

16 Applications Received for Broadband Projects in UMRDC Region

The UMRDC's request for proposals for Minnesota Intelligent Rural Community (MIRC) applications was a great success! 16 applications from throughout all five counties were submitted by the November 22 deadline requesting more than \$250,000 in grant funds. The UMRDC was selected by the C. K. Blandin Foundation as one of 11 Minnesota Intelligent Rural Communities under the Foundations' USDA broadband grant.

Applicant	Name of Project	Amount Requested	Amount Matched	Total Project Cost
BS County	BS County E-government	\$6,554	\$6,552	\$13,106
YM County	YM County Telecommutes	\$10,000	\$3,000	\$13,000
YM County	YM County Online Land Records	\$15,000	\$25,500	\$40,500
Dawson Boyd School	Dawson Area Multimedia Collaboration Center	\$25,000	\$70,979	\$95,979
Montevideo Workforce Center	Workforce Center/PIC Literacy Training Center Lab	\$11,550	\$10,100	\$21,650
Canby School	Distance Education Learning	\$10,717	\$0	\$10,717
City of Benson	Benson E- Government	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$10,000
Ortonville School/ Ortonville EDA	Big Stone Area Broadband	\$25,000	\$7,500	\$32,500
Little Crow Telemedia/MRVED	Interactive Video Field Trips Content Bank	\$20,000	\$410,606	\$430,606
Chippewa County	Chippewa County Web Mapping Coalition	\$25,000	\$100,250	\$125,250
Johnson Memorial Health Services	Homestream Home Health	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$50,000
Main Street Industries	Big Stone Bounty	\$17,500	\$0	\$17,500
Benson School	Educational Media	\$16,400	\$0	\$16,400
LqP County	Public Online GIS/ Aerial Photography	\$11,440	\$19,440	\$30,880
UMVRDC	Community Web Site Creation	\$4,405	\$560	\$4,965
LqP EDA	LqP Computer Commuter	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$50,000
	TOTALS	\$253,565	\$709,487	\$963,052