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T18-089	Montana Noxious Weed Education Campaign	MSU	\$74,568	88	91.56	179.56
T18-011	Montana Biocontrol Coordination Project	Missoula Co. Weed District	\$20,000	83.78	94.67	178.45
T18-008	Supporting Weed Management with Biological Information	U of M	\$10,561	83.9	92.89	176.79
T18-043	Whitehall Biological Weed Control Project	Whitehall Biological Weed Control	\$26,190	84.5	91.78	176.28
T18-053	Montana Dyer's Woad Cooperative Project 2018	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$29,653	89	86.88	175.88
T18-009	Supporting Weed Management with Plant Status Reviews-2018	U of M	\$10,487	83	92.4	175.4
T18-076	2018 Bitterroot Biocontrol Cooperative	Ravalli Co. Weed District	\$21,664	83.22	91.67	174.89
T18-025	Lake Elwell-Marias River Weed Control Project 2018	Liberty Co. Weed District	\$23,303	83.38	89.25	172.63
T18-007	Mass Rearing, Release, and Monitoring of the Northern Tamarisk Leaf Beetle ( <i>Diorhabda carinulata</i> Desbrochers) a Biological Control Agent for Saltcedar	MSU	\$34,352	80.6	91.5	172.1
T18-033	Madison Co. Biocontrol Project	Madison Co. Weed District	\$7,500	82.39	89.11	171.5
T18-006	Increasing Effective Options for Integrated Management of Invasive Toadflax	MSU	\$37,993	80.4	90.7	171.1
T18-049	2018 Wise River Oxeye Daisy, Rush Skeletonweed Project	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$20,000	82.11	87.88	169.99
T18-079	2018 Rush Skeletonweed EAST	Ravalli Co. Weed District	\$60,000	81.56	88.38	169.94
T18-003	Host Testing and Field Release of Biocontrol Agents for Whitetop	MSU	\$33,746	78.7	90.9	169.6
T18-019	Rock Creek Cooperative Weed Management Project	Park Co. Extension	\$40,998	79.6	90	169.6
T18-026	Upper Marias Weed Control Project 2018	Toole Co. Weed District	\$27,698	82.75	86.63	169.38
T18-010	Montana Invasive Species Strategic Framework Implementation-- Law Review, Terrestrial Component	MT Invasive Species Council	\$8,500	77.5	91.22	168.72
T18-085	2018 MWCA Ready Set Action	MWCA	\$47,500	79.89	88.78	168.67

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T18-047	Beaverhead River 2018	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$44,380	80.22	88.25	168.47
T18-080	2018 Rush Skeletonweed Back-up	Ravalli Co. Weed District	\$20,520	81	87.25	168.25
T18-020	Increasing Education and Participation at RMFWR Community Events	Rocky Mountain Front Weed Roundtable	\$4,677	81	87.11	168.11
T18-031	Finding the Weed in the Haystack: Preventing New Weed Infestations in Garfield Co. from Hay Donated Following Fire	Garfield Co. Conservation District	\$13,871	83.3	84.78	168.08
T18-022	Blackfoot River Corridor CWMA Project	Powell Co. Weed District	\$9,220	80.2	87.75	167.95
T18-054	Prairie Co. Houndstongue Project	Prairie Co. Weed District	\$3,238	78.7	89.25	167.95
T18-077	2018 Slow Motion Explosion	Ravalli Co. Weed District	\$14,560	79.56	88.25	167.81
T18-018	Quantifying and Ranking Invasive Weed Impacts for Prioritizing Weed Management in Eastern Montana Floodplains	University of Montana	\$20,100	78.3	89.1	167.4
T18-078	2018 Bitterroot Blueweed	Ravalli Co. Weed District	\$22,965	79.22	88.11	167.33
T18-048	2018 Argenta Noxious Weed Project	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$1,262	80.8	86.25	167.05
T18-070	Montana Weed Coordinator Training 2.0	MWCA	\$11,897	78.7	88.33	167.03
T18-034	Upper Ruby Revisited. A Revitalization of the MDA 2015-056 Trust Fund Grant	Madison Co. Weed District	\$46,617	79.22	87.5	166.72
T18-035	Jack Creek Cooperative Continue	Madison Co. Weed District	\$27,014	79.89	86.75	166.64
T18-001	Biocontrol of Russian Knapweed: Host Testing and Agent Monitoring	MSU	\$28,184	77.8	88.7	166.5
T18-087	Noxious Weeds Survey: Has 20+ Years of Weed Education Been Effective?	MSU	\$19,764	79.3	87.1	166.4
T18-057	Government Lincoln Co. Cooperative Tansy Ragwort Management Project	Lincoln Co. Weed District	\$15,000	80.4	85.88	166.28
T18-027	Valley Co. 2018 Grant	Valley Co. Weed District	\$3,951	80.95	85.25	166.2
T18-024	Hill Co. East Fork Fire Noxious Weed Project	Hill Co. Weed District	\$33,151	82.9	83.13	166.03
T18-056	Private Lincoln Co. Cooperative Tansy Ragwort Management Project	Lincoln Co. Weed District	\$27,000	80.4	85.5	165.9
T18-052	2018 Blacktail Sweetwater Project	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$31,435	81.78	84	165.78

