

**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"	<b>EFFORT</b>	Total number of applications received	<b>102</b>	Customer satisfaction (youth) - Rated MYP Experience as "Very Satisfied" or "Satisfied" <b>77%</b>
		Total number of youth served	<b>34</b>	
Product "output"	<b>EFFECT</b>	<i>Is anyone better off?</i>		
		Percent of participants with successful exits	<b>29 youth</b>	<b>85%</b>
		Percent of participants that received support services (tools, clothing, transportation, other)	<b>30 youth</b>	<b>88%</b>
		Percent of participants that remained or returned to school or entered unsubsidized employment	<b>29 youth</b>	<b>85%</b>
		Percent of participants that successfully completed work readiness skills training	<b>29 youth</b>	<b>85%</b>
<p><i>* SFY 2026 refers to July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025, through September 30<sup>th</sup>, 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>				