

#### 2024 University of Minnesota Capital Request

Senate Capital Investment Committee March 5, 2024



#### Building Minnesota's Future

Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR) funding was created by the Legislature to recognize the uniqueness and complexity of the buildings and properties owned by the University of Minnesota and Minnesota State, and provide funding for their maintenance.

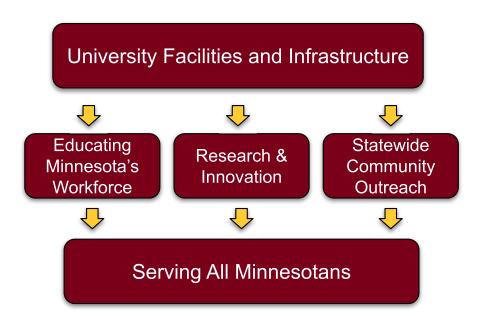




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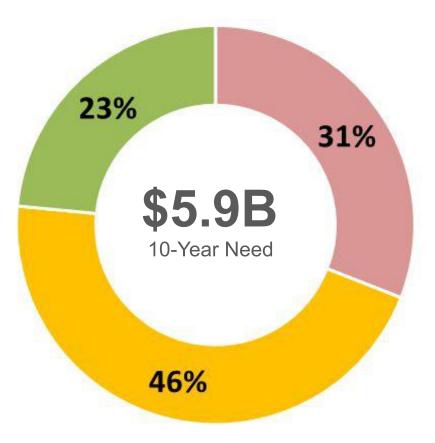
\$500 million in Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR) funding

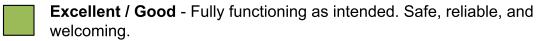
- Funds more than 150 projects systemwide to support education, research and outreach
  - Represents 8.5% of the
     University's \$5.9 billion need
  - No net new square footage
  - Supports space consolidation for future cost savings

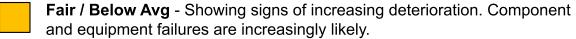


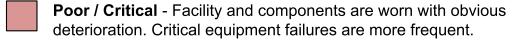


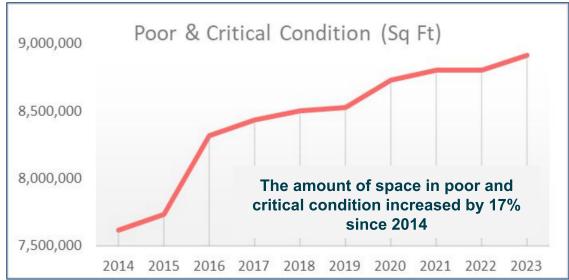
#### Campus Condition is Declining











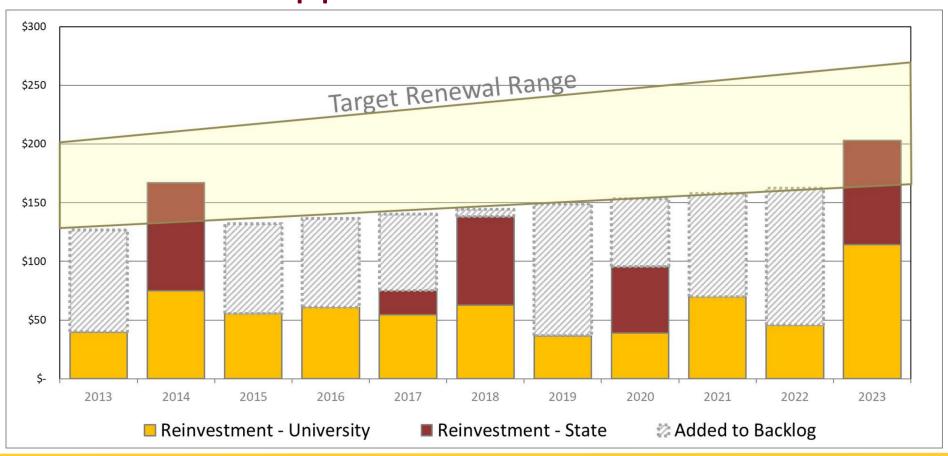


# Inconsistent State Funding Adds to Backlog

Year	HEAPR Requested	HEAPR Received	Percent (%)
2014	\$ 100,000,000	\$ 42,500,000	43%
2015	\$ 55,000,000	\$ 0	0%
2016	\$ 100,000,000	\$ 0	0%
2017	\$ 100,000,000	\$ 20,600,000	21%
2018	\$ 200,000,000	\$ 45,000,000	23%
2019	\$ 200,000,000	\$ 0	0%
2020	\$ 200,000,000	\$ 38,495,000	19%
2021	\$ 200,000,000	\$ 0	0%
2022	\$ 400,000,000	\$ 0	0%
2023	\$ 200,000,000	\$ 43,350,000	22%
10-year	\$ 1,755,000,000	\$ 189,945,000	11%



