# Minnesota New Markets Development Act (NMDA)

Meeting the Financing Need for Minnesota Small Businesses

### How it Works

## **Federal Award**

Certified investors win Federal New Markets Tax Credit (NMTC) award from the U.S. Treasury

### State NMTC Program

Minnesota NMDA authorizes \$200 million of private investment under state NMTC program Divided \$100M for Greater MN & \$100M for Metro Area

# **State Participants**

DEED awards all \$200MM of investment authority to certified investors that have won a federal NMTC award

MN-based investors must have previously won a federal NMTC award to participate to get oversight of federal program. Out-of-state investors must bring at least \$.50 of federal NMTC investment for every \$1 of state tax credit authorized.

# **Rapid Deployment**

DOR-approved investors raise and invest all \$200MM in Minnesota small businesses within 12 months

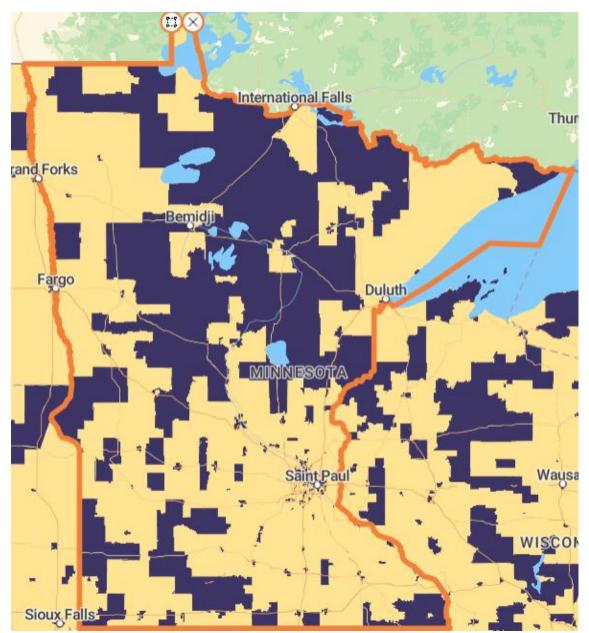
# **Delayed Credit**

No state fiscal note in years 1 and 2 of the program; \$20MM in tax credits issued annually years 3-7 (\$100MM total)

# Long-Term Impact

DOR-approved investors must keep all \$200MM invested in Minnesota businesses for all 7 years of the program Minnesota New Markets Development Act

New Markets Tax Credit Eligible Areas



<u>Statewide</u> (Eligible Areas in Purple)

#### **NMTC Eligibility Requirements**

- The CDFI Fund in the US Treasury sets NMTC eligible areas across the country along census tracts according to two criteria:
  - $\circ$  (1) the area must have a poverty rate of at least 20%; OR
  - (2) the area must have a median family income below 80% of the median statewide family income.

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