

## Minnesota State Academies

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## **Asset Preservation Funds**

## Project Scope:

We are asking for \$4.52 million in asset preservation funds to maintain and preserve buildings on the campuses of the Minnesota State Academies. We have two buildings, Noyes Hall and Tate Hall, that are listed on the National Registry of Historic Places and we have several other buildings which are more than 80 years old. In actuality, we have a long list of repair/maintenance needs for both campuses and we hope that within this bonding bill, we can get enough funds to address our most immediate needs. With the more stringent standards established for use of Asset Preservation Funds, we have identified the most pressing needs that meet the criteria for A.P. funding and are hoping that the legislature will approve this request.

## Rationale:

On both campuses, we have a total of 14 buildings, covering different educational and residential programs and ensuring the safety, accessibility, and full use of our facilities is of utmost importance. Parents who send their children from all parts of Minnesota trust us to provide a safe, accessible, and comfortable learning/living environment for their child.

All Asset Preservation Funds will be designated specifically to continue work to maintain and preserve our historical buildings, according to rules set forth in Minnesota Law.