



## Neighborhood Stabilization Program Environmental Review Dissemination List

### Environmental Review Agency Contacts Dissemination of Notice List

**Instructions:** For environmental reviews that require a public notice, notices should be published or posted locally for the specified term. In addition, the public notice should be disseminated to the following agencies, as applicable:

- **Local news media** (If publishing the required notice)
- **Groups or individuals known to be interested in the project**
- **U.S. Environmental Protection Agency** (only for Environmental Assessments)  
Chicago Regional Office  
NEPA Implementation Section, B-19J  
Attn: Ken Westlake  
77 West Jackson Blvd.  
Chicago, IL 60604  
Phone: 312-886-2910
- **Minnesota Housing**  
400 Sibley Street, Suite 300  
Attn: NSP Funding Coordinator  
St. Paul, MN 55101-1998
- **U.S. Dept. of Housing & Urban Development**  
Attn: Kathleen Schmidt  
Henry S. Ruess Federal Plaza  
310 West Wisconsin Avenue  
Room 1380, Suite 600 East  
Milwaukee, WI 53208-2289  
Phone: 414-297-3214, Ext. 8108
- **Minnesota Historical Society**  
Government Programs and Compliance Office  
Attn: Dennis Gimmestad  
345 Kellogg Blvd. West  
St. Paul, MN 55102-1906
- **County Historical Society, if applicable**
- **U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security** (Send a map if any part of community is in floodplain)  
Federal Emergency Management Agency  
Hazard Identification & Risk Assessment Branch  
536 South Clark Street, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Chicago, IL 60605-1521  
Phone: 312-408-5597

- **Minnesota Indian Affairs Council**

Attn: Jim L. Jones, Jr.  
Cultural Resources Specialist  
3801 Bemidji Avenue, Suite 5  
Bemidji, MN 56601  
Phone: 218-755-3825  
Fax: 218-755-3739

- **Tribal Historic Preservation Officer(s) or other tribal contacts, as required:**

Section 106 (historic preservation) reviews require that Indian tribes be contacted about projects that could effect properties to which they might attach religious and/or cultural significance. Historic properties of religious or cultural significance may be located on ancestral, aboriginal or ceded lands of a particular tribe. NSP Subrecipients must make *a reasonable and good faith effort* to identify Indian tribes that attach such significance but now live at great distances from the undertaking's area of potential effect.

In Minnesota, four tribes (Bois Fort/Nett Lake, Leech Lake, Mille Lacs and White Earth) have designated Tribal Historic Preservation Officers (THPOs). Others may have staff working on achieving that designation. THPOs assume all or part of the responsibility for historic/archeological decision-making on reservation lands, depending on their agreement with the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO). Areas of interest for tribes may cover additional lands that tribes have specified consultation is needed.

If an Indian community does not have a THPO, consultation with the tribe on undertakings occurring on or affecting that tribe's lands shall be in addition to consultation with the SHPO.

Some tribes have provided specific instructions about activities or geographic areas on which they want to be consulted, which are outlined on the attached list. Call them if you have questions. Other tribes have not provided such information. In those cases, at a minimum, grantees should contact tribes about activities occurring within, or close to, Reservation boundaries. Grantees are free to send notices and scoping letters to all tribes, if they wish.

Keep in mind that a tribe may not want to divulge, or may be prohibited from divulging, information about some properties of religious and cultural significance. The National Historic Preservation Act provides them this protection from public disclosure, in order to protect the resource in question from harm, and the tribe from invasion of privacy. Sensitivity and flexibility may be needed in dealing with some situations.

