



Solar For Schools Annual Legislative Report

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute 216C.375, subd. 11

January 15, 2024

REPORT PREPARED BY

Division of Energy Resources
Minnesota Department of Commerce
85 7th Place East, Suite 280
St. Paul, MN 55101
<https://mn.gov/commerce/energy/>

As requested by Minnesota Statute 3.197: This report cost approximately \$518.00 to prepare, including staff time, printing, and mailing expenses.

Upon request, this material will be made available in an alternative format such as large print, Braille, or audio recording. Printed on recycled paper.

Minnesota Department of Commerce

Mission

For more than 150 years, the Minnesota Department of Commerce and its predecessor agencies have served Minnesotans. Our mission is to protect and assist consumers, to ensure a strong, competitive, and fair marketplace, and to engage people and communities across the state.

Our Strategic Priorities

- Protect the public interest through consumer protection, consumer education, assistance to consumers, safety, health and financial security, and lowering inequities.
- Serve as a trusted public resource for consumers and businesses by listening and learning from the Minnesotans Commerce services, being effective stewards of public resources, advocating for Minnesota consumers and developing a policy, programmatic, and regulatory environment that meets their needs.
- Reduce economic barriers within Commerce regulatory oversight and reduce disparities within those of all races, ethnicities, religions, economic statuses, gender identities, sexual orientations, (dis)abilities, and zip codes.
- Ensure all, especially historically disadvantaged Minnesotans, are resilient to Minnesota's climate and engaged in advancing efforts to mitigate climate change.
- Ensure a strong, competitive, and fair marketplace for Minnesotans.

For more about the Department of Commerce: mn.gov/commerce.

Learn more about Commerce's Solar for Schools Program at [Solar for Schools / Minnesota Department of Commerce - Energy \(mn.gov\)](#)

Contents

- Introduction.....4
- Background.....4
 - Commerce Solar for Schools.....4
 - Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards Solar for Schools.....5
- 2023 Program Design6
 - Commerce Solar for Schools.....6
 - Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards for Schools.....8
- Commerce Solar for School 2023 Annual Summary9
 - RFP Funding Round 1.....9
 - RFP Funding Round 2..... 10
- Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards Solar for Schools 2023 Annual Summary 11
- Program Impact and Outlook 12
 - Minnesota Impact 12
 - Grant Distribution..... 14
 - 2024 Program Outlook 16
- Appendix 1: Commerce SFS Grantees 19
- Appendix 2: Breakdown of SFS schools in House and Senate Districts.....21

Introduction

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute § 216C.375 subd. 11, the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (DER) presents this 2023 Annual Report regarding 2023 Solar for Schools projects implemented under the programs enabled under Minnesota Statutes [§ 216C.375](#) and [§ 216C.376](#).

Beginning January 15, 2022, and each year thereafter until January 15, 2028, the Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Commerce (Commissioner) must report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over energy regarding:

1. Grants and amounts awarded to schools under this section during the previous year.
2. Financial assistance, including amounts per award, provided to schools under section 216C.376 during the previous year.
3. Any remaining balances available under this section and section 216C.376.

Additionally, we acknowledge that 216C.376 was repealed, and 216C.375 was amended to incorporate reporting on: the amount of electricity generated by solar energy generating systems awarded a grant under this section and the impact on school electricity expenses. Commerce will report on these data in January 2025 following a full program year of implementation under the amended statute.

Background

The Solar for Schools (SFS) grant program was established and became law in the 2021 Commerce and Energy Omnibus bill passed during the Special Session in June 2021. It was funded through the special revenue fund and through the Renewable Development Account (RDA). SFS is designed to stimulate the installation of solar energy systems on Minnesota public schools, K-12 as well as state colleges and universities, while using the opportunity to integrate renewable energy use into school curriculum. There are two separately designed programs, introduced below and detailed in subsequent sections.

Commerce Solar for Schools

Minnesota Statute § 216C.375 established the Solar for Schools grant incentive program for eligible schools outside of Xcel Energy territory (Commerce SFS). This establishment directs Commerce to develop and administer a program to provide financial assistance to enable eligible schools to install and operate solar energy systems that can be used as teaching tools and be integrated into the school curriculum.

Money from the general fund was transferred to the Commissioner and credited to the account through Laws of Minnesota 2021, 1st Spec. Sess. Chapter 4, Article 1, Section 2, Subd. 8(c), which transferred \$8,000,000 in the

first year. The \$8,000,000 is to provide financial assistance to schools to purchase and install solar energy generation systems under Minnesota Statutes, section 216C.375. The appropriation must be expended on schools located outside the electric service territory of the public utility that is subject to Minnesota Statutes, section [116C.779](#)¹ (Xcel Energy or Xcel). Any remaining funds on June 30, 2027, will transfer back to the general fund.

