## Clean Water Fund Recommendations for FY24-25 (SF1682)



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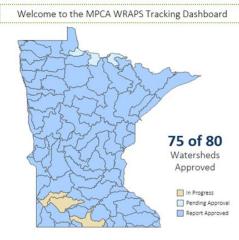
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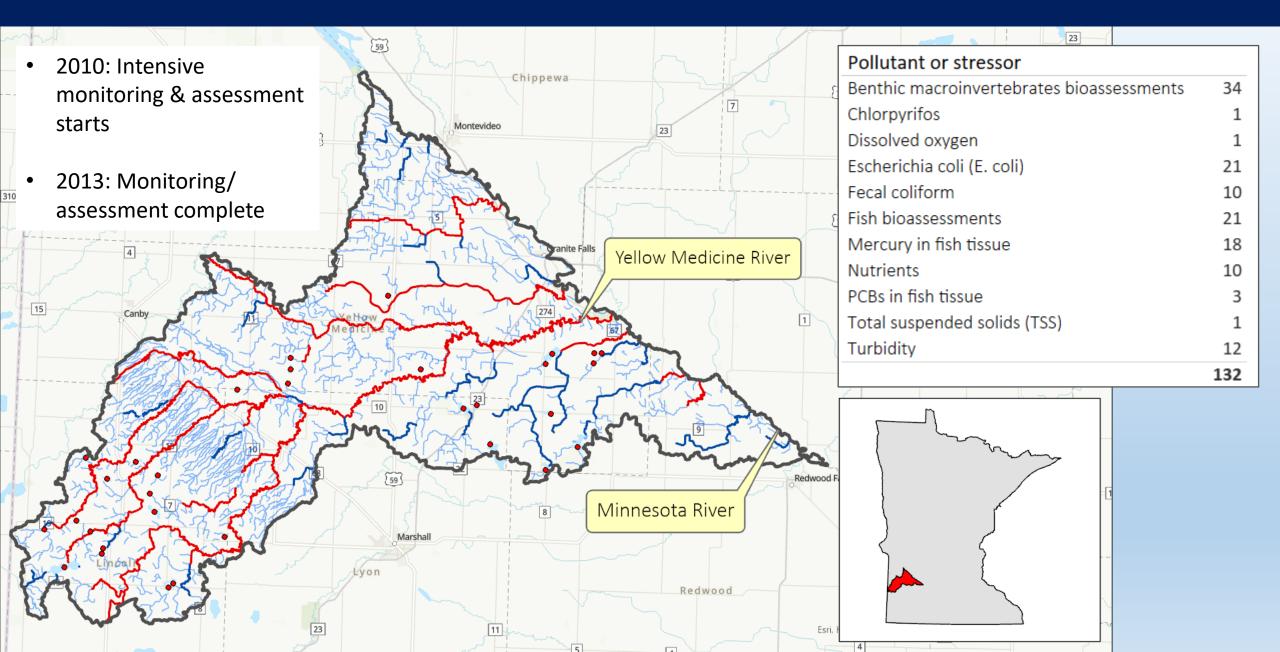


CWF Strategy The Watershed Approach

- Test waters for impairments
- Find source of problem (Monitoring, assessment & characterization)
- Make a plan to protect it or fix it (Watershed/Groundwater Restoration & Protection Strategies-WRAPS/GRAPS; One Watershed One Plan)
- Fund the fix (Implementation: Technical assistance, protection strategies, restoration projects, other)
- Measure to see if the fix worked