**Tribal Contacts are as follows:**

**Chippewa/Ojibwe (Anishinaabe)**

- **Grand Portage Band of Chippewa**  
Brad Frazier, Environmental Dept.  
P.O. Box 428  
Grand Portage, MN 55604  
Phone: 218-475-2415, Ext 33

- **White Earth Band of Chippewa**  
 Tom McCauley  
 Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO)  
 P.O. Box 418  
 White Earth, MN 56591  
 Phone: 218-983-3263  
 Fax: 218-983-3253  
 Email: [tomm@whiteearth.com](mailto:tomm@whiteearth.com)  
Consult on: ALL projects within boundaries of White Earth Reservation
  
- **Bois Fort/Nett Lake Band of Chippewa**  
 Rosemary Berens  
 Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO)  
 1500 Bois Forte Road  
 Tower, MN 55790  
 Phone: 218-753-6017  
 Fax: 218-753-6026  
 Email: [rozeberens@yahoo.com](mailto:rozeberens@yahoo.com)  
Consult on: ALL activities with potential ground disturbances in Koochiching and Itasca Counties.
  
- **Fond du Lac Band of Chippewa**  
 Attn: LeRoy Defoe  
 Cultural Resources Specialist  
 1720 Big Lake Road  
 Cloquet, MN 55720  
 Phone: 218-878-8058  
Consult on: ALL activities with potential ground disturbance (incl. rehab foundation work) within Carlton, Cook, Lake, Pine and (St. Louis) Counties.
  
- **Red Lake Band of Chippewa**  
 Attn: Les Peterson  
 Engineering Dept.  
 Red Lake Band of Chippewa  
 P.O. Box 274  
 Red Lake, MN 56671  
 Phone: 218-679-2416  
Consult on: Substantial ground disturbances within area of interest. See attachment 1 for "Treaty Lands of the Red Lake Nation" map.
  
- **Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe**  
 Attn: Natalie Weyaus  
 Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO)  
 Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe  
 43408 Oodena Drive  
 Onamia, MN 56349  
 Phone: 320-532-7450  
 Fax: 320-532-7514  
 Email: [nataliew@millelacssojibew.nsn.us](mailto:nataliew@millelacssojibew.nsn.us)  
Consult on: All ground disturbances within area of interest. See attachment 2 for "1837 Ceded Territories of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe" map.

- **Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe**

Attn: Gina Lemon-Papasodora

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO)

Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe

115 Sixth Street NW, Suite E

Cass Lake, MN 56633

Phone: 218-335-2940

Fax: 218-335-2974

Email: [llthpo@hotmail.com](mailto:llthpo@hotmail.com)

Consult on: ALL activities with potential ground disturbance (incl. rehab foundation work) within area of interest. See attachment 3 for "Land Claim Areas of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe" list.

## **Dakota (Sioux)**

- **Shakopee Mdewakanton Dakota**

Stanley R. Crooks, Tribal Chairman

2330 Sioux Trail NW

Prior Lake, MN 55372

Phone: 952-445-8990

- **Prairie Island Mdewakanton Dakota**

Heather Westra

Natural Resources Interim Director

5636 Sturgeon Lake Road

Welch, MN 55089

Phone: 651-385-4165

- **Lower Sioux Mdewakanton Dakota**

Ann Larson, Tribal Council Chair

RR 1, P.O. Box 308

Morton, MN 56270-9801

Phone: 507-697-6185

- **Upper Sioux Mdewakanton Dakota**

P.O. Box 147

Granite Falls, MN 56241

## **As applicable, NSP Subrecipients must also provide notice to following Agencies:**

**Note:** These agencies should also be contacted as part of the consultation process when completing an environmental review.

- **Two Harbors DNR Area Office Lake Superior Coastal Program**

Attn: Cliff Bentley  
1568 Highway 2  
Two Harbors, MN 55616  
Phone: 218-834-6623

Consultation related to Lake Superior Federal Coastal Zone Management (public facilities projects)

Website: [www.dnr.state.mn.us/waters/lakesuperior/index.html](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/waters/lakesuperior/index.html)

- **Minnesota Dept. of Transportation -Office of Aeronautics**

222 East Plato Boulevard  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55107-1618

Consultation related to runway clear zones and airport noise contours (new construction housing)

Website: <http://www.dot.state.mn.us/aero/>

- **Minnesota Dept. of Transportation - Office of Transportation Data & Analysis**

Traffic Forecasting & Analysis Division  
395 John Ireland Blvd.  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
Phone: 651-297-1466

Consultation related to roadway noise.