Subdivision (d) also transfers \$1,242,000 in the first year to provide financial assistance to schools that are defined as state colleges and universities for the purchase and installation of solar energy generating systems under Minnesota Statutes, section 216C.375. This appropriation must be expended on colleges and universities located outside the electric service territory of the public utility that is subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 116C.779 (i.e., Xcel Energy). The base amount for fiscal year 2024 is \$1,138,000. Any remaining funds on June 30, 2027, also transfer back to the general fund.

Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards Solar for Schools

Minnesota Statute § 216C.376 established the Solar for Schools grant incentive program for eligible schools located within the electric service territory of the public utility that is subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 116C.779 (Xcel S*R SFS). Minnesota Statute § 216C.376 directed Xcel Energy to operate this program to provide financial assistance to enable schools to install and operate solar energy systems that can be used as teaching tools and be integrated into the school curriculum. While Minnesota Statute § 216C.376 was repealed during by the Legislature in 2023, this report addresses work carried out prior to the repeal during the 2023 calendar year.

Minnesota Statute § 216C.376 directed Xcel Energy to withhold \$8,000,000 from the transfer made under section 116C.779, subdivision 1, paragraph (e), the RDA account, to pay for assistance provided by the program to eligible K-12 schools. Xcel Energy additionally was directed to transfer \$1,242,000 in the first year to provide financial assistance to eligible state colleges and universities under the same program. Xcel Energy service territory, and thus the schools served through this program, is primarily in the Twin Cities metropolitan area.

Xcel Energy was instructed under section 216.376 to submit a plan to the Commissioner for approval. Any proposed modifications to that plan would need to also be approved by the Commissioner. Xcel Energy's plan was submitted in October 2021 and approved by the Commissioner in Docket 21-718.² Xcel Energy operates that plan under their current Solar*Rewards program as Solar*Rewards Solar for Schools which the Commissioner also approves on an annual basis.

Moving forward, per the 2023 Legislative changes, the Minnesota Department of Commerce will administer the Solar for Schools program as one statewide program inclusive of schools in both Xcel Energy territory and non-Xcel Energy-territory.

¹ See also 116C.779, subdivision 1, paragraph (e) and 2021 1st Special Session Laws, Chapter 4, Article 8, Section 24, Subd. 5.

² Docket No. E002/M-21-718 E002, Commissioner Decision December 20, 2021.

2023 Program Design

Commerce Solar for Schools

Minnesota Statute § 216C.375 directs the Commissioner to award grants based on Commerce’s assessment of the school’s need for financial assistance. The statute is mute on the criteria for determining a school’s need for financial assistance. Throughout 2021, staff reached out to stakeholders, the Minnesota Department of Education (MDE), and the Minnesota School Board Association for input on how to determine a school’s financial need in an equitable manor without creating a barrier to participate in the program. Based on this feedback, staff concluded that taking a school’s Adjusted Net Tax Capacity (ANTC) divided by their Adjusted Pupil Units (APU) was a simple and transparent metric to use.³ This metric is known by districts, is publicly available data, and is used by the MDE for determination of financial need for multiple programs. These criteria, and the maximum allowable grant, were also used in the 2023 program year. *Table 1* lays out the maximum level of grant funding for which an individual school project is eligible.

| MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE GRANT | | |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Public School ANTC/APU | % System Cost | Not to Exceed |
| under \$5,000 | 95% | \$114,000 |
| > \$5,000 | 85% | \$102,000 |
| > \$9,250 | 70% | \$84,000 |
| > \$13,500 | 55% | \$66,000 |
| > \$17,750 | 40% | \$48,000 |
| over \$22,000 | 25% | \$30,000 |
| Colleges & Universities | 40% | \$48,000 |

Table 1 Commerce SFS 2022 Program Year Grant Metrics

The Commerce SFS program was developed as a two-step Request for Proposal (RFP) application process. Prior to beginning an application, schools must first obtain a unique project ID number from Commerce by emailing Commerce at SolarForSchools@state.mn.us. The email must include the school’s primary point of contact’s name, title, phone number, and email address along with the school/building name, school district/university or

³ See [Minnesota School Finance: A Guide for Legislators](#) for additional information.

college system, district number, and office mailing address. These ID numbers are included on all correspondence including emails, phone calls, the application, and technical assistance, allowing Commerce to track schools throughout the project development process.

