



CAPITAL REQUEST 2022



Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement

\$400 million in state funding

Preserve and renew the U of M's existing infrastructure to better serve students, maximize its useful life, and ensure the health, safety, and wellbeing of all building users. The U of M allocates HEAPR funding systemwide in four categories: health, safety, and accessibility; building systems; utility infrastructure; and energy efficiency.



Chemistry Undergraduate Teaching Laboratories

\$72 million in state funding

Renovate 95-year-old Fraser Hall to create a 117,000-square-foot modern chemistry teaching laboratory serving students from every college on the Twin Cities campus. This building will provide 18 active learning laboratories—serving high demand STEM courses—with space for lab preparation, academic support, and collaborative learning. Funding for design was provided in the 2020 bonding bill.



Science Building—Design

\$1.64 million in state funding

Predesign and design the existing 70-year-old, obsolete Chemistry Building on the Duluth campus to serve other high priority science and technology programs. Renovating and modernizing this space would provide active learning classrooms and much-needed laboratory space for students in the Computer Science and Earth & Environmental Science programs, as well as research lab space.



Agricultural Research and Education Complex **\$60 million in state funding**

Design, acquire land, and build a new agricultural research and education complex dedicated to the Future of Advanced Agriculture Research in Minnesota (FAARM). This integrated hub will support researchers, instructors, and industry partners to study all aspects of agriculture, including smart farming, livestock, soil health, water quality, climate, and the sustainability of rural economies.



Health Discovery Hub **\$140 million in state funding**

Design and construct a 275,000 square foot facility on the Twin Cities campus to improve Minnesotans' access to advanced treatments, state-of-the-art care, and cross-collaborative health teams. This hub will house patient-centered research clinics, the rural Minnesota health clinical research network, a medical device center to test new technologies, the Clinical Translational Science Institute and the Masonic Cancer Center Clinical Trials Office.



Academic Health Center Duluth - Design **\$12 million in state funding**

Design an approximately 180,000 square foot facility in the Duluth Medical District to provide high demand health care education and interprofessional training. The facility's teaching, clinical practice, and research spaces will support Greater Minnesota workforce needs in partnership with area colleges and health systems and serve local communities with a focus on health equity.