Website: Traffic Volume Maps at [www.dot.state.mn.us/tda/maps/trafficvol.html](http://www.dot.state.mn.us/tda/maps/trafficvol.html)

- **Minnesota Dept. of Transportation - Office of Freight, Railways and Waterways**

Attn: Tom Gellerman  
395 John Ireland Blvd. – Mail Stop 470  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
Phone: 651-215-6397

Consultation related to railroad use noise (New housing only if tracks are within 3,000 feet of site)

Website: State railroad maps, including train volume and speed maps at  
<http://www.dot.state.mn.us/ofrw/maps.html>

- **Environmental Quality Board**

Minnesota Planning  
300 Centennial Office Building  
658 Cedar Street  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
Phone: 651-201-2477

Consultation related to the Minnesota environmental review process

Website: [www.eqb.state.mn.us/program.html?id=18107](http://www.eqb.state.mn.us/program.html?id=18107)

- **County Soil & Water Conservation Districts**
- **Local Environmental Offices**
- **Local Planning & Zoning Offices**
- **Local Watershed District Offices**

Consultation related to floodplains, wetlands, aquifers, erosion control, local planning & zoning

- **U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service**

Attn: Field Supervisor  
Ecological Services Field Office  
4101 East 80<sup>th</sup> Street  
Bloomington, MN 55425-1665  
Phone: 612-725-3548, Ext. 201  
Fax: 612-725-3609

Consultation related to endangered species, floodplains, and wetlands  
Website: [www.fws.gov/midwest/twincities/](http://www.fws.gov/midwest/twincities/)

- **U.S. Army Corps of Engineers**

Attn: Regulatory Branch  
190 Fifth Street East  
St. Paul, MN 55101-1638  
Phone: 651-290-5376  
<http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/>

Consultation related to wetlands, dredge/fill permits, navigable water permits

- **Department of Natural Resources - Office of Management & Budget Services**

Attn: Steve Colvin  
500 Lafayette Road, Box 25  
St. Paul, MN 55155-4025  
Phone: 651-259-5082  
Fax: 651-297-1500

Consultation related to Floodplains/wetlands, water quality, Mille Lacs Lake sole source aquifer, endangered species, wild and scenic rivers, wildlife management areas

