

GMRPTC 2015 Ranking Review
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The enclosed report contains the results of the ETeam’s project ranking and scoring for 2015. The following charts and narrative highlights the summary of both the Step 1 scoring and Step 2 ranking evaluations, as have been completed at the time of this report. The last section of this report documents the ranking and scoring result for each application.

Process Results Summary

Application Distribution

Class	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	Multi	Total
NR Park	3	3	3	6	7	6	0	28
Trail (Mixed)	5	3	1	0	1	1	2	13
Trail (Motor)	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Trail (Non-Motor)	3	0	5	1	4	6	0	19
S.R.F. Park	5	5	2	2	6	2	1	23
Total	16	12	12	9	18	15	3	85

Ranking Results With/Without Master Plans

Rank	With Plans	No Plans	Total
High	6*	29	35
Medium	7	20	27
Low	4	19	23
Total	17	68	85

*Represents the applications that moved on for immediate Step 2 Scoring in 7/2015.

Ranking Results by District

Rank	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	Multi	Total
High	8	2	5	6	6	7	1	35
Medium	6	6	3	1	7	3	1	27
Low	2	4	4	2	5	5	1	23

Ranking Results by Class

Class	High	Medium	Low	Total
NR Park	15	6	7	28
Trail (Mixed)	10	1	2	13
Trail (Motor)	1	0	1	2

Trail (Non-Motor)	4	10	5	<i>19</i>
S.R.F. Park	5	10	8	<i>23</i>
<i>total</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>85</i>

Ranking Descriptions

Consistent with the GMRPTC Strategic Plan (2015), the Evaluation Team conducted both a Step 1 ranking evaluation of all applications and a Step 2 detailed scoring evaluation of all High ranking applications. The following descriptions from the Strategic Plan describe the ranking levels.

HIGH – High initial ranking means that the proposed facility is a strong prospect for regional status. High ranking proposals become eligible for a Step 2 scoring evaluation upon completion of a qualified Master Plan.

MEDIUM – Medium initial ranking means that the proposed facility is a modest prospect for regional status and funding; may require an improved proposal to improve ranking.

LOW - Low initial ranking means that the proposed facility is a poor prospect for achieving regional status without significant changes to the concept proposal.

Individual Application Scoring Result

The following chart details the results of the ranking and scoring evaluation process for each application submitted. The first column is a unique identification number assigned to each facility by the DMS online application system. The next four columns include information pulled from each application, including the name of the facility, the applicant organization, the GMRPTC District the project is located in, and the proposed facility classification.

The last two columns include the High/Medium/Low ranking assigned by the ETeam and the raw score calculated from the ETeam’s Step 2 scoring evaluation. As other High ranking facilities complete Master Plans, the Evaluation Team will complete a Step 2 scoring evaluation for that application. Upon receiving a Step 2 score, the facility’s evaluation will be forwarded to the Commission for additional review and a determination of the facility’s regional status and possible inclusion in the GMRPTC System Plan.

2015 APPLICATIONS Sorted by Rank and District
Green = HIGH Rank w/Master Plan; Red = HIGH Rank w/o Master Plan

App #	Park/Trail Name	Organization	Dist	Classification	Final Rank	Final Score
15-119D	Gull Lake Trail	City of Lake Shore	2	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	312.5
15-025D	MB Johnson Park	City of Moorhead	3	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	362.5
15-050D	Perham to Pelican Rapids Regional Trail	Otter Tail County	3	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	331.25
15-016D	Irving & John Anderson County Park	Isanti County	4	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	387.5
15-019D	Chester Woods Park	Olmsted County	6	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	418.75
15-027D	Cannon Valley Trail	Cannon Valley Trail Joint Powers Board	6	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	High	418.75
15-002D	Lake Brophy Park	Douglas County	3	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	400
15-057D	Lake Washington Regional Park	Le Sueur County Parks and Recreation	5	Special Recreational Feature Park	High	325
15-064D	Gateway to the North Regional Park	City of Milaca	1	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-031D	Prospectors Loop Trail	Lake County	1	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-056D	Lake County Regional Trail	Lake County	1	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-059D	Mesabi Trail	St. Louis and Lake Counties Regional Railroad Authority	1	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-117D	Great Northern Trail	Mille Lacs County	1	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-118D	Soo Line Trail - South	Mille Lacs County	1	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-093D	Lake County Mountain Bike Trails	Lake County	1	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	High	
15-023D	Big Falls Campground & Horse Camp	City of Big Falls	1	Special Recreational Feature Park	High	
15-111D	Marshall Kittson Trail	Marshall County	2	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-086D	Appleton OHV Park	Swift County	3	Regional Trail (Motorized)	High	
15-006D	Lac qui Parle County Park	Lac qui Parle County Commissioners	3	Special Recreational Feature Park	High	