Step 1 – Notice of Intent: School Readiness Assessment:

The Notice of Intent: School Readiness Assessment is used to demonstrate a school’s readiness to move forward with procuring a solar photovoltaic (PV) system. This step incentivizes schools to do some level of background research, figuring out go/no-go situations, and preparing them for the procurement process. In general, schools will have contacted their electric utility, explored potential installation sites, identified potential roadblocks, begun planning and implementing solar-related curriculum for students, and demonstrated school support for pursuing solar. Schools are encouraged to use this [PDF List of Readiness Assessment Questions](#) to prepare their application or reach out to the Clean Energy Resource Teams (CERTs) for free technical assistance.

Step 2 – Full Grant Application:

Those schools deemed ready to apply are invited to complete a Full Grant Application. At this stage, grant funds are tentatively reserved for a school’s project. Schools have roughly three months to move through the procurement process, select a developer, and complete the application. The application must be completed by the school’s selected solar developer or utility. This portion of the process requires submission of final project details including PV system details such as total cost and lifetime savings, selected developer information, final installation site details, and more. If a school meets all requirements pertaining to the full application, they have one year from the start of their contract with Commerce to complete the installation and commissioning of the system.

Technical Assistance:

Clean Energy Resource Teams (CERTs) connects individuals and their communities to the resources they need to identify and implement community-based clean energy projects. CERTs empower communities and their members to adopt energy conservation, energy efficiency, and renewable energy technologies and practices for their homes, businesses and local institutions.

In a statewide partnership with Commerce, CERTs provide free, unbiased general guidance and technical assistance to schools at any stage of the solar development process. Schools were encouraged to reach out to CERTs to meet the Readiness Assessment or Full Grant Application requirements. The following is a non-exhaustive list of the free services that CERTs can provide to schools:

- Solar 101 Training for Schools
- Solar Site Assessments
- Solar Procurement Best Practices
- Solar Curriculum Development
- Tips to Selecting a Solar Developer
- Financing a System and Ownership Options
- Student Empowerment Resources

Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards for Schools

The incentive structure for the 2023 Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards Solar for Schools program matches the 2022 incentive structure as approved by the Commissioner per Table 2, below. In the Xcel Energy administered program, incentives are based on customer type and include both up-front and performance-based incentives components. Funds are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

| | 10-year PBI (\$/kWh) | Up-front Incentive (\$/W) |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Non-Income-Qualified Schools | \$0.04 | \$0.10 |
| State College and University Campuses | \$0.04 | \$0.10 |
| Income-Qualified Schools: | | |
| ≤40 kW AC | \$0.04 | \$1.10 |
| >40 and ≤100 kW AC | \$0.04 | \$0.90 |
| >100 and ≤500 kW AC | \$0.04 | \$0.70 |
| >500 and <1000 kW AC | \$0.04 | \$0.60 |

*Table 2 Xcel's Solar*Rewards SFS 2023 Program Year Grant Incentive Structure*

On July 3 a comment period was opened due to the company's supplemental comments on the 2022 annual report. After all comments were reviewed and staff analysis was completed a final decision was posted in docket 13-1015 on August 23, 2023.

The Commissioner's August 23, 2023, Decision, pertinent to the Solar*Rewards for Schools program was as follows:

- Approve Xcel's proposal to administratively close the Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards for Schools program as found on tariff sheets 9-100 to 9-112, to stop accepting new applications, and to stop processing previously submitted applications that have not already been allocated incentives but allow Xcel to continue to process the remaining Solar*Rewards for Schools applications that have already been allocated incentives.

Commerce Solar for School 2023 Annual Summary

In 2023, Commerce held two separate Request for Proposal (RFP) funding rounds, detailed in *Table 3*. This section includes high-level metrics of the Commerce SFS program including the total number of grants awarded, amounts awarded to specific schools, the total amount of remaining funds, a cumulative summary of previous years’ projects, and other project information.

| RFP Funding Round | Readiness Assessment | Full Grant Application |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Round 1 (K-12& Colleges) | January 9 – February 6 | Due May 31 |
| Round 2 (K-12 & Colleges) | August 08 –September 05 | Due by December 29 (Extended to January 31 st 2024) |

Table 3 Commerce SFS RFP Funding Schedule

RFP Funding Round 1

The application process was open to eligible K-12 public schools as well as colleges and universities in the first RFP funding round.

Step 1 – Notice of Intent: School Readiness Assessment:

By February 6, 22 Readiness Assessments were submitted, representing 16 school districts. These 22 readiness assessments represented \$2,010,000 in maximum grants possible, and all of those 22 schools were invited to submit full applications.

Step 2 – Full Grant Application:

By May 31, 17 out of the 22 schools had completed a full application. Those 17 schools represented a maximum grant expenditure of \$1,589,479, which represents 79% of the estimated cost during step 1. Figure 1 outlines all relevant information pertaining to the first round of funding for the 2023 year.