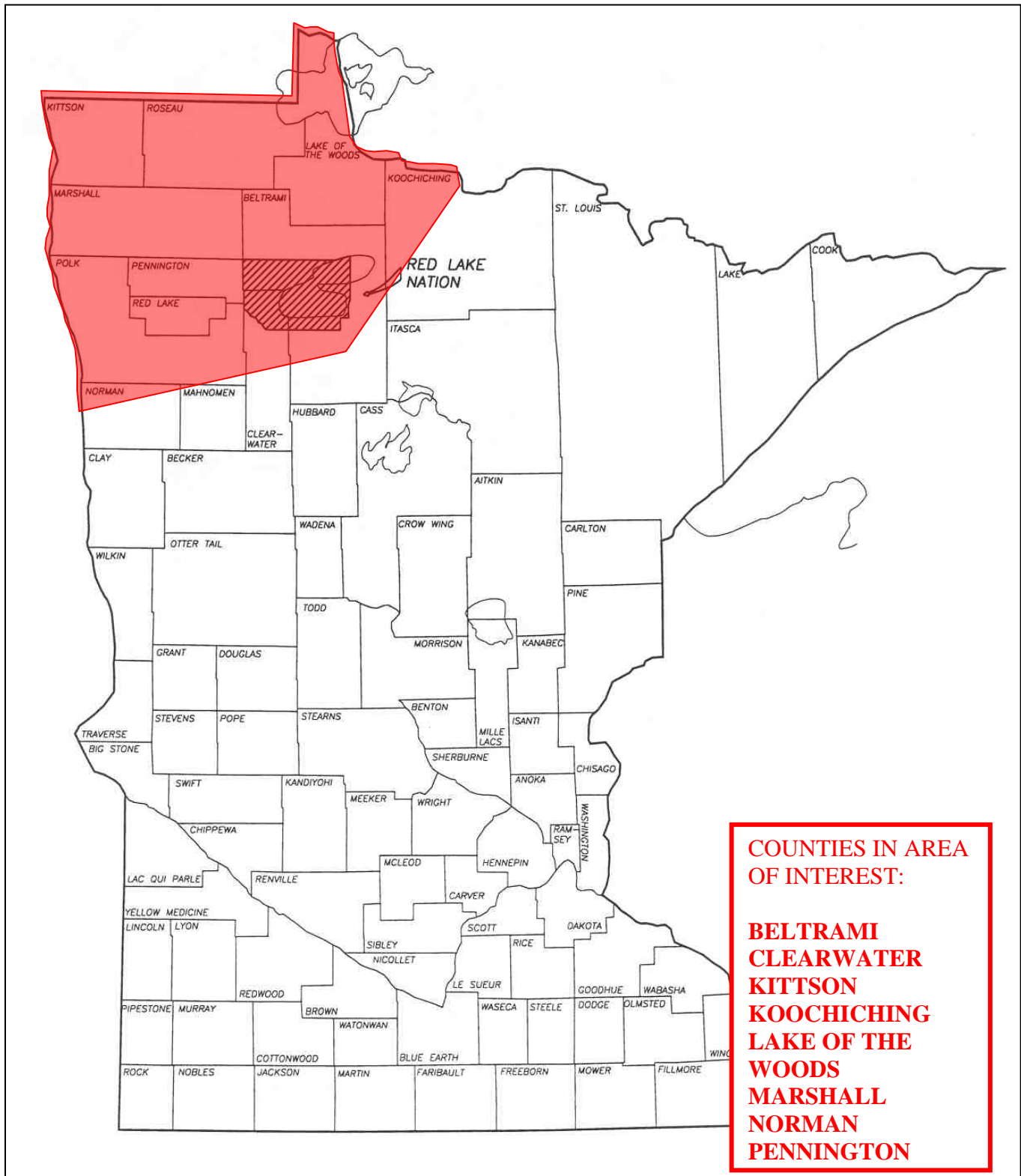
- **USDA Natural Resources Conservation Services**

Consultation related to farmlands protection/conversion

Website: [www.mn.nrcs.usda.gov/](http://www.mn.nrcs.usda.gov/) then click on "Find a Service Center" at the bottom left screen,  
For Farmland Conversion Impact Rating form, (AD-1006), go to  
[www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/fppa/](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/fppa/)

