

Murray Soil and Water Conservation District

BWSR Service Grants:

General Services-\$17,647
RIM Services- \$6,227

Funds Returned to State

Type \$ 0.00
Date Fund Returned: NA

Grant Period

From: 07/01/2010
To: 06/30/2012

Service Grant Expenditures by Category

Technical/Administrative Assistance Funds

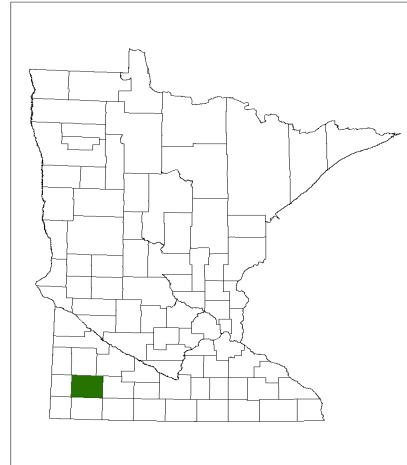
General Services	\$17,647
RIM Services	\$6,227

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FY 2011 Service Grants: General Services and RIM Services

Murray County, MN



Overall Project Description: General Services & RIM Services

The General Service Grant is given to the SWCD for the general administration and operation of the district. These administrative and operational costs include paying for the costs of : employees salary and expenses, office space, insurance, education, postage, fees/dues, and supervisors compensation and expenses.

The RIM Service Grant is given to the SWCD to help market the Reinvest in Minnesota (RIM), the Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP) and the Wetland Reserve Program/Reinvest in Minnesota (WRP/RIM) programs; attend training sessions; conduct screening committee meetings; process easements; perform on-site investigations and surveys, monitor easements, conduct spot-checks, perform courthouse searches, and finalize easements.

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Grant Awarded: \$10,539
Flood Relief Grant:
\$25,000

Funds Returned to State

Type \$ 0.00
 Date Fund Returned: NA

Grant Period

From: 07/01/2010
 To: 06/30/2012

State Cost-Share Expenditures by Category

Technical/Administrative Assistance Funds

TA Funds Used	\$266

Implementation Funds

Farmstead shelterbelts	\$1,067
Unencumbered	\$9,206

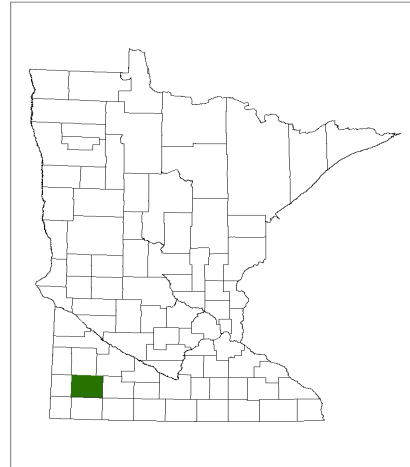
Flood Relief (Unencumbered)	\$25,000
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FY 2011 State Cost-Share Program

Murray County, MN



Overall Project Description:

The State Cost Share Program was established in 1977 and is administered locally by the Murray Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD). The State Cost Share Program provides financial assistance to landowners for installing conservation practices that protect and improve water quality by controlling soil erosion and reducing sedimentation. The program provides up to 75% of the total eligible cost of a practice. The SWCD provided technical assistance to landowners to install conservation practices by:

- Conducting a site investigation with the landowner;
- Working with the landowner to determine the best management practice (BMP) for the given situation;
- Surveying and designing the project;
- Producing a rough cost estimative and assisting with appropriate cost-share if applicable;
- Providing the landowner with a designed plan for submission of bids;
- Performing a pre-construction conference with the contractor and landowner;
- Supervising construction; and,
- Certifying completion of the project.

The Southern Minnesota Flood Relief is to provide cost-share to local landowners or land occupiers to offset the cost of repairing and restoring conservation practices damaged by the flood and to protect and improve water quality by installing new conservation practices.

Conservation Practices Installed	Number or Linear Feet Installed	Estimated Pollutant Load Reduction (include units)	Total Cost
2 Farmstead Shelterbelts	Encumbered not yet installed		\$1,067