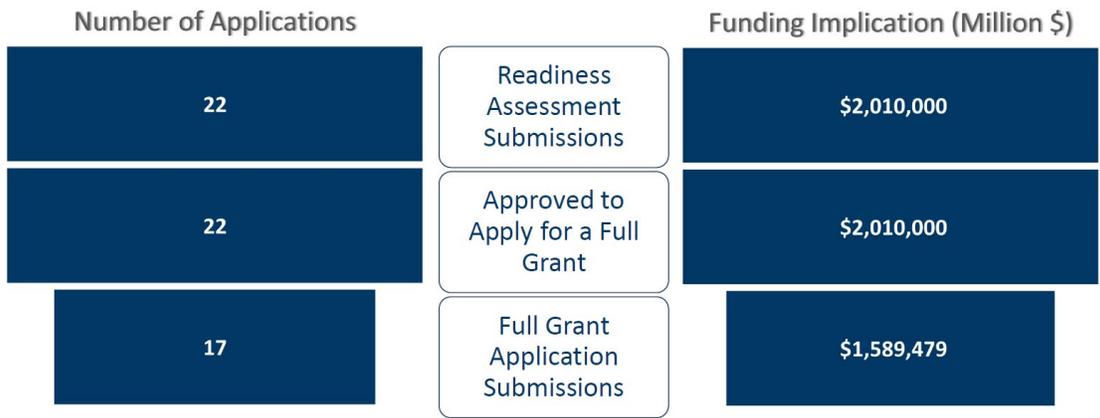


Figure 1 Funding Implications of Commerce SFS RFP Round 1 Applications by Stage

RFP Funding Round 2

The second round of funding was opened for applications on August 8, with readiness assessments due by September 5. As of September 5, 35 schools submitted readiness assessments representing 15 school districts. There was also one college or university that also applied. These applicants represented a total of \$3,312,000 of maximum allowable grants. All these schools were invited to submit a full application with the original deadline to submit these final applications being December 29, 2023. This deadline was pushed back to January 31, 2024. Due to this extension, there are no further data on the second round for 2023.

Xcel Energy Solar*Rewards Solar for Schools 2023 Annual Summary

Xcel Energy filed Docket 21-718 December 1, 2023, with an update regarding the projects that had been commissioned since launching in May 2022, including the 2023 program year. Since launching, Xcel’s Solar*Rewards SFS program has received 11 applications; one has since withdrawn. Since not all the active projects have signed the tariffed contract, they have not yet agreed to the terms and agreements for public filed data.⁴ Once they sign this tariff contract, then pursuant to its terms⁵ Xcel can publicly provide this information. Until then, the information remains non-public, and product specific data on whether projects are income qualified is unavailable. The table below reflects the public data currently available as of the December 1, 2023, filing. Additional detail on the remaining projects will be provided in the 2023 Annual Program Report to be filed on June 1.

All 8 projects account for \$2,671,525 dollars which represents 34% of the possible allocation for the 2023 program year. Public data on each project is detailed in *Table 5*. Xcel’s program will become part of the Department’s program starting in 2024, and the Department’s program qualifications will be applied to future schools in Xcel service territory.

| School Name | District | System Size (kW DC) | Upfront Incentive: \$/watt |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Rosemount High School | Independent School District No. 196 | 213 | \$0.10 |
| Park Center High School | Independent School District No. 279 | 525 | 0.70 |
| Richfield STEM School | Independent School District No. 280 | 203 | \$0.70 |

⁴ as defined in Xcel’s Section 9 Tariff, Original Sheet No. 106

⁵ Tariff sheet 9-106, par. 8.f.

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|--------|
| Edgerton Elementary School | Independent School District No. 623 | 144 | \$0.90 |
| Harambee Elementary | Independent School District No. 623 | 59 | \$1.10 |
| John F. Kennedy High School | Independent School District No. 271 | 493 | \$0.70 |
| Adams Elementary School | Independent School District No. 11 | 103 | \$0.90 |
| Hoover Elementary School | Independent School District No. 11 | 287 | \$0.70 |

