

Line 5 Wisconsin Segment Relocation Project Ecofootprint Grant Program

Enbridge is pleased to announce the creation of the new, two-year, \$500,000 Ecofootprint Grant Program to provide funding to help protect and restore the natural environment. Communities in the Wisconsin area along the Line 5 Segment Relocation Project route including Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron counties along with the Bad River Band and the Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa may be eligible to receive grants in varying amounts. Preference will go to projects that demonstrate one or more of the following priorities:

- Improve and/or protect surface water and/or groundwater quality in watersheds crossed by the project
- Advance research related to threatened and endangered species and/or declining populations
- Foster environmental postsecondary education and stewardship
- Improve research related to the transportation of crude oil as it relates to the environment
- Focus on environmental areas most relevant to local communities

Eligible organizations include non-profit 501(c)3 organizations, Native American Tribes, state government agencies, local governments, and postsecondary academic institutions.



> Enbridge is funding an Ecofootprint Grant Program to support environmental efforts in the communities surrounding the proposed Line 5 Wisconsin Segment Relocation Project.

Enbridge is partnering with Lumberjack Resource Conservation & Development Council, Inc. to administer the Ecofootprint Grant Program. To learn more, visit enbridge.com/ecofootprintgrant, email Ecogrant@enbridge.com, go to the Lumberjack website at lumberjackRCD.org, or call them directly at (715) 369-9886.

Of the \$500,000 available in the grant program, up to \$250,000 will be awarded annually.
Applications are accepted beginning August 1, 2023.