THIS TAKES A DECADE OR MORE ON A WATERSHED SCALE

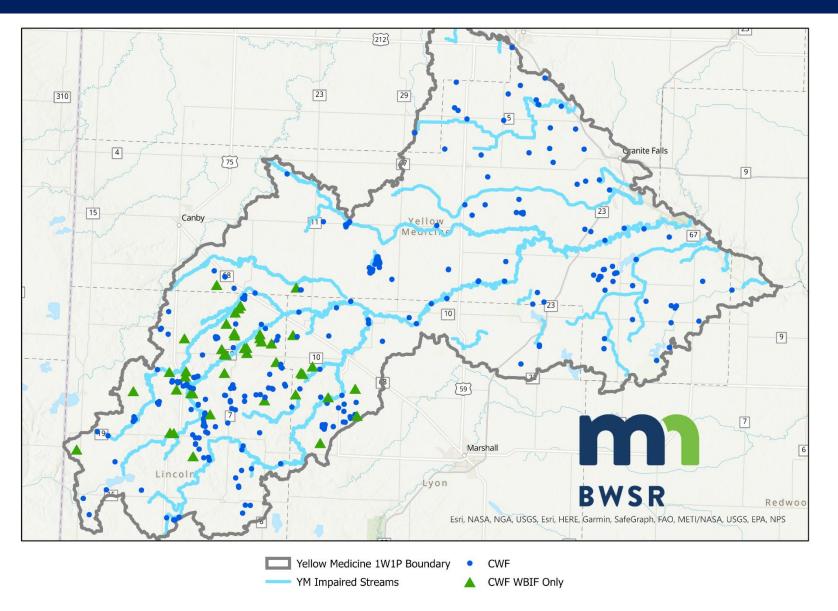
## Example: Impaired waters in the Yellow Medicine River Watershed



Do These PROJECTS			By YEAR				Get These An			ID IT WILL DST			
Drainage	Treatment Group Type & Number of BMPs	Cost	Issue	Unit	Existing Con- ditions	Quant Metric	titative Meas Amount (%)*	Target Load Reduction	Year	PTMApp Scenario Reduction	5 year Load Reduction Goal	10 year Load Reduction Goal	10 yr. Progress towards Measurable Goal (%)
Drainage to Mississippi River	Storage (244) Filtration (78) Infiltration (3) Source Reduction (812)	\$6,437,605	Sediment	tons/ yr	116,416	Annual Load (mass/yr.)	45	52,387	2025	14,488	7,244	14,488	28
			Nutrients: Total Nitrogen	lbs/yr	10,848	Annual Load (mass/yr.)	45	4,882	2040	112	56	112	2
			Nutrients: Total Phosphorus	lbs/yr	134	Annual Load (mass/yr.)	45	60	2025	12	6	12	20
			Excess Runoff: 2 Year	acre feet	71,177	2-Yr. Runoff Volume	25	17,794	2030	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
			Excess Runoff: 10 Year	acre feet	167,868	2-Yr. Runoff Volume	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Drainage to Upper Iowa River	Storage (44) Filtration (15) Source Reduction (268)	\$1,410,038	Sediment	tons/ yr	112,249	Annual Load (mass/yr.)	45	50,512	2025	27,776	13,888	27,776	55
			Nutrients: Total Nitrogen	lbs/yr	32,828	Annual Load (mass/yr.)	745	14,773	2040	3,285	1,642	3,285	22
			Nutrients: Total Phosphorus	lbs/yr	2,024	Annual Load (mass/yr.)	45	911	2025	360	180	360	40
			Excess Runoff: 2 Year	acre feet	7,781	2-Yr. Runoff Volume	25	1,945	2030	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
			Excess Runoff: 10 Year	acre feet	17,036	2-Yr. Runoff Volume	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Excerpt from Root River "One Watershed One Plan"

## Yellow Medicine River Watershed Planning Area Clean Water Funded Best Management Practices



Practice Type	Total Number of Activities*				
Septic System Improvement	8				
Alternative Tile Intake - Dense Pattern Tiling	33				
Alternative Tile Intake - Gravel Inlet	76				
Alternative Tile Intake - Other Blind Intake	5				
Critical Area Planting	2				
Well Decommissioning	57				
Diversion	1				
Filter Strip	45				
Grade Stabilization Structure	2				
Grassed Waterway and Swales	17				
Streambank and Shoreline Protection	1				
Structure for Water Control	1				
Denitrifying Bioreactor	1				
Water and Sediment Control Basin	69				
Wetland Restoration	1				
Wetland Creation	1				
Grand Total	320				

\*Note: Number of practices maybe greater as treatment trains of BMPs grouped together

- 2017: Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan Complete
- 2018-2023: Three major grants (green triangles)
- 2021: Monitoring 2<sup>nd</sup> cycle



## Thank you!