Formula for Ranking Projects

Preliminary application of formula – *scores will be modifies as more information becomes available.*

				Near Northside (MPLS)	SEMI	Silver Lake (MPLS)	Grainbelt Shoreline Improvements	Edgewater	Hawthorne Rain Garden	North Mississippi River Regional Park	Gross Golf Course Improvements	St. Anthony Harding St. Storm Water Holding Area	Mississippi River Gorge	Aqua Landings	West River Parkway	Lauderdale Hwy 280 Drainage District	Unfunded CSO	Lauderdale's St. Anthony Drainage District	St. Anthony Floodproofing Grant	St. Anthony 29th Ave Storm Sewer Reconstruction	Salt Pile and Dredge Spoil Site Improvements	Upper River Master Plan	White Water Park
Part 1: PROJECT TYPE	FLOOD CONTROL Level of reduction or slowing of runoff to address existing or potential flooding problem.		15			15						15									UNKNOWN: Project is in the concept phase.	UNKNOWN: The MMRWMO Watershed Plan states that the MMRWMO will support projects identifies by the Upper River Master Plan on the basis of funding and affects to water quality.	UNKNOWN: Project is in the concept phase.
			10													10		10					
			5		5		5				5												
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	WATER QUALITY Level of improvement to quality of water entering the Mississippi River (reducing any of the following: total suspended solids; dissolved phosphorus or other nutrients; metals; floatables; other pollutants or contaminants).		15	15	15							15					15						
			10			10	10		10		10												
			5					5		5			5	5	5	5		5					
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	PUBLIC USE Level of added recreational opportunities; improved physical or visual access to the river; interpretation or enhancement of historic/prehistoric or cultural features; creation of amenities for residents or visitors.		15	15				15		15				15									
			10		10	10	10																
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	ECOLOGICAL INTEGRITY Project reintroduces ecological systems that improve hydrologic conditions, diversity, and quality of plant and wildlife communities, habitat or habitat connectivity.		15	15	15	15	15	15															
			10						10	10	10		10		10								
			5																				
			0									0		0		0	0	0	0	0			
Part 2: PROJECT FACTORS	READINESS	Length of time needed is less that one year	4					4	4		4	4				4	4	4	4	4			
		Two to three years	2	2			2			2			2	2	2								
		More than three years	0		0	0																	
	REDEVELOPMENT	Size of redevelopment area in which project is integral to remediation activities is > 20 ac	4	4	4											4							
		Two to 20 Acres	2			2	2		2	2			2										
		Lees than two acres or not applicable	0					0			0	0		0	0		0	0	0	0			
	STORM WATER MANAGEMENT AREA SIZE	Size of area tributary to project is over 200 acres	4	4	4	4																	
		50 to 200 acres	2										2		2		2						
		Less than 50 acres	0				0	0	0	0	0	0		0		0		0	0	0			
	EROSION CONTROL	Project corrects erosion problem	4				4	4	4	4			4	4	4								
		Project prevents erosion problem	2	2	2											2							
		None	0			0					0	0					0	0	0	0			
	WETLANDS	Project restores or creates wetlands	4	4	4	4			4							4							
		Project protects wetlands	2																				
		None	0				0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0			
	GREENWAT/ CORRIDOR	Project links others to create a continuous corridor	4																				
		Project adds partial connectivity	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2				2									
		None	0								0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0			
	LEVERAGING OF FUNDS	Participation in project significantly leverages other funds	4	4	4				4														
		Minimal cost sharing	2			2		2		2			2		2		2						
		None	0				0				0	0		0		0		0	0	0			
	COMPLIANCE	Project fulfills a legal mandate	4	4													4						
		None	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0			
	COOPERATION	Project involves participation with other WMO/WDs: information sharing; prevents redundancy	2															2					
		None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0			
	DEMONSTRATION	Project demonstrates new techniques and makes results available to public	2	2	2		2	2	2														
		None	0			0				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
	PUBLIC PARTICIPATION	Project involves high level of public participation in decision-making or implementation	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2			2	2									
		None	0								0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0			
	EDUCATIOIN	Project contains ongoing education programming or reaches many people each year through publicity/interpretation	2					2															
		None	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
		Totals	100	75	69	66	54	53	49	44	34	34	34	30	30	29	27	21	4	4			