

Minnesota Youth Program

Source: State of Minnesota

State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2026: Total Allocation = \$167,756* Provider Allocation = \$150,981*

Purpose of Grant: Youth Employment

Who is served/eligible: Youth ages 14-24; low family income, special needs and/or other risk factors

How Served: Youth were served through a summer employment program featuring Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) crews. Youth work on crews of 8 to complete their field assignment. Individually they earned a certificate of completion by completing financial literacy, environmental, resume, and PPE exercises.

Provider: Tree Trust

		QUANTITY	QUALITY
		<i>How much did we do?</i>	<i>How well did we do it?</i>
Process "input"	EFFORT	Total number of applications received 102	Customer satisfaction (youth) - Rated MYP Experience as "Very Satisfied" or "Satisfied" 77%
		Total number of youth served 34	
Product "output"	EFFECT	<i>Is anyone better off?</i>	
		Percent of participants with successful exits 29 youth	85%
		Percent of participants that received support services (tools, clothing, transportation, other) 30 youth	88%
		Percent of participants that remained or returned to school or entered unsubsidized employment 29 youth	85%
		Percent of participants that successfully completed work readiness skills training 29 youth	85%
		<p><i>* SFY 2026 refers to July 1st, 2025, through September 30th, 2026. Funding bridges from one summer program year to the next. The data reflects summer 2025 only.</i></p> <p><i>* Ten percent of the SFY26 MYP allocation was retained by Dakota County for administrative expenses.</i></p>	