



# 2019 - SWCD Local Capacity Services (Freeborn SWCD)

Clean Water Fund: SWCD Local Capacity Services 2019

**Grant Award: \$118,000**

**Total Project Budget: \$118,000**

**Progress as of February 2022:**

Fund Type	Spent
Grant	\$118,000
Match*	\$18,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$136,000</b>

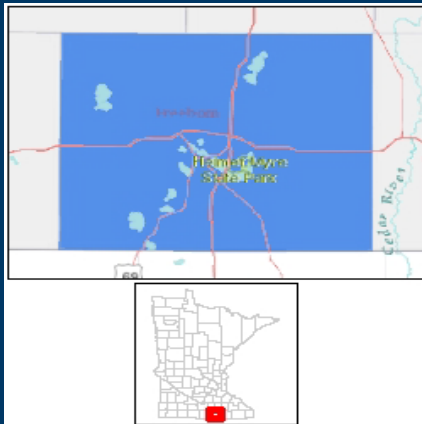
*\*Includes minimum 25% local match*

**Grant Period:**

October 2018 - December 2021

**Project Sponsor:**

Freeborn SWCD



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## Pollution Reduction Estimates

Indicator Name	Proposed	Actual
<b>Phosphorus (Est. Reduction) (LBS/YR)</b>		149.68
<b>Sediment (Tss) (TONS/YR)</b>		103.61
<b>Soil (Est. Savings) (TONS/YR)</b>		217.8

## Actual Outcomes

No grant funds have been expended as of 12/31/2019.

Workplan updated with county match and billable rates have been entered.

Work plan budget items adjusted as requester by BWSR BC.

2019 Activities were spent administering this grant, eLINK reporting and time tracking, supervision of staff, and SWCD Board updates. Manager 129 hours @ \$56.81, Manager 45.5 hours @ \$58.18 per BWSR billable rates. Funds were spent on staff time and tuition for a new manager. eLINK reporting, time tracking, and work plan activities. Hiring and firing, Manager training. 2019 activities: 2 Tech 93 hours @ \$44.77, 2 Tech 278 hours @ \$45.01, 3 Tech 8.5 hours @ \$44.62.

Worked on providing CRP planning assistance to several landowners and participated in Soil Health team as members, outreach committee, and taking minutes. Assisted customers with buffer law and erosion concerns. Attended BWSR academy and pursuing ecological and engineering JAA. Pursuing Certified Conservation Planner. Also attends Blue Earth Civic Engagement meetings, Shell Rock River & Cedar River Advisory meetings. Assists new NRCS staff with programs and training. (CRP planning and surveying basins and waterways). 2019 preparing for and attending 1W1P meetings and reporting back to SWCD board. Manager 51 hours @ \$56.81, Manager 2 hours @ \$58.18.

Reporting is completed for 2020.

All reporting for 2021 complete. All grant funds expended.

