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**PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET**  
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**PROJECT:** Northeastern Minnesota Environmental Infrastructure and Resource Protection and Development Program - (C)

**DESCRIPTION:** The Program area includes the Minnesota counties of Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching, Itasca, Cass, Crow Wing, Aitkin, Carlton, Pine, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, Morrison, Beltrami, Hubbard, Wadena, Isanti, and Chisago. Section 569 provides the Corps of Engineers the authority to assist public entities in the 18-county area with water-related infrastructure projects. Work may be in the form of design and construction assistance for water-related environmental infrastructure and resource protection and development projects in NE Minnesota, including projects for wastewater treatment and related facilities, water supply and related facilities, environmental restoration, and surface water resource protection and development. The program encompasses both the Mississippi Valley Division (MVD) and the Great Lakes and Ohio River Division. The Program is administered by MVD/St Paul District (Roland Hamborg, 651- 290-5327), with individual projects managed by the respective District.

**CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST:** Cravaack (MN-8); Senator Franken (MN), Senator Klobuchar (MN)

**LOCATION MAP & PICTURE:**



**NON-FEDERAL PROJECT SPONSOR:** various local communities

**PROJECT AUTHORITY:** Section 569 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1999, as amended - Northeastern Minnesota Environmental Infrastructure and Resource Protection and Development Program

**FUNDING:**

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Federal</u>	<u>Non-Federal</u>
Current Working Estimate:	\$ 72,000,000	\$ 54,000,000	\$ 18,000,000
Funds Allocated prior to FY11:	\$ 17,025,000	\$ 12,769,000	\$ 4,256,000
FY11 Energy and Water Allocation:	\$	\$	\$
FY11 GLRI Allocation:	\$	\$	\$
FY12 Budget:	\$	\$	\$
Funds required to complete (>FY12):	\$ 54,975,000	\$ 41,231,000	\$ 13,744,000

**STAGE:** Construction

**STATUS:** Future funding would be used to assist communities that are selected for funding through a selection process established for the program. Design and construction efforts continue for FY10 and FY09 projects (Aurora, Chisholm, Iron Junction, Proctor, WLSSD Gary Pump ARRA and Midway ARRA). Work has recently been completed in Cloquet, Biwabik, Duluth CIPP ARRA, Duluth East Interceptor ARRA. WRDA 2007 amended the authorization, which negated LRE's signature authority of Model PPAs until USACE HQ re-issues new Model Project Partnership Agreements (PPAs). The PPA for Grand Portage Central Village needs to be amended to add funding.

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