

Grant All-Detail Report

High Potential Zone - Lawns to Legumes Demonstration Neighborhood 2020

Grant Title - Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside Minneapolis

Grant ID - C20-9473

Organization - Bassett Creek WMC

Original Awarded Amount	\$40,000.00	Grant Execution Date	4/24/2020
Required Match Amount	\$4,000.00	Original Grant End Date	12/31/2022
Required Match %	10%	Grant Day To Day Contact	Laura Jester
Current Awarded Amount	\$40,000.00	Current End Date	12/31/2022

Budget Summary

	Budgeted	Spent	Balance Remaining*
Total Grant Amount	\$40,000.00	\$1,593.40	\$38,406.60
Total Match Amount	\$151,328.00	\$5,304.65	\$146,023.35
Total Other Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$191,328.00	\$6,898.05	\$184,429.95

^{*}Grant balance remaining is the difference between the Awarded Amount and the Spent Amount. Other values compare budgeted and spent amounts.

Budget Details

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	Activity					Transaction	ng
Activity Name	Category	Source Type	Source Description	Budgeted	Spent	Date	Fund
Administration	Administration /Coordination	Current State Grant	Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside Min	\$1,860.00	\$265.80	6/26/2020	N
Administration	Administration /Coordination	Local Fund	City of Minneapolis	\$2,212.00			Υ

Activity Name	Activity Category	Source Type	Source Description	Budgeted	Spent	Last Transaction Date	Matchi ng Fund
Education + Outreach	Education/Info rmation	Current State Grant	Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside Min	\$3,700.00	\$1,065.40	6/26/2020	N
Education + Outreach	Education/Info rmation	Local Fund	City of Minneapolis	\$27,100.00			Υ
Education + Outreach	Education/Info rmation	Local Fund	Mortenson Foundation	\$1,700.00	\$500.00	6/26/2020	Y
Installation	Special Projects	Current State Grant	Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside Min	\$22,125.00			N
Installation	Special Projects	Local Fund	City of Minneapolis	\$67,520.00			Υ
Project Development and Management	Project Development	Current State Grant	Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside Min	\$2,250.00	\$262.20	6/26/2020	N
Project Development and Management	Project Development	Local Fund	City of Minneapolis	\$12,975.00			Y
Project Development and Management	Project Development	Local Fund	Mortenson Foundation	\$6,600.00	\$3,503.40	6/26/2020	Υ
Technical Assistance and Training	Technical/Engi neering Assistance	Current State Grant	Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside Min	\$10,065.00			N
Technical Assistance and Training	Technical/Engi neering Assistance	Local Fund	City of Minneapolis	\$31,521.00			Υ
Technical Assistance and Training	Technical/Engi neering Assistance	Local Fund	Mortenson Foundation	\$1,700.00	\$1,301.25	6/26/2020	Υ

Activity Details Summary

Activity Details	Total Action Count	Total Activity Mapped	Proposed Size / Unit	Actual Size / Unit
712M - Bioretention Basin	30		0.14 AC	AC

Proposed Activity Indicators

Activity Name Indicator Name Value & Units Waterbody Calculation Tool Comments

Final Indicators Summary

Indicator Name	Total Value	Unit

Grant Activity

Grant Activity - Administration			
Description	Contracting, invoicing, reporting, bookkeeping; collecting and processing cost share payments; paying contractors. Activities completed by Metro Blooms. Match from Minneapolis is through Metro Blooms for admin activities related to boulevard bioswales.		
Category	ADMINISTRATION/COORDINATION		
Start Date	End Date		
Has Rates and Hours? Actual Results	No Tracking hours spent working on project, management of budget. eLink reporting.		

Grant Activity - Education + Outreach Description Project focus is on equitable engagement of racially diverse, low income environmental justice communities. Effort spans multiple near north neighborhoods and is co-designed, implemented and evaluated with neighborhood partners and project stewards. Goal to engage 150 residents total (immediate participants and through broader outreach), including residents from 2-3 affordable housing sites. Activities include: participant and partner recruitment, engagement, and communication. Recruitment and training of project stewards or "block captains" to facilitate community building and social cohesion among projects. Coordination of outreach, engagement events, project evaluation, and volunteer recruitment/engagement. Subcontracting with neighborhood and/or community organizations for engagement. Specific engagement activities may include Facebook live or Instagram TV "block parties", in person block parties as possible, presence at existing community events either in person or virtually, and targeted recruitment, training and support of block captains to facilitate engagement processes. Project promotions, articles, press engagement, and social media campaign coordination/implementation. Also includes education and promotional materials (maintenance guides, evaluation materials, volunteer materials) and website/project map updates. Metro Blooms completes activities. Match from Mortenson and Minneapolis is through Metro Blooms and spans all engagement activities. Category **EDUCATION/INFORMATION End Date Start Date Has Rates and Hours?** No **Actual Results** Developed partnerships with local neighborhood organizations including Harrison Neighborhood Organization, Minnesota Interfaith Power and Light, Jordan Area Community Council, and Michael Cheney from Project Sweetie Pie. We are subcontracting with each organization to help us recruit project participants that are representative of the area's demographics. In addition to this, we have developed a number of resources for stakeholders, participant leaders (called "block captains"), and general participants.

