



## Application

### ***22084 - 2024 Regional Parks Fishing Piers Grant Program - Final Application***

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**22436 - Sucker Lake Fishing Pier**  
**Park Competitive Equity Grants**

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### ***Applicant Information***

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**What Grant Programs are you most interested in?\*** Parks Legacy Fund

#### **Organization Information**

**Name:\*** RAMSEY COUNTY

**Jurisdictional Agency (if different):**

**Organization Type:** County Government

**Organization Website:** PARKS AND RECREATION

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## Project Summary

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**Project title\*** Sucker Lake Fishing Pier  
 Please start title with name of regional park or trail

**Is this proposal for a new fishing pier?\*** Yes

**Project need description\*** Fishing at Sucker and Vadnais Lakes is extremely popular, but currently only shoreline fishing is available. Also, the channel going into Sucker Lake has collected lost lead tackle, leading to dozens of swan deaths. [ramseycounty.us/leadfreelakes](http://ramseycounty.us/leadfreelakes)

Describe the need for a fishing pier at this location, and how it will increase fishing opportunities

**Long-range plan consistency\*** Fishing is included in the long-range plan. VI-19, A-29  
 Provide the year of the long-range plan approval and the page number describing the plan for a fishing pier

**Equity focus area(s)\*** Age, race, ethnicity and ability  
 Age, race, ethnicity, income, national origin, and/or ability? Applicants are encouraged to consider focusing on multiple equity areas.

**Equity focus description\*** Recent community engagement and outreach has shown great diversity in anglers in this area. Also, a new fishing pier would be ADA accessible.

Describe how this project will address one or more equity focus areas

**Programming and awareness building\*** This area is already frequented by anglers, including Saint Paul Police's diverse outreach programming. Signage would encourage people at the popular fishing nodes at the channel to visit the pier.

Describe how a new fishing pier will contribute to additional programming opportunities and awareness building for the regional parks and trails system

**Will this project be completed by June 30, 2026?\*** Yes

## Project Location

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**Regional park or trail \*** Vadnais - Snail Lakes Regional Park

**Council district\*** 10 - Peter Lindstrom

**Construction Budget**

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Construction Amount  
\$125,000.00  
\$125,000.00

**Internal Professional Services Budget**

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Internal Professional Services Amount  
\$0.00

**External Professional Services Budget**

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\$0.00

**Community Engagement Budget**

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**Outreach Event Costs Budget**

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**Outreach Goods/Materials Budget**

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**Other Budget**

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## ***Budget Questions***

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