



PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS

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I-RAP-St. Louis Bioavailability, MN/WI

Description

The St. Louis River and Duluth Harbor are located near Duluth, Minnesota. The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency requested that the Corps assist them in creating a bioavailability protocol that will allow for a more targeted approach to dredging contaminated sediments, thus lowering the overall volumes of sediments that need to be dredged.

Congressional Interest

Nolan (MN-8), Duffy (WI-7); Senator Franken (MN), Senator Klobuchar (MN), Senator Johnson (WI), Senator Baldwin (WI)

Location Map & Picture



Non-Federal Project Sponsor

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA)

Project Authority

Section 401(a) of the Water Resources Development Act of 1990, as amended.

Funding	Total	Federal	Non-Federal
Current Working Estimate:	\$ 492,000	\$ 320,000	\$ 172,000
Funds Allocated prior to FY16:	\$ 474,286	\$ 311,186	\$ 163,100
E and W Funds Allocated prior to FY16:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
GLRI Funds Allocated prior to FY16:	\$ 474,286	\$ 311,186	\$ 163,100
FY16 Energy and Water Allocation:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
FY16 GLRI Allocation:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
FY17 Budget:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Funds required to complete (>FY17):	\$ 17,714	\$ 8,814	\$ 8,900

Stage

Engineering and Design

Status

The first year of data collection is complete. Samples from the field are being analyzed and those results are being interpreted. In FY15 the sampling protocol was refined; and data was collected and analyzed. A Final Report is due March 2016.

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