

to: Wayne Rosenthal, Director

from: Mark Alessi, Chairman, State Duck Stamp Committee  
Teresa DeStasio, Special Funds Coordinator

date: February 5, 2019

subject: Duck Stamp Committee Action – Canada Projects Only

The State Duck Stamp Committee met on February 1, 2019 to review three Migratory Waterfowl Stamp Fund grant applications for funding through the Special Wildlife Funds Grant Program for 2019. Attached are the 3 grant applications received.

**For Fiscal Year 2019 there will be: \$500,000.00 in funding**

- \$352,500 available for work in Saskatchewan
- \$147,500 available for work in Manitoba

After review of the proposals, and in-meeting presentations by the applicants, the Committee recommends the following funding levels. The Committee awarded all the \$352,500 available Saskatchewan funds to the only applicant Ducks Unlimited, and recommended a \$75,000 funding level for Delta Waterfowl in Manitoba (the same funding level as in previous 2015 year), with the remainder of \$72,500 going to the other Manitoba applicant Ducks Unlimited.

#### MIGRATORY WATERFOWL STAMP FUND-RECOMMENDED PROJECTS (CANADA)

Project Number	Applicant Affiliation	Project Description	Funding Recommendation
19-C01D	Ducks Unlimited, Inc	Waterfowl Habitat Conservation in the Prairie Pothole Region of Saskatchewan.	\$352,500.00
19-C02D	Ducks Unlimited, Inc	Manitoba Waterfowl Habitat Conservation Project	\$72,500.00
19-C03D	Delta Waterfowl Foundation	Manitoba Waterfowl Habitat Conservation Project	\$75,000.00
TOTAL			\$500,000.00

Please let me know if you desire any additional information on either of these projects. Upon your decision, the ORC Special Funds staff will inform the members of the State Duck Stamp Committee and get the capital funds released.

In regards to the funding recommendations by the Duck Stamp Committee and listed on page 1 of this document:

DIVISION RECOMMENDATION


 2-5-19

Mark Alessi, Chief  
Division of Wildlife Resources

Date

APPROVE  
 DISAPPROVE

DIVISION RECOMMENDATION


 2/5/19

Chris Young, Director  
Office of Resource Conservation

Date

APPROVE  
 DISAPPROVE

AGENCY DIRECTOR SIGN-OFF

 2/6/19

Wayne Rosenthal, Director

Date

APPROVE  
 DISAPPROVE

cc: Doug Florence  
State Duck Stamp Committee