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Grant Activity - Installation				
Description	Project installations aim to connect Theodore Wirth Park with the Mississippi River, creating connected pollinator patches			
	throughout Near North Minneapolis and the main stem watershed of Bassett Creek.			
	Young adult crews and Blue Thumb partners subcontracted to install pollinator projects at 50-70 residential properties			
	10,500 sq ft habitat), including approximately 30-40 boulevard bioswales, 30 pollinator plantings in residential yards, and			
	trees and shrub plantings at 50 properties. Includes all materials (plants, seed, trees/shrubs, mulch, compost, soil/sod			
	disposal, and rental equipment).			
	Boulevard bioswales covered by match from City of Minneapolis, which is provided to Metro Blooms. Metro Blooms is			
	responsible for completing all activities.			
Category	SPECIAL PROJECTS			
Start Date	End Date			
Has Rates and Hours?	No			
Actual Results	No installations completed as of 6.26.2020			

Activity Action - Bouleva	Activity Action - Boulevard Bioswales				
Practice	712M - Bioretention Basin	Count of Activities	30		
Description	Boulevard bioswales installed with City of Minneapolis match. Planted with Rusty Patched Bumblebee habitat				
Proposed Size / Units	0.14 AC	Lifespan	10 Years		
Actual Size/Units	AC	Installed Date			
Mapped Activities	No	Technical Assistance Provider			

Grant Activity - Project Dev	Grant Activity - Project Development and Management			
Description	Project development and support. Coordination with partners and staff to align project installations with partner goals. Participant and partner recruitment and communication. Coordination and scheduling of engagement, installation, and maintenance activities, including maintenance agreements with participants. Subcontractor bidding and contracting. Facilitate crew recruitment and hiring, crew training and scheduling, project inspections, evaluation and reporting.			
	Activities completed by Metro Blooms. Mortenson and Minneapolis match through Metro Blooms for all project development activities.			
Category	PROJECT DEVELOPMENT			
Start Date	End Date			
Has Rates and Hours?	No Metro Blooms holds bimonthly team meetings to discuss our timeline, project management details, recruitment and engagement strategy, plant palette development, and our installation/construction plans.			
Actual Results				

Description	Consultation and Design, Construction Management + Training: Site assessment for each participant to locate/size project coordinate tree removal and replacement for boulevard bioswales as needed. Develop 5-6 planting designs for pocket		
	plantings based on USFWS native plants for Rusty Patched Bumblebee forage. Planning and coordination of installation.		
	Crew training and oversight during grinding, excavation, grading and planting/seeding. Prep and training of crews,		
	contractors, project stewards. Training and guidance in establishment and long term maintenance for all participants.		
	Metro Blooms completes activities.		
	Mortenson match for consultation and design. Minneapolis match for all technical assistance activities. Match provided to		
	Metro Blooms.		
Category	TECHNICAL/ENGINEERING ASSISTANCE		
Start Date	End Date		
Has Rates and Hours?	No		
Actual Results	Metro Blooms Landscape Designers have developed plant palettes containing pollinator-friendly flowers with staggered		
	bloom times that do well in compacted, urban soils. We have created both sun and shade plant palettes. Each plant		
	palette covers 75 square feet. We have also created plant palettes for pollinator friendly trees and shrubs.		

Grant Attachments

Document Type	Description
Grant Agreement	2020 Lawns to Legumes Grant - Bassett Creek WMC
Grant Agreement	2020 Lawns to Legumes Grant - Bassett Creek WMC
Workflow Generated	Workflow Generated - All Details Report - 06/17/2020
Workflow Generated	Workflow Generated - Application - 01/10/2020
Progress	Progress Dated - 06/17/2020
Grant	Resilient Yards for Pollinator Conservation in Northside
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Workflow Generated	Workflow Generated - Work Plan - 04/14/2020
Workflow Generated	Workflow Generated - Work Plan - 01/23/2020
Workflow Generated	Workflow Generated - Work Plan - 03/26/2020
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