


# The Greater MN Business Development Public Infrastructure (BDPI) Grant Program

*Providing the public infrastructure necessary for private investment*



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"DEED is dedicated to economic development in all cities across Minnesota."

## What is BDPI?

- The BDPI program provides grants to cities in Greater Minnesota of up to 50% of the capital costs for the public infrastructure necessary to expand economic growth, retain or create jobs, or increase the tax base (§ 116J.431).
- Greater Minnesota cities depend on the BDPI program to attract new businesses and create jobs in their communities.

## BDPI since 2010:

- 167 BDPI grants to Greater Minnesota cities and counties
- More than 5,000 jobs created and 9,500 retained
- More than \$75 million awarded

Our Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure Grant Program is one of the many ways we invest in our growing local economies."

— DEED Commissioner Matt Varilek,  
2/9/2024

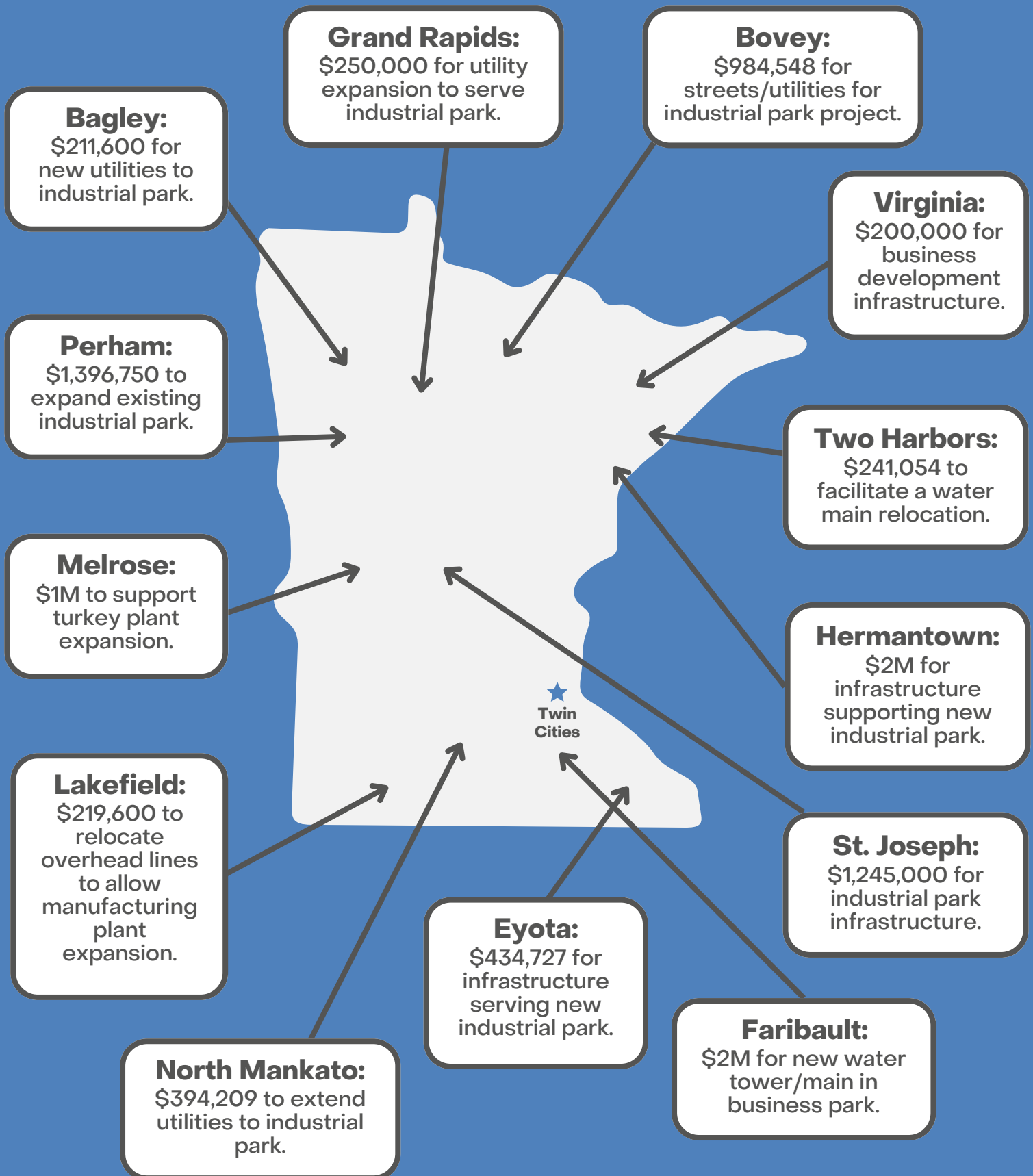
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**Support the Greater Minnesota BDPI program and help Greater Minnesota's economy grow!**

