25
Direction:	2
Section:	22
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	45
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,584

Completed Parcel: Swartout WMA

# of T otal Acres:	16
County:	Wright
Township:	120
Range:	27
Direction:	2
Section:	03
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	16
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$565

Completed Parcel: Tamarack-Mohs WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	29
County:	Stearns
Township:	123
Range:	35
Direction:	2
Section:	16
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	29
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,008

Completed Parcel: Teal Lake WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	16
County:	Jackson
Township:	104
Range:	36
Direction:	2
Section:	30
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	16
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$558

Completed Parcel: Timber Lake WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	5
Co unty:	Jackson
Township:	104
Range:	37
Direction:	2
Section:	13
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	5
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$171

Completed Parcel: Twin Lakes WMA

# of T otal Acres:	111
County:	Kittson
T o wnship:	159
Range:	45
Direction:	2
Section:	10
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	111
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$3,886

Completed Parcel: Upper Rice Lake

# of T o tal Acres:	63
Co unty:	Clearwater
T o wnship:	145
Range:	37
Direction:	2
Section:	12
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	63
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$2,197

Completed Parcel: Woodland WMA

# of T o tal Acres:	50
County:	Wright
T o wnship:	118
Range:	26
Direction:	2
Section:	12
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	50
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
Total cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$1,758

Completed Parcel: Zion WMA

# of T otal Acres:	25
County:	Stearns
Township:	123
Range:	32
Direction:	2
Section:	31
# of Acres: Wetlands/Upland:	25
# of Acres: Forest:	
# of Acres: Prairie/Grassland:	
Amount of Shorline:	
Name of Adjacent Body of Water (if applicable):	
Has there been signage erected at the site:	Yes
T o tal cost of Restoration/Enhancement:	\$858

Parcel Map