15-004D	Kraemer Lake - Wildwood County Park	Stearns County Parks Department	4	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-039D	Collinwood Regional Park	Wright County Parks	4	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-063D	Woodland Trails Park	City of Elk River Parks and Recreation Department	4	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-094D	Belle Prairie County Park	Morrison County	4	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-099D	Springvale County Park	Isanti County	4	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-009D	Lyon County Twin Lakes Park	Lyon County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-041D	Lyon County Garvin Park	Lyon County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-091D	Dakota Rail Trail	McLeod County	5	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-070D	Camden Regional Trail	Lyon County	5	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	High	
15-120D	Plum Creek Park	Redwood County	5	Special Recreational Feature Park	High	
15-021D	Root River Park	Olmsted County	6	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-038D	Hok Si La Park	City of Lake City	6	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-096D	Barn Bluff Park	City of Red Wing	6	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	High	
15-083D	Houston County Trails	Houston County	6	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	High	
15-020D	Oxbow Park/Zollman Zoo	Olmsted County	6	Special Recreational Feature Park	High	
15-014D	Soo Line Trail	Morrison County	Mult	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	High	
15-046D	St. Louis River Trail	City of Scanlon	1	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-076D	Kanabec County Multi Use Trail	Kanabec County	1	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-082D	Mississippi Riverfront	City of Brainerd	2	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Medium	
15-029D	Moorhead River Corridor	City of Moorhead	3	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-010D	Luverne Loop & Blue Mounds Trail	City of Luverne	5	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-067D	Oronoco Park	City of Oronoco, MN	6	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Medium	

15-073D	Wagon Wheel Trail/Recreational Trail Connection To Wisconsin and State Root River Trail	City of La Crescent	6	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-015D	Pine Valley	City of Cloquet	1	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Medium	
15-061D	Cook County Mountain Bike Trails	COOK COUNTY	1	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-066D	Grand Avenue Nordic Center	City of Duluth	1	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-078D	Tofte Town Park	Cook County	1	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-037D	Pine Tree Park	City of Blackduck	2	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Medium	
15-085D	Roseau River Trail Recreational Area	City of Roseau	2	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Medium	
15-026D	Northerly Park - NorthWest Angle Minnesota	Edge Riders Snowmobile Club	2	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-075D	Milford Mine Memorial Park	Crow Wing County	2	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-087D	Tioga Recreation Area	City of Cohasset	2	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-054D	Glacial Edge Confluence Trails	City of Fergus Falls	3	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-109D	Alexandria Legacy Trail	City of Alexandria	3	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-108D	Rocori Trail	Rocori Trail Construction Board	4	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-065D	Red Jacket Trail/West Mankato Trail/North Minnesota River Trail	Blue Earth County	5	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-116D	Loon Lake Trail	Jackson County	5	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-012D	Bray Park	Blue Earth County	5	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-071D	Daly Park	Blue Earth County	5	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-072D	Rapidan Dam Park	Blue Earth County	5	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	
15-097D	End-O-Line Railroad Park and Museum	Murray County	5	Special Recreational Feature Park	Medium	

15-036D	McCullough Park	Rice County Environmental Services	6	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Medium	
15-110D	Princeton Regional Connection	City Of Princeton EDA	Mult	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	Medium	
15-033D	St. Louis River Waterfront	City of Cloquet	1	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-089D	South Shore Park	City of Bemidji	2	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-001D	Delagoon Campground Improvements	City of Fergus Falls	3	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-030D	Lanesboro	City of Lanesboro	6	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-081D	Hovland Dock Park	Cook County	1	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-077D	Blackduck Bike/Walking Trail	City of Blackduck	2	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	Low	
15-074D	Itasca County GIA Snowmobile Trail Systems	Itasca County	2	Regional Trail (Motorized)	Low	
15-122D	Nisswa Lake Park and Recreation Area	City of Nisswa	2	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-034D	Robbins Island Park Complex	City of Willmar	3	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-007D	Breckenridge North US Hwy 75 Walking/Bike Path	Active Living Committee of the City of Breckenridge	3	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Low	
15-062D	Prairie View Recreational Trail	City of Olivia	3	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Low	
15-055D	Otsego Park	Wright County Parks Department	4	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-068D	River Oak Park	City of Big Lake	4	Special Recreational Feature Park	Low	
15-043D	Talcot County Park Campground	Cottonwood County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-052D	Robertson County Park Campground	Jackson County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-112D	Anderson County Park Campground	Jackson County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-114D	Brown County Park Campground	Jackson County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-115D	Brown South County Park Campground	Jackson County	5	Natural Resource Based Regional Park	Low	
15-018D	Bluff Tracks	City of Rushford	6	Regional Trail (Motorized and Non-Motorized)	Low	

15-079D	Cannon Falls Local Trail	City of Cannon Falls	6	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Low	
15-092D	Red Wing River Walk Trail	City of Red Wing	6	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Low	
15-098D	Northern Links Trail	City of Faribault Parks and Recreation Department	6	Regional Trail (Non-Motorized)	Low	
15-121D	Princeton Park Improvement	City of Princeton EDA	Mult		Low	