Table 5 Xcel Solar*Rewards SFS Active Project Applicants

Program Impact and Outlook

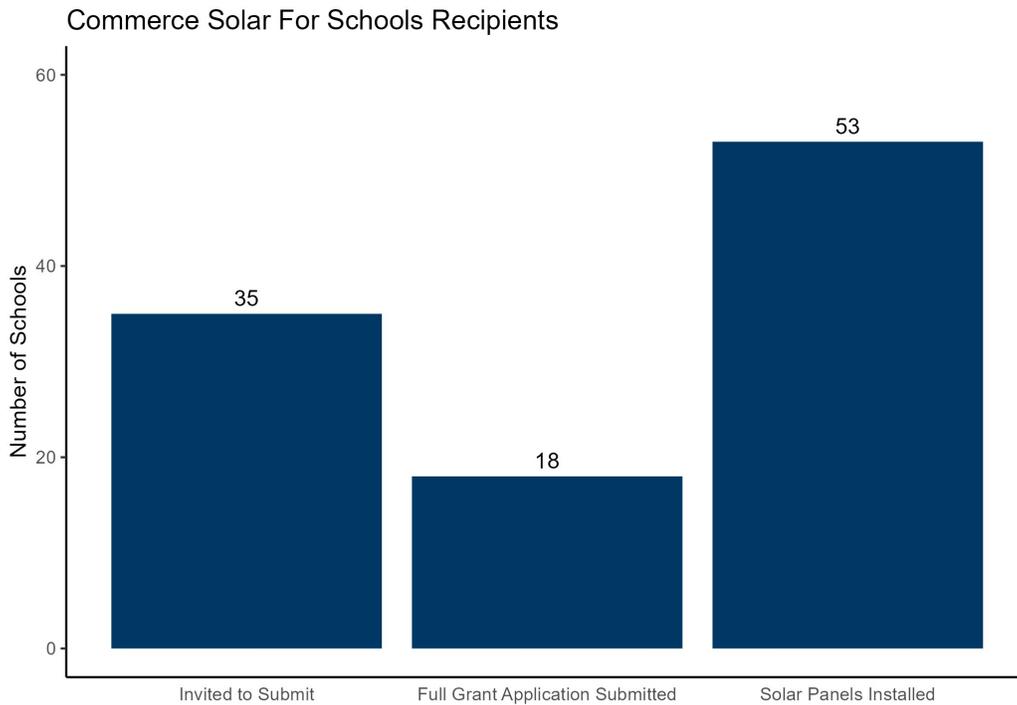
Across the nation, schools are increasingly going solar. In September 2022, Generation180 released their biannual report, *Brighter Future: A Study on Solar in U.S. K-12 Schools*. The report found that, since 2015, the cumulative installed solar school capacity has tripled with the total number of solar schools doubling.⁶ Through 2021, 9% of K-12 schools and 19% of school districts nationally had solar PV systems. The report found that, between 2020 and 2021 alone, the number of solar schools and solar installed capacity at schools grew by 14% and 22%, respectively.

Minnesota Impact

For the Commerce SFS programs, 53 schools across Minnesota have currently installed solar on their schools via the SFS program. There are also another 53 schools that are currently on track to have solar installed, with 35 schools invited to submit full applications and 18 full applications submitted. The overview of the number of solar schools from the Departments SFS program detailed in *Figure 2*.

⁶ [Brighter Future: A Study on Solar in U.S. K-12 Schools](#)

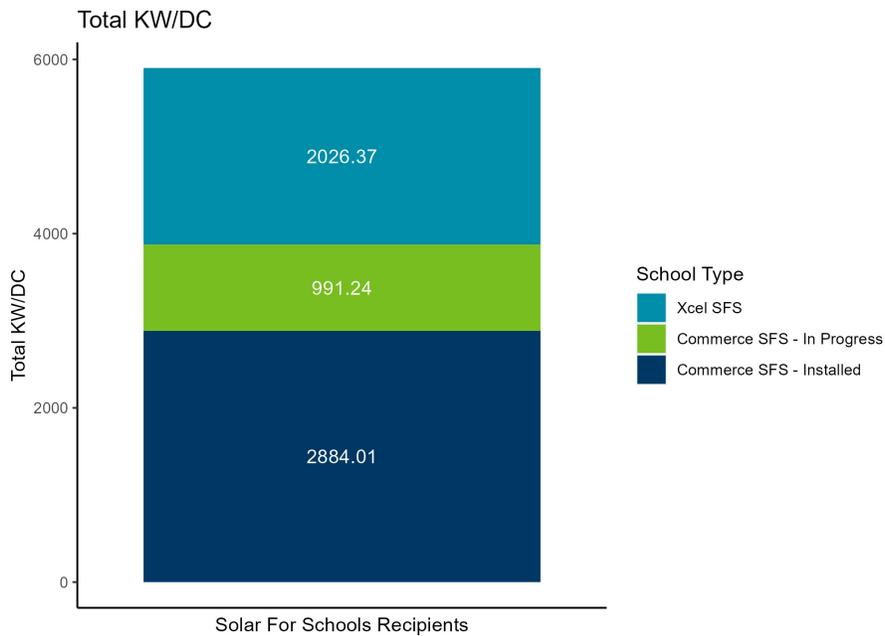
Figure 2 Current status of all projects within the Commerce SFS program



Through 2021, the cumulative installed solar capacity at Minnesota K-12 schools was over 23 MW.⁷ The current totals for the cumulative solar capacity installed is outline in Figure 3. The current installed capacity from Commerce SFS program is around 2.8 MW, with around another megawatt of solar currently in progress. This would result in a total of around 3.8 MW of installed solar. The Xcel SFS program also contains around 2 MW of solar capacity, resulting in over 5 MW of solar installed on schools in Minnesota via SFS programs. Figure 3 below outlines this data.