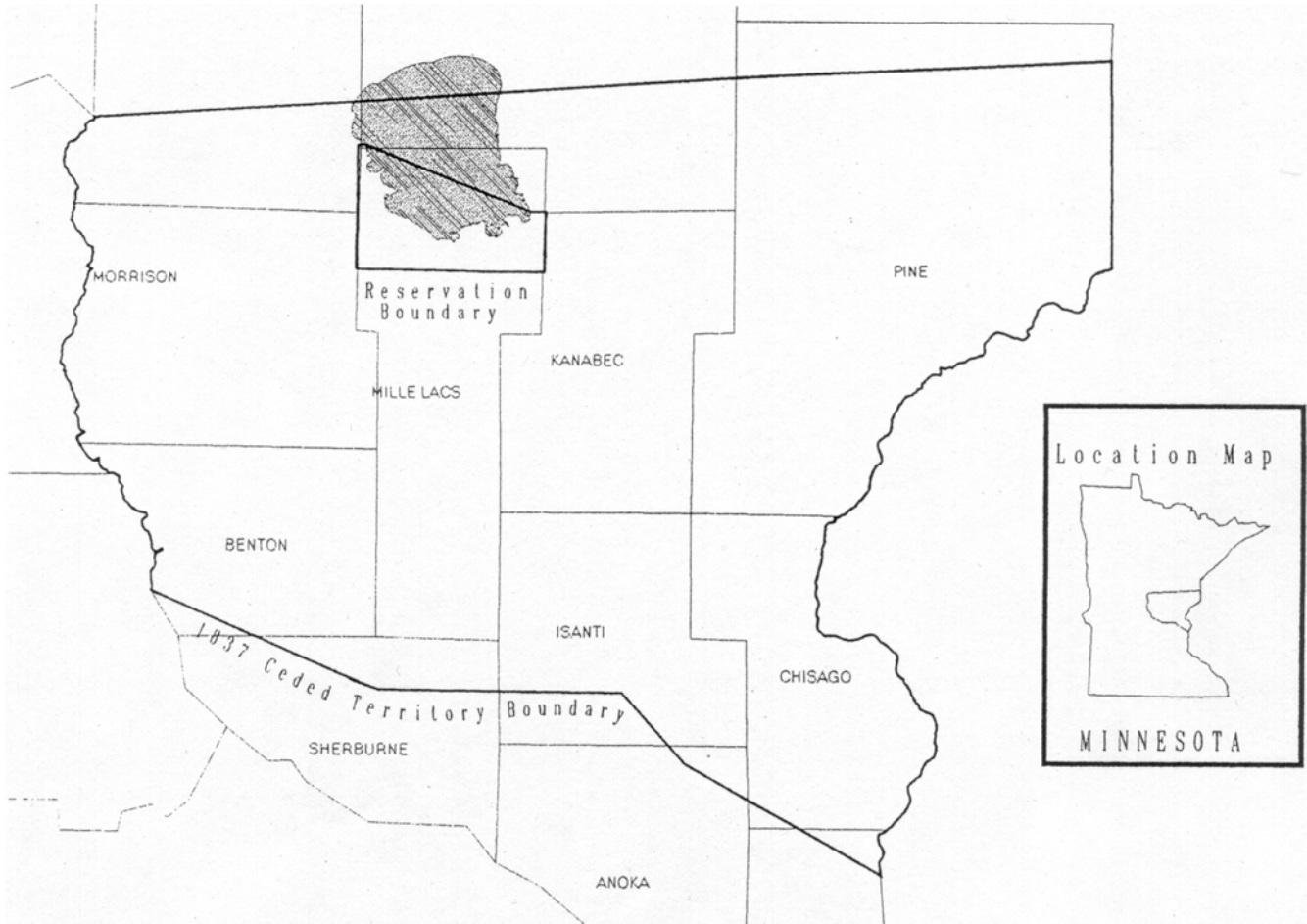
## Attachment 1:

### TREATY LANDS OF THE RED LAKE NATION



## Attachment 2:

### 1837 CEDED TERRITORIES OF THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE





## **Attachment 3:**

### **LAND CLAIM AREAS OF THE LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE**

The following list indicates Land Claim Areas of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe:

AITKIN County  
ANOKA County  
BECKER County  
BELTRAMI County  
BENTON County  
CARLTON County  
CASS County  
CHISAGO County  
CLAY County  
CLEARWATER County  
CROW WING County  
DOUGLAS County  
HUBBARD County  
ISANTI County  
ITASCA County  
KANABEC County  
MAHNOMEN County  
MILLE LACS County  
MORRISON County  
NORMAN County  
OTTER TAIL County  
PINE County  
POLK County  
POPE County  
STEARNS County  
TODD County  
WADENA County  
WASHINGTON County

Total of 28 Counties in Minnesota