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T18-082	2018 Powder River Leafy Spurge Project	Custer Co. Weed District	\$20,634	78.4	87.13	165.53
T18-055	2018 Yellowstone River Saltcedar Project-Yellowstone Co.	Yellowstone Co. Weed District	\$55,100	81.45	83.88	165.33
T18-066	Cayuse Hills	Sweet Grass Co. Weed District	\$25,713	79.2	86	165.2
T18-065	Mendenhall Fire	Sweet Grass Co. Weed District	\$25,332	79.1	85.5	164.6
T18-051	2018 Grasshopper Project	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$18,770	79.9	84.38	164.28
T18-002	Host Testing of a Gall Wasp for the Biocontrol of Invasive Hawkweeds	MSU	\$10,000	75.5	88.7	164.2
T18-069	Carter/Fallon Boxelder Grant	Carter Co. Weed District	\$9,737	77.8	86.38	164.18
T18-058	Lincoln Co. Cooperative Rush Skeletonweed Management Project	Lincoln Co. Weed District	\$35,675	79.7	84.13	163.83
T18-075	Hound Creek Weed Management Area	Cascade Co. Weed District	\$38,329	78.6	84.88	163.48
T18-067	2018 Urban Spurge Continuing	Sweet Grass Co. Weed District	\$17,738	79.4	83.88	163.28
T18-061	Southern Cooney Dam Project	Carbon Co. Weed District	\$35,449	78.11	85.13	163.24
T18-050	2018 Clark Canyon Project	Beaverhead Co. Weed District	\$60,600	80.1	83.13	163.23
T18-062	St. Olaf's Cooperative Weed Management Area	Carbon Co. Weed District	\$43,869	78.78	84.13	162.91
T18-004	Host Screening of New Biocontrol Agents for Common Tansy and Oxeye Daisy	MSU	\$35,000	74.5	88.4	162.9
T18-088	Keeping it Fresh: Revising Weed Publications	MSU	\$24,200	77.4	85.33	162.73
T18-060	Beaver Creek Weed Management Area NWTF	Stillwater Co. Weed District	\$16,699	77.4	84.88	162.28
T18-014	Sentinel South Hills - Continuing CWMA	Missoula Co. Weed District	\$26,302	78.3	83.88	162.18
T18-084	Musselshell River Corridor Noxious Weed Project Phase 2	Musselshell Co. Weed District	\$69,595	78.8	83.25	162.05
T18-036	Spring Creek Weed Management Area	Meagher Co. Weed District	\$21,344	75.9	86	161.9
T18-068	Carter Co. Noxious Weed Management Handbook	Carter Co. Weed District	\$2,500	77.3	84	161.3