⁷ [Brighter Future: A Study on Solar in U.S. K-12 Schools](#) and Commerce internal data

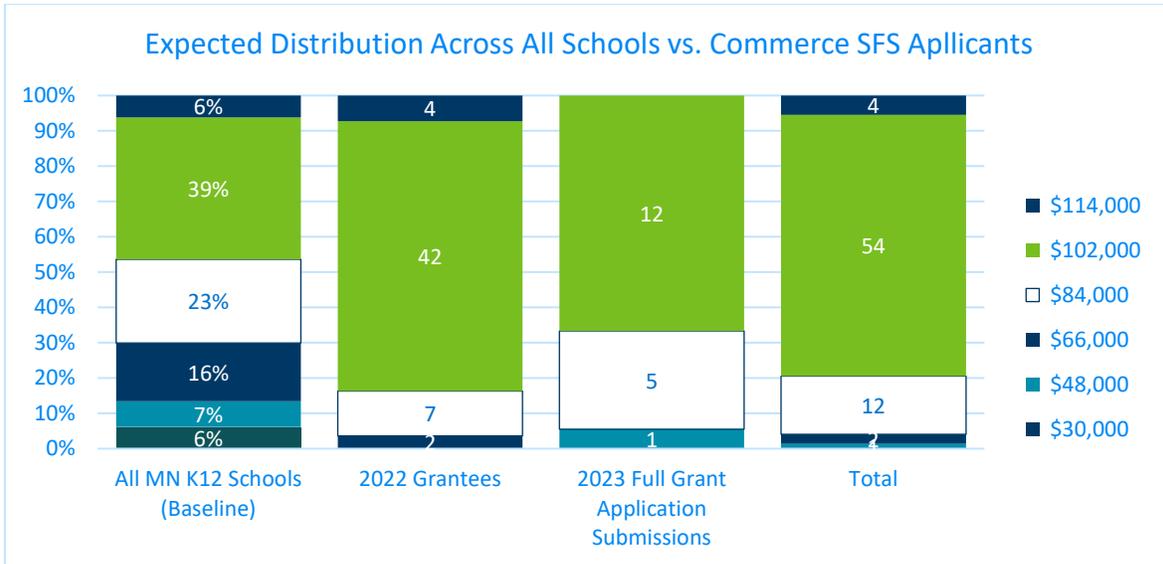
Figure 3 Minnesota's Cumulative K-12 Solar School Capacity



Grant Distribution

Figure 4 illustrates the distribution of the Commerce SFS applicants compared to the expected distribution when looking across all of Minnesota's school districts. Both the Readiness Assessment school applicants as well as the Full Grant Application applicants were heavily weighted in the two highest grant award levels. These represent the schools deemed to be in the highest financial need and demonstrate that the program is reaching the schools that were least likely to be able to afford going solar.

Figure 4 Distribution of Grants across all solar for school applications



Additionally, the geographic distribution of solar schools has greatly expanded with the launching of the Commerce SFS program, as illustrated in *Figure 5*; the blue labeled solar schools indicate schools that have installed solar via the SFS program delivered by the Department of Commerce. No Xcel schools are listed on this map due to non-public data.

Figure 5 Geographic Distribution of Minnesota Solar Schools



2024 Program Outlook

Commerce SFS grant remaining funds are detailed in *Figure 6*. Currently, there are nearly \$13,964,830 million of the Commerce SFS K-12 grant funds available for schools outside of Xcel service territory and \$16,707,855 million for inside Xcel service territory. The college and university funding pool of \$3,118,000 remains available.

Figure 6 Commerce SFS Grant Funds Available as of November 2023

Total Remaining Grant Funds, Less Admin Costs and Program Reservations

| | 2022-2023 Allocation | | | 2023+ Budget Increase | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| | Grant \$ | Reserved | Rollover | Grant \$ Increase | Total Avail. |
| K-12 Outside Xcel | \$7,512,000 | \$7,047,170 | \$464,830 | \$13,500,000 | \$13,964,830 |
| K-12 Inside Xcel | \$7,960,000 | \$2,671,525 | \$5,288,475 | \$11,419,380 | \$16,707,855 |
| Colleges | \$2,142,000 | \$48,000 | \$2,094,000 | \$1,024,000 | \$3,118,000 |

During the 2023 legislative session, changes to the limitations of the program were made. The highlights of these changes are that the maximum size of a potential system increased to a maximum of 1,000 kW. The ability for more schools to apply has also changed with cooperative districts along with tribal contract schools. Both changes have an impact on the maximum grant allowable for the 2024 program year along with federal tax investments from the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA).

