2020 Safe Routes to School Funding Recipients

Boost Grants: \$172,919

Boost grants support schools and/or their non-profit partners to implement SRTS programs. This year we saw exciting initiatives to support Walking School Bus staff, new Bike Fleets, Stop for Me campaigns, and Bike Maintenance Class programs launching in school districts.

• Cook County Safe Routes to School

Purchase a SRTS Bike Fleet and develop and hold a Bike Safety Rodeo

• Melrose Area Public Schools

Student-led traffic safety campaign development and speed feedback trailer

• Minneapolis Public Schools

Universal bike education, teach street harassment response skills, and Bike Field Trips

PedalPowerMN

Teach Walk! Bike! Fun!, teach all kids to ride, explore community, purchase bike fleet, field trips

Richfield Public Schools

Walking School Bus Pilot at Centennial Elementary

• Rochester Public Schools

Walking School Bus with leaders at four schools

• South St. Paul Public Schools

Bike Rodeos, Walking School Buses, Bike Racks and Encouragement program

• Saint Paul Public Schools

Bike shop that supports bike fleets and professional development time to support bike/walk activities

City of Spring Grove

Bike/walk education using Walk! Bike! Fun!, remote drop-off, t-shirts and Stop for Me program

Planning Assistance: \$310,577

Planning grants provide communities the resources to convene a team, understand key issues, prioritize strategies, and identify solutions that fit the local need. In areas where a <u>Regional Development</u> <u>Organization</u> (RDO) is active, planning is provided by the RDO; in areas where they are not, MnDOT utilizes a consultant to provide planning.

- Fond du Lac Band
- ISD 318, Grand Rapids
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- Finlayson Elementary
- City of Tyler
- Jackson County Central Schools
- City of Morris
- West Central Area School District
- Delano School District

- Eagan School District
- Inver Grove Heights School District
- Pine Island Public Schools
- Richard Green Central Park Elementary
- City of Shakopee
- Saint Paul Public Schools

Engineering Studies

Engineering studies support communities who have identified areas of concern in SRTS Plans but still need some help with traffic studies and design. These studies enable communities to understand the cost and feasibility of projects as they look for infrastructure funding within City/County budgets and upcoming projects or seeking grants.

- Lac qui Parle Valley School District
- City of Edina
- Bemidji
- Brainerd
- Kerkhoven Murdock Sunburg School District
- City of Monticello
- City of Mahnomen
- City of Lakeville
- Lake Superior School District
- City of Richfield
- Cook County
- Saint Paul Public Schools
- City of Red Wing
- City of North Branch
- City of Cloquet
- Fond du Lac Band

Demonstration Project Technical Assistance

These awards allow communities to pilot test designs that will improve safety and comfort for walkers and bicyclists. These short-term, low-cost projects allow the community to see if the proposed engineering solution will improve identified problems and determine how a more permanent solution could be implemented.

- Gideon Pond Elementary School
- City of Lake City
- Fond du Lac Band