

Bridging Conservation Grant Program

Overview

The Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) is now accepting grant applications for the Bridging Conservation Grant Program, which supports the creation or expansion of outreach and education programs for non-native English-speaking communities regarding conservation.



About the Grant

A Request for Proposals (RFP) will be open from Feb. 4 to April 2, 2026, to allow eligible partners time to submit questions. Grant requests must be between a minimum of \$10,000 and a maximum of \$45,000. There is no required match for this program.

The primary purpose of activities funded through this grant is to promote conservation for non-native English-speaking communities through education and outreach programs and activities; ensure conservation information, training, and programs are linguistically and culturally relevant and accessible; equip non-native English-speaking communities with the knowledge to practice conservation in their daily lives and advocate for environmental stewardship.

Eligible activities may include administration/coordination, education/information, project development, and supplies and equipment (i.e. with a primary purpose of outreach and/or education).

How to Apply

Visit the BWSR website for more information and to complete an application at the [Apply for BWSR Grants webpage](#). Request for Proposals will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. April 2, 2026.

For More Information

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