#### State Support is Critical to Success





#### **HEAPR** supports Safety and Accessibility

A safe and accessible campus is fundamental for success

- Fire alarms and sprinklers
- Code related enhancements
- Equal access (e.g. ramps, elevators, drinking fountains)









Top: Twin Cities - Washington Ave. Pedestrian Bridge Enclosure and Railings Bottom: Itasca Research Ctr. - Visitor Cabin (left); Morris - Multi-Ethnic Resource Center (right)



#### **HEAPR** supports Reliability

## Unreliable buildings disrupt learning and research (and cost more)

- Mechanical, electrical and plumbing systems
- Utility systems
- Building roofs and windows







Left: Morris Campus - ruptured natural gas pipe
Right: TC - McNeal roof standing water (top); Food Sci. Nutrition - aged refrig. compressors (bottom)



#### **HEAPR** supports Asset Preservation

Extending the life of past investments is both responsible & economical

- Structural stabilization
- Exterior shell renewal
- Mechanical system modernization











Top: McNeal Hall ceiling failure

Bottom: Pattee Hall - exterior rehab (left); Eddy Hall - full capital renewal is needed (right)



#### **HEAPR** is Cheaper

Asset preservation support allows us to focus state, tuition, and external grant dollars on core mission, student success, and right-sizing the University's facility portfolio.

- Preserve and extend the life of buildings
- Enable colleges to advance critical program enhancements
- Avoid the need for new facilities or costly emergency repairs



#### HEAPR is Cheaper - An Example (Before)





Left: Mechanical Engineering Building; improvised HVAC piping, window A/C units, and makeshift window coverings Right: Typical ab interior pre-renovation



#### HEAPR is Cheaper - An Example (After)





Left: The centralized mechanical room in the HEAPR renovated portion of the old (north) wing.

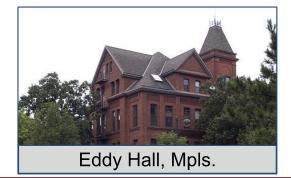
Right: the new machine shop in the north wing that was done at the same time as the HEAPR work, funded by the University.



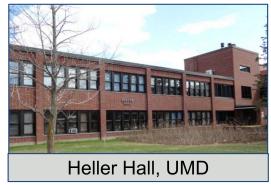




Multi-Ethnic Res. Ctr., UMM









Food Sci. Nutrition, St Paul





#### Heating Plant - U of M Crookston

- Replaces critical components to ensure reliability (does not replace the boiler itself)
- Strategic campus and climate action plan will determine best long term energy solution
- U of M continues to pursue all eligible opportunities for federal funding of renewable energy projects



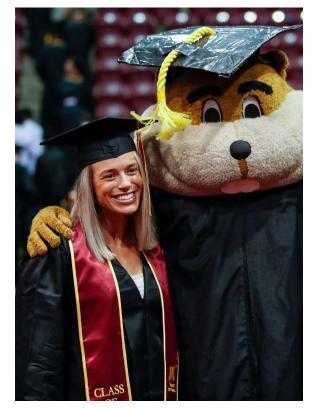
Stack completely rusted through



#### Investing in Minnesota's future workforce

#### **HEAPR** funding:

- Improves safety and accessibility
- Supports student learning and success
- Enables the University to increase key programs' enrollment to meet Minnesota's workforce needs







#### State Capital Appropriations Report

#### **Progress Update**

- Report presented to Legislature in January as required by law
- 97% of the 2020 appropriations have been spent or encumbered
- 94% of the 2023 appropriations have been spent, encumbered, or otherwise obligated to specified projects
- Track record of 90+% of appropriation "spent, encumbered or otherwise obligated" within 2 years of the bill

#### Benefits to the State (last 5 years)

- 90% of project expenditures have gone back into MN companies
- Supported >250 vendors, in more than 80 cities and 20 counties
- Over 30% of construction expenditures were with businesses owned and operated by people of color, women, and/or persons with a disability



#### 2023 HEAPR Funding - Sample Projects

- Owen Hall Exterior Envelope Renewal Crookston
- AB Anderson HVAC Replacement Duluth
- Engineering Building Lab HVAC Duluth
- Humanities Fine Arts Roof Replacement Morris
- Campus Utility Storm and Sanitary Renewal Morris
- Fieldhouse Accessible Restrooms Minneapolis
- Mondale Hall Fire Sprinkler & Accessible Restroom Minneapolis
- High Voltage Electrical Replacement St Paul
- Ecology Building Water Intrusion Repairs St Paul
- Elevator Modernization in 5 buildings Minneapolis / St Paul
- Campus Water Distribution Hubachek Research Center, Ely
- Main Office Roof and Exterior Siding Replacement, SROC, Waseca





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