Another change for the 2024 program year is the addition of the Xcel SFS program into the Department’s program. The current criteria that are in place for SFS will be applied to schools within Xcel service territory. The only current difference for schools inside Xcel territory versus outside is the cap for the maximum grant for schools. Inside Xcel service territory the maximum cap is \$675,000 whereas outside Xcel service territory it is \$500,000. Table 6 below outlines these changes. Other than this change, no additional changes to the program have been made as it pertains to the Xcel Solar for Schools program.

| School Type | System Size (kWdc) | Grant Value (% of System Cost) | Outside Xcel Grant Cap (\$) | Inside Xcel Grant Cap (\$) |
|---|--------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Independent & Special School Districts | | | | |
| ANTC/APU ≤ \$5,000 | ≤ 50 | 70% | \$ 84,000 | \$ 84,000 |
| | >50 and ≤ 125 | | \$ 175,000 | \$ 175,000 |
| | > 125 and ≤ 625 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 675,000 |
| | > 625 and ≤ 1250 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 675,000 |
| ANTC/APU > \$5,000 & ≤ \$9,250 or Tribal Contract Schools | ≤ 50 | 60% | \$ 72,000 | \$ 72,000 |
| | >50 and ≤ 125 | | \$ 150,000 | \$ 150,000 |
| | > 125 and ≤ 625 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 600,000 |
| | > 625 and ≤ 1250 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 675,000 |
| ANTC/APU > \$9,250 & ≤ \$17,750 or MNSCU | ≤ 50 | 50% | \$ 60,000 | \$ 60,000 |
| | >50 and ≤ 125 | | \$ 125,000 | \$ 125,000 |
| | > 125 and ≤ 625 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 500,000 |
| | > 625 and ≤ 1250 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 675,000 |
| ANTC/APU > \$17,750 or Cooperative Districts | ≤ 50 | 40% | \$ 48,000 | \$ 48,000 |
| | >50 and ≤ 125 | | \$ 100,000 | \$ 100,000 |
| | > 125 and ≤ 625 | | \$ 400,000 | \$ 400,000 |
| | > 625 and ≤ 1250 | | \$ 500,000 | \$ 600,000 |

Table 6: Maximum Grant Allowable

Prior to the launching of both SFS programs, Minnesota ranked 13 of all 50 states in cumulative installed solar school capacity and 11 in overall number of solar K-12 schools.⁸ Considering the impact both SFS programs have already had on the number of and total capacity of solar schools in the state and the likely increase in demand resulting from direct pay, Minnesota has the potential to capitalize on these programs, becoming a national leader in solar schools.

⁸ [Brighter Future: A Study on Solar in U.S. K-12 Schools](#) and Commerce internal data

Appendix 1: Commerce SFS Grantees

| District Name | School/Install Location Name | System Size (kWdc) | Final Grant Amount |
|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Centennial School District | Golden Lake Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Sleepy Eye Public Schools | Sleepy Eye Elementary | 59.2 | \$66,000.00 |
| Sleepy Eye Public Schools | Sleepy Eye High School | 59.2 | \$66,000.00 |
| Cloquet Public Schools | Cloquet Secondary Campus | 45.92 | \$107,458.00 |
| Moose Lake Community School District | Moose Lake Community School | 49.6 | \$96,968.00 |
| Esko Public Schools | Esko Athletic Center / School Forest Classroom | 29.52 | \$86,700.00 |
| Moorhead Area Public Schools | Horizon Middle School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Moorhead Area Public Schools | Probstfield Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Lakeville Schools | Kenwood Trail Middle School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Lakeville Schools | Century Middle School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Rosemount, Apple Valley, Eagan | School of Environmental Studies | 26 | \$62,900.00 |
| Albert Lea Area Schools | Halverson Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Albert Lea Area Schools | Southwest Middle | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Ashby Public School District | Ashby Public School | 48.23 | \$102,000.00 |
| Osseo Area Public Schools | Basswood Elementary | 59.2 | \$84,000.00 |
| Osseo Area Public Schools | Oak View Elementary | 59.2 | \$84,000.00 |
| Houston Public Schools | Houston High School | 49.6 | \$111,674.00 |
| Houston Public Schools | Houston Elementary / Bus Garage | 49.6 | \$111,674.00 |
| Braham Area Schools | Braham High School | 49.6 | \$101,902.00 |

| | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------|
| Braham Area Schools | Braham Elementary School | 40.8 | \$92,603.00 |
| Mora Public Schools | Mora Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Mora Public Schools | Mora High School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Marshall Public Schools | Marshall High School | 49.6 | \$101,809.00 |
| Marshall Public Schools | Marshall Middle School | 49.6 | \$99,913.00 |
| Marshall Public Schools | Park Side Elementary | 49.6 | \$101,809.00 |
| Marshall Public Schools | Southview Elementary | 49.6 | \$99,913.00 |
| Marshall Public Schools | CTE Center | 49.6 | \$93,691.25 |
| Stewartville School District | St. Peter High School | 51.06 | \$102,000.00 |
| Saint Peter Public School District | St. Peter Middle School | 51.06 | \$102,000.00 |
| Byron School District | Byron High School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Stewartville School District | Bear Cave Intermediate | 49.6 | \$96,078.00 |
| Rochester Public Schools | Dakota Middle School | 59.2 | \$84,000.00 |
| Rochester Public Schools | Longfellow Elementary School | 59.2 | \$84,000.00 |
| New York Mills Public School | New York Mills Public School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Hermantown Community Schools | Hermantown Senior High | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Hermantown Community Schools | Hermantown Middle School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Proctor Public Schools | Pike Lake Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Proctor Public Schools | Bay View Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Shakopee Public School District | Shakopee East Middle School | 51.87 | \$102,000.00 |
| Shakopee Public School District | Sweeney Elementary | 51.87 | \$102,000.00 |
| Verndale Public School District | Verndale Elementary | 59.2 | \$114,000.00 |
| St. James Public Schools | St. James Middle/High School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |

| | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|-------|--------------|
| St. James Public Schools | Northside Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Rothsay Public Schools | Rothsay Public School | 48.23 | \$84,000.00 |
| Delano Public Schools | Delano High School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Delano Public Schools | Delano Intermediate School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Hinckley-Finlayson School District | Hinckley-Finlayson High School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Hinckley-Finlayson School District | Hinckley Elementary | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Morris Area Schools | Morris Elementary / High School | 49.05 | \$84,000.00 |
| Plainview Elgin Millville Community Schools | Plainview-Elgin-Millville 4-6 | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Plainview Elgin Millville Community Schools | Plainview-Elgin-Millville Pk-3 | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Tri-City United Schools | Tri-City High School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |
| Tri-City United Schools | Le Center Elementary-Middle School | 59.2 | \$102,000.00 |

Appendix 2: Breakdown of SFS schools in House and Senate Districts

House Districts:

| House District | School Count | Total Award |
|----------------|--------------|---------------|
| 15A | 5 | \$ 497,135.25 |
| 11B | 4 | \$ 408,000.00 |
| 03B | 3 | \$ 306,000.00 |
| 11A | 3 | \$ 291,126.00 |
| 04A | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |

| | | |
|-----|---|---------------|
| 09A | 2 | \$ 186,000.00 |
| 15B | 2 | \$ 132,000.00 |
| 18A | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 20B | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 21B | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 22B | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 23A | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 24A | 2 | \$ 198,078.00 |
| 26B | 2 | \$ 223,348.00 |
| 28A | 2 | \$ 194,505.00 |
| 29A | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 37B | 2 | \$ 168,000.00 |
| 54A | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 57A | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 05B | 1 | \$ 114,000.00 |
| 08A | 1 | \$ 102,000.00 |
| 09B | 1 | \$ 102,000.00 |
| 12A | 1 | \$ 84,000.00 |
| 24B | 1 | \$ 84,000.00 |
| 25A | 1 | \$ 84,000.00 |
| 36A | 1 | \$ 102,000.00 |
| 56A | 1 | \$ 62,900.00 |

Senate Districts:

| Senate district | School count | Total Award |
|------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 11 | 7 | \$ 699,126.00 |
| 15 | 7 | \$ 629,135.25 |
| 03 | 3 | \$ 306,000.00 |
| 09 | 3 | \$ 288,000.00 |
| 24 | 3 | \$ 282,078.00 |
| 04 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 18 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 20 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 21 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 22 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 23 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 26 | 2 | \$ 223,348.00 |
| 28 | 2 | \$ 194,505.00 |
| 29 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 37 | 2 | \$ 168,000.00 |
| 54 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 57 | 2 | \$ 204,000.00 |
| 05 | 1 | \$ 114,000.00 |
| 08 | 1 | \$ 102,000.00 |
| 12 | 1 | \$ 84,000.00 |
| 25 | 1 | \$ 84,000.00 |
| 36 | 1 | \$ 102,000.00 |
| 56 | 1 | \$ 62,900.00 |