



Feedlot Water Quality Management Grant Program



Clean Water Funds: 2013

Clean Water Grant	\$1,748,434
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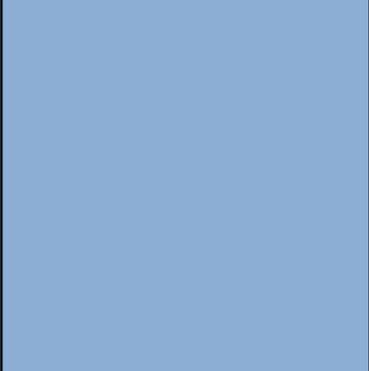
Grant Period:

January 2013—December 2015

Recipient(# of projects) - Amount:

- Benton SWCD(3) - 280,235
- Dodge County(1) - \$8,935
- Fillmore SWCD(1) - \$175,043
- Kanabec SWCD (1) - \$ 30,000
- Morrison SWCD(1) - \$135,575
- Mower SWCD(1) - \$107,450
- Nobles SWCD(2) - \$176,933
- Renville SWCD(1) - \$21,200
- Rock SWCD(1) - \$36,149
- Stearns SWCD(1) - \$148,250
- Todd SWCD(3) - \$240,980
- Wabasha SWCD(2) - \$387,684

Actual Results:



Project Narrative

Currently, there are approximately 5,050 feedlots with fewer than 300 animal units that need to come into compliance with State feedlot rules. Clean Water Feedlot Water Quality Management Grant funds are being used to provide financial assistance to landowners with feedlot operations less than 300 animal units in size and located in a riparian area or impaired watershed.

A variety of practices are commonly used to reduce the pollution potential from a feedlot site. Each situation is unique and may require capital improvements such as ag waste storage systems or more modest improvements such as clean water diversions, rain gutters on roofs, grass filter strips, or fencing. Technical staff and engineers from local government units and private contractors work with the landowner to develop and implement a pollution control system that protects the environment and maintains the economic viability of the farm. 18 projects totaling \$1,748,434 were awarded in FY2013.

