Brownfield Gap Financing Program

Brownfield Gap Financing Program (BGFP) provides small grants to nonprofits for environmental assessment and clean-up of property in Hennepin County. **Minnesota Brownfields is the co-administrator of the BGFP. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and are approved by Hennepin County.** Projects will benefit the community through greenspace, open space and natural areas, recreation, affordable housing, education, community centers, and neighborhood level economic development opportunities. Projects may apply for up to $15,000 in total funding in a 12-month span.

***Please note that we are unable to fund work that has already been completed. You must receive a formal approval for your grant activities prior to the commencement of any grant-funded project activities***

Please fill out as completely as possible and attaching any additional information that will assist us in evaluating your consultant needs and improving your potential for funding. When completed, please email or send to:

**Minnesota Brownfields**  
Severin Oman, Executive Director  
2801 21st Avenue South, Suite 145  
Minneapolis, MN 55407  
Telephone: (651) 402-8676  
Email: grants@mnbrownfields.org

**Contact Information:**

Organization:

Organization status (nonprofit, 501c3, etc):

Name and title of contact:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Address (street, city, zip):

**Project/Site:**

Name:

Project location/address:

Site size (acres):

Current/Proposed zoning:
Current owner/future site owner (If not current owner, is access for environmental investigation available?):

Current use (include # of structures/tenants if any):

Proposed use:

• Describe the redevelopment project (please attach any such information such as map, photos, site design or building plans):

• How will this project support or benefit the surrounding neighborhood?

What reason do you have to believe that there could be contamination on this site?

• If environmental investigations have occurred, please provide the report or summary of investigation results.

How will the full project be financed? Discuss the status of financing for the project, including:

• Amounts secured and sources:

• Potential sources:

• Contingencies:

How did you hear about the Brownfield Gap Financing Program?

Grant request amount and use:

Please note, projects may request a maximum of $15,000 in a 12-month span.

Supplemental Materials:

• Submit an itemized cost estimate from one of our approved contractors.

• Submit a current annual or financial report for the applicant.

• Please attach a City Council resolution approving the project (not required for Minneapolis projects)

Signature: Application must be signed by an officer or individual authorized to sign on behalf of the organization.

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Signature                                  Title

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Name

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Signature Date