



# CRWD Grant Programs

Capitol Region Watershed District (CRWD) grant programs provide financial and technical assistance to help build projects and support programs that protect local lakes and the Mississippi River.

Polluted runoff – rainwater and snowmelt that flows over hard surfaces and into storm sewers – is a leading cause of decreased water quality in lakes and rivers, particularly in urban areas. Much of the land in CRWD is already developed and privately owned, so collaboration with residents, non-profits, schools, businesses, and faith-based groups to build clean water projects and develop programs that help protect our water resources is essential. Find out if you or your organization qualify for a CRWD grant.

## Who is eligible?

Residents, non-profits, schools, businesses, and public agencies within the boundaries of CRWD are eligible for grant funding. For a map of CRWD visit [capitolregionwd.org/about-crwd](http://capitolregionwd.org/about-crwd). CRWD will evaluate the assistance amount based on the potential water quality or community impact of a project.

## What are the different kinds of grants?

CRWD offers several grants to encourage adoption of best management practices and behaviors that improve water quality of the Mississippi River, lakes and wetlands.

Read more about each on the reverse side.



Above: Saint Paul Parks and Recreation Parks Ambassadors, Partner Grant.

Below: Residential rain garden, Clean Water Project Grant.





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## Clean Water Project Grants

**Goals:** Provide financial and technical assistance to homeowners and public, private, and non-profit organizations to construct stormwater best management practices (BMPs) that protect and improve water quality in CRWD.

**Range of award:** \$500-\$200,000 per project. Accepted throughout the year.

## Clean Water Project Maintenance Grants

**Goals:** Provide financial and technical assistance to homeowners and public, private, and non-profit organizations for maintenance of previously funded Clean Water Projects.

**Range of award:** \$200-\$2,000 annually for the effective life of a project, in most cases ten years after project completion. Accepted throughout the year.

## Native Landscape Grants

**Goals:** Provide financial and technical assistance to install native landscaping and pollinator friendly habitat projects in CRWD's Focus Area.

**Range of award:** Up to \$1,000 one-time. Accepted throughout the year.

## Planning Grants

**Goals:** Provide financial assistance to public, private, and non-profit organizations for feasibility and design of cost-effective and/or innovative projects that protect and improve waterbodies within CRWD.

**Range of award:** The average award is \$20,000. Accepted throughout the year.

## Partner Grants

**Goals:** Provide financial assistance to public, private and non-profit organizations to educate CRWD residents and promote clean water actions.

**Range of award:** \$10,000-\$40,000. Accepted annually.

### Learn more and apply:

[capitolregionwd.org/grants](http://capitolregionwd.org/grants)

Call: 651-644-8888

595 Aldine St., St. Paul, MN 55104



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Residential rain garden, Clean Water Project Grant.