

Federal Recreational Trail Grant Program

2023 Funded Grants

Project #	Applicant Organization	Project Title	Project Description	Type of Use	Total Project Cost	Amount Awarded
0001-23-4D	City of Lonsdale	Groomer replacement	To upgrade our worn out groomer	Joint	\$299,280.19	\$75,000.00
0002-23-2B	City of Babbitt	259D Cat Skid Steer and Swing Boom Brush Cutter	To purchase new skid steer and brush cutter	Motorized	\$102,254.92	\$75,000.00
0003-23-1C	Roseau County	Trails Maintenance Equipment Snow And ATV	To purchase equipment to better maintain our trails in our system (421 miles Snowmobile Trails and 221 miles of ATV trails).	Joint	\$63,000.00	\$47,250.00
0004-23-2A	Itasca County	Purchase of new trail grooming machine	To purchase a new Tucker Terra Sno-Cat for grooming 142-mile snowmobile trail system.	Motorized	\$250,200.00	\$75,000.00
0005-23-2A	Itasca County	Trail Groomer Purchase	To purchase a new Tucker SnoCat. Snowdrifters need a newer more efficient tractor with a lighter footprint	Motorized	\$248,675.00	\$75,000.00
0006-23-2C	Lake County	Trail Maintenance Equipment Purchase	To purchase Polaris Ranger/accessories to increase efficiency in grooming/maintaining trails and improve safety of volunteers and users of the trails.	Motorized	\$78,983.78	\$59,538.00
0007-23-2F	Crow Wing County	New Grooming equipment	To replace older equipment used in maintaining 124 miles of GIA snowmobile trails.	Motorized	\$280,451.00	\$75,000.00
0008-23-2F	Crow Wing County	Little Emily Lake Park	To develop a County Park on Little Emily Lake which will feature numerous miles of walking trail, ATV trail head, bathroom and other amenities.	Joint	\$695,000.00	\$200,000.00
0009-23-2A	Koochiching County	Equipment Purchase Polaris Titan	To replace one of our grooming snowmobiles which is now 7 years old and out of service with a broken transmission.	Non-motorized	\$23,928.00	\$17,946.00
0010-23-3A	Stearns County	Lake Wobegon Trail Enhancement: Albany to Avon	To crack fill on all 56 miles of Lake Wobegon Trail. Spray injection (air) patching and seal coating will occur between Albany, MN and Avon, MN.	Non-motorized	\$70,000.00	\$35,000.00
0011-23-S	Minnesota Trail Riders Association	Trail and Campground Improvement and Maintenance	To help maintain and improve trails and campgrounds in parks and forests for all users.	Non-motorized	\$40,000.00	\$30,000.00
0013-23-2B	City of Orr	2023 Tucker Sno-Cat Grooming Tractor	To purchase new groomer	Motorized	\$269,724.99	\$75,000.00
0014-23-2C	Lutsen Township	Poplar River Bridge Replacement	To replace a bridge across Poplar River that was washed away in spring storm 2022	Joint	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00
0015-23-1B	City of Fergus Falls	Fergus Falls Nordic Ski Trail Initiative	To purchase grooming equipment to be used collaboratively by the City of Fergus Falls and the Otter Tail Nordic Ski Association to expand the ski trail network within Fergus Falls.	Non-motorized	\$25,348.00	\$19,011.00
0016-23-1C	City of Red Lake Falls	Red Lake Falls Recreation Trail Rehabilitation	To rehabilitate an existing trail to provide connectivity to recreational destinations and multimodal access to locations throughout the Red Lake community	Joint	\$910,000.00	\$200,000.00
0018-23-2C	Superior Hiking Trail Association	Clearing the Way for SHT's Resilient Future	To rehab and renew the trail	Non-motorized	\$131,250.00	\$98,430.00
0019-23-2C	Superior Hiking Trail Association	Superior Hiking Trail Mobile Tool Shop	To purchase a trailer to allow to safely transport and store tools and equipment while completing annual maintenance and construction projects along the 300-mile corridor	Non-motorized	\$8,995.00	\$6,747.00
0020-23-4A	Swift County	Land Purchase and Trail Development	To purchasing and develop land near the existing park into a competitive racing track and develop owned land connected to the existing park.	Motorized	\$190,000.00	\$142,500.00
0022-23-3B	Three Rivers Park District	Snowmobile Purchase for Winter Grooming (2 units)	To purchase two new snowmobiles to support the winter grooming of more than 50 miles of singletrack trails within the TRPD system.	Non-motorized	\$20,397.00	\$15,298.00
0024-23-3A	Mille Lacs County	Replacement of Snowmobile Trail Groomer	To purchase a new Tucker Sno-Cat to replace 2006 Groomer	Motorized	\$337,500.00	\$75,000.00
0026-23-3B	Washington County	Lake Elmo Park Reserve Nonmotorized and Motorized Trail Development	To develop new trails in Lake Elmo Park Reserve, including construction of a 7-mile single track trails system that will serve off-road cyclists and 0.25-mile snowmobile trail	Joint	\$387,090.00	\$200,000.00
D001-23-2C	DNR Parks and Trails	Two Harbors to Superior Shores Road	To construct the Gitchi-Gami State Trail between RJ Houle Visitor Center and Superior Shores Road in Two Harbors.	Non-motorized	\$810,000.00	\$200,000.00
D004-23-4D	DNR Parks and Trails	Blazing Star State Trail_ Myre-Big Island SP- TwnshpRd 290-Bridge	To construct 100' long by 12' wide single span, weathering steel pedestrian bridge and deep foundations associated with the Blazing Star State Trail extension across	Non-motorized	\$821,019.00	\$200,000.00
D005-23-3C	DNR Parks and Trails	Root River State Trail	To stabilize of four sites along the Root River ST where river bank erosion and associated slope/bank failure has created unsafe conditions and potential trail closure	Non-motorized	\$550,000.00	\$200,000.00

Totals

Motorized	Non-Motorized	Joint
\$652,038.00	\$822,432.00	\$872,250