## 2025 BDPI Proposal:

- \$20 million in General Obligation bonds
  - Senate File \_\_\_\_\_ House File \_\_\_\_\_
- Increase base General Fund appropriation to at least \$2.5M/year
  - Senate File \_\_\_\_\_ House File \_\_\_\_\_

# How are BDPI grants being used across Greater Minnesota?



# The BDPI Grant Program has helped more than 80 Greater Minnesota communities grow in the past 10 years alone!



City	Year	Amount	City	Year	Amount	City	Year	Amount
Arlington	2016	\$66,275	Grand Meadow	2015	\$310,000	Owatonna	2014	\$240,221
Austin	2023	\$1,650,175	Grand Rapids	2021	\$250,000	Owatonna	2016	\$177,190
Bagley	2019	\$211,850	Harmony	2021	\$256,279	Owatonna	2020	\$176,624
Becker	2018	\$1,446,361	Hendricks	2018	\$153,000	Paynesville	2019	\$1,889,993
Bemidji	2023	\$1,509,300	Hermantown	2024	\$2,000,000	Pelican Rapids	2014	\$254,065
Bovey	2016	\$82,625	Hibbing	2016	\$143,007	Pequot Lakes	2020	\$164,700
Brooten	2017	\$1,025,000	Howard Lake	2016	\$180,122	Perham	2019	\$1,293,663
Brooten	2022	\$856,179	Hutchinson	2019	\$322,650	Princeton	2021	\$575,000
Cambridge	2015	\$1,800,000	Hutchinson	2023	\$53,821	Redwood Falls	2022	\$1,164,200
Carlton County	2016	\$106,228	International Falls	2020	\$346,669	Rockville	2015	\$55,094
Chatfield	2018	\$116,416	International Falls	2022	\$122,084	Royalton	2017	\$135,599
Chisago City	2024	\$302,757	Isle	2022	\$450,968	Sauk Centre	2021	\$1,243,363
Claremont	2016	\$318,212	Jackson	2018	\$44,124	Sleepy Eye	2019	\$985,587
Cohasset	2015	\$250,000	Kenyon	2019	\$562,889	Spring Grove	2017	\$325,918
Cokato	2022	\$432,691	La Prairie	2014	\$175,000	Spring Valley	2019	\$608,966
Cold Spring	2019	\$951,330	Lakefield	2019	\$219,600	St. James	2022	\$382,067
Delano	2024	\$1,334,000	Lester Prairie	2023	\$1,459,522	St. James	2024	\$259,956
Detroit Lakes	2014	\$87,031	Luverne	2015	\$90,714	St. Joseph	2018	\$1,245,000
Dodge Center	2019	\$529,735	Luverne	2017	\$1,982,000	St. Michael	2022	\$609,720
Ely	2015	\$109,165	Luverne	2022	\$467,422	Staples	2014	\$23,230
Ely	2016	\$750,000	Marshall	2017	\$2,000,000	Stewart	2016	\$450,519
Eyota	2020	\$250,675	Melrose	2016	\$1,000,000	Thief River Falls	2017	\$1,600,000
Fairmont	2019	\$336,432	Moorhead	2022	\$2,000,000	Two Harbors	2017	\$241,054
Faribault	2018	\$1,057,000	North Branch	2019	\$400,575	Villard	2015	\$166,291
Faribault	2021	\$2,000,000	North Mankato	2018	\$352,912	Virginia	2014	\$775,708
Faribault	2016	\$843,957	North Mankato	2024	\$1,108,100	Virginia	2015	\$250,000
Fosston	2023	\$960,460	Otsego	2018	\$704,724	Wadena	2019	\$600,211
Grand Marais	2015	\$250,000	Otsego	2015	\$288,247	Waseca	2020	\$522,086



# COALITION OF GREATER MN CITIES

A large, light-colored graphic featuring a stylized landscape of Minnesota. It includes a road on the left, a forest of trees in the center, and a city skyline with a prominent domed capitol building on the right. The text 'COALITION OF' is positioned above the landscape, and 'GREATER MN CITIES' is positioned below it.

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