




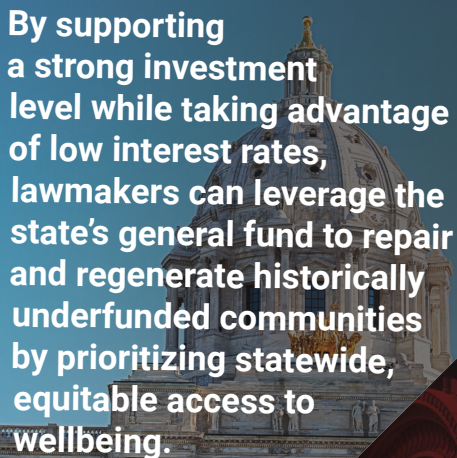
Completing a robust capital funding bill that includes both design-ready and shovel-worthy projects is essential to sustaining Minnesota's economy.



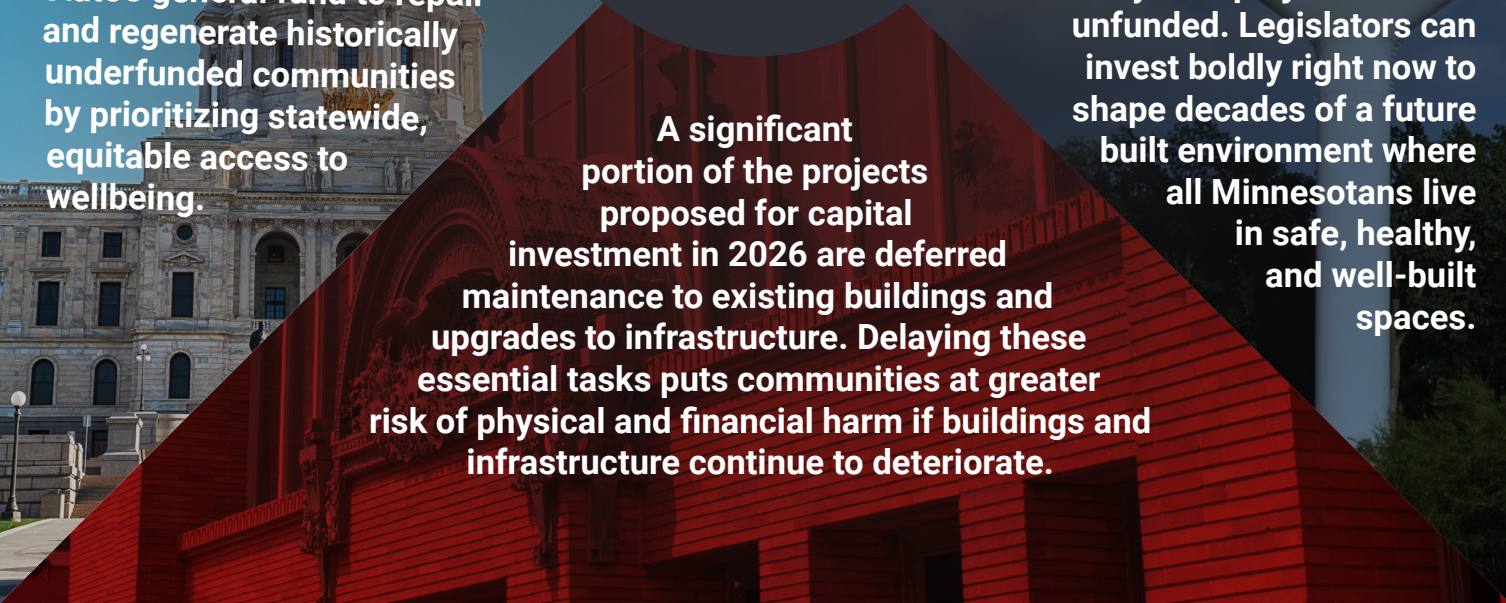
A predictable, reliable cycle of capital budget bills allows the design and construction industry to remain a healthy, stable contributor to Minnesota's economy while addressing chronic inequities in our infrastructure network, creating family-sustaining careers.



## **CAPITAL INVESTMENT: A Key Driver of Minnesota's Economic Future**



By supporting a strong investment level while taking advantage of low interest rates, lawmakers can leverage the state's general fund to repair and regenerate historically underfunded communities by prioritizing statewide, equitable access to wellbeing.



A significant portion of the projects proposed for capital investment in 2026 are deferred maintenance to existing buildings and upgrades to infrastructure. Delaying these essential tasks puts communities at greater risk of physical and financial harm if buildings and infrastructure continue to deteriorate.



Although historic federal infrastructure investments will help us move toward restoring communities, many vital projects remain unfunded. Legislators can invest boldly right now to shape decades of a future built environment where all Minnesotans live in safe, healthy, and well-built spaces.

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