DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Consolidated Minerals Project

DNR Mineral Potential Evaluation Section (MPES) has initiated a project to develop a consolidated solution for archiving and distributing minerals data. The project goal is rollout of a new application to provide a single point of access to information about Minnesota minerals such as exploration reports, geospatial information, and raw data from field and lab work.

Over the course of the project, new and previously undigitized data are being compiled for solutions testing purposes, and will be shared in advance of the full application release. This data should be considered preliminary and is offered strictly as-is.



Figure 1. An example of an airborne geophysics dataset.

Advance Release Data

This table summarizes advance data offered as of November 2019. Data and updates can be accessed from the <u>Mineral Potential Projects page</u>. Additional exploration data is available in the <u>MinArchive</u> and <u>Lehmann Family</u> <u>Fund Collection</u> resources. For more information, please contact project liaison james.olson@state.mn.us</u>.

Project	Approx. Number of Documents	Subjects
Cardero	348	Geophysics, geochemistry, borings, metallurgy, management
Land'o'dixie	31	Geophysics, geochemistry, borings
Mud Creek	18	Geophysics, geochemistry, borings
Area II (includes I and III)	17	Geophysics