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T18-037	Smith River Corridor Cooperative Weed Management Area	Smith River Habitat Project, Inc.	\$21,338	75.1	86.13	161.23
T18-021	Middle Pondera Creek/Sollid Road Cooperative grant	Pondera Co. Weed District	\$14,626	76.22	84.88	161.1
T18-030	Hilger CWMA	Fergus Co. Weed District	\$10,608	77	84	161
T18-064	Palisades Cooperative Weed Management Area	Carbon Co. Weed District	\$64,553	76.22	84.63	160.85
T18-063	East Rosebud Cooperative Weed Management Plan	Carbon Co. Weed District	\$43,450	75.33	85.38	160.71
T18-086	2018 MWCA Radio Grant	MWCA	\$33,430	75.56	84.56	160.12
T18-083	Golden Valley 2018 Noxious Weed Control Project Phase 2	Golden Valley Co. Weed District	\$22,357	77.4	82.25	159.65
T18-045	Upper Musselshell South Central Weed Management Area (UMSCWMA)	Wheatland Co. Weed District	\$25,378	78.22	80.13	158.35
T18-013	Clark Fork River Vegetation Management Area	Missoula Co. Weed District	\$5,462	72.85	84.63	157.48
T18-081	2018 Rush Skeletonweed Project	Sanders Co. Weed District	\$32,675	76.2	81	157.2
T18-046	Upper Musselshell West Weed Management Area (UMSWMA)	Wheatland Co. Weed District	\$43,019	77.56	79.25	156.81
T18-005	Continuing Development of Candidate Agents for Biological Control of Russian Olive	MSU	\$20,000	72.2	83.6	155.8
T18-072	Eden Grant Year 3	Cascade Co. Weed District	\$11,000	75	80.13	155.13
T18-044	Upper Musselshell South East WMA	Wheatland Co. Weed District	\$23,911	76.67	78.38	155.05
T18-040	Upper Valley Weed District	Granite Co. Weed District	\$35,838	73.1	81.88	154.98
T18-042	Douglas Weed District	Granite Co. Weed District	\$26,497	73.7	81	154.7
T18-071	Belt Weed Management Area	Cascade Co. Weed District	\$21,000	72.4	81.63	154.03
T18-073	Stockett Grant Year 4	Cascade Co. Weed District	\$8,000	73.4	80.5	153.9
T18-012	Exploration and Host Screening of Potential Biocontrol Agents for Cheatgrass	Missoula Co. Weed District	\$10,000	65.9	87.88	153.78
T18-032	Sapphire Village Whitetop Project Phase 7	Judith Basin Co. Weed District	\$31,385	73.4	79	152.4

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T18-029	Daniels Co. Noxious Weed Control and Management	Daniels Co. Weed District	\$48,943	73.1	78.88	151.98
T18-039	Lewis and Clark Co. 2017 Wildfire Mitigation	Lewis and Clark Co. Weed District	\$25,104	73.22	78.38	151.6
T18-017	Integrating Management Approaches to Control Cheatgrass on Productive Rangelands	Montana State University	\$34,909	61.1	90.3	151.4
T18-041	Middle Fork Weed District	Granite Co. Weed District	\$14,490	71	80.38	151.38
T18-074	Lower Hound Creek Weed Management Area	Cascade Co. Weed District	\$12,000	71.9	78.5	150.4
T18-038	Lincoln Vegetation Project Phase 1	Lewis and Clark Co. Weed District	\$49,873	71.33	76.75	148.08
T18-023	Rocky Boy's Reservation Noxious Weed Infestations	Chippewa Cree Natural Resources	\$40,479	66.3	69.75	136.05
T18-016	The Spread and Management of Weeds Along Major Roads	Montana State University	\$45,815	55.1	80	135.1
T18-028	Noxious Weed Control for Canals and Laterals	Glasgow Irrigation District	\$11,143	67.4	62.63	130.03
T18-015	Long-Term Management of Kochia (Kochia scoparia) in Montana: Augmenting Current Weed Control Methods with Novel Biological Control Agents	Montana State University	\$37,050	49.55	60.9	110.45
T18-059	Musselshell River Cooperative Weed Management Area	Petroleum Co. Conservation District	\$0	0	0	0

**\*All grant applications are evaluated by the Noxious Weed Management Advisory Council prior to deliberations. Evaluations are scored based on project type specific criteria with a maximum score of 100. Scores are averaged by voting members and advisory members, then added together for a total evaluation score. Applications are ranked from hi to low based on total score. Ranking and scores are only part of the Council's **funding** recommendation decision and serve as a starting point for deliberations; they do not guarantee funding. Additional considerations may include past project performance, remaining grant funds, current priorities and needs of weed management, available grant funding, etc. Evaluation criterias are posted here:**