FY18 STUDENT PROFILE: 3,566 Credit-seeking Students | 31.5% Pell Eligible | 24.6% Students of Color

Request Details
Amounts are estimates and subject to change
» $6.6 million of $169 million in campus support with Inver Hills Community College
» 3,836 students, faculty, and staff will use NextGen
» An estimated 310 students will receive grants

What’s At Stake?
A fully funded request will:
» Meet needs for technology opportunities, including energy technicians, civil technicians, and IT.
» Allow investment in services like peer tutoring, veteran services, and support for English language learners.
» Expand equity work to address achievement gaps.

Not fully funding the request will:
» Limit new programs in response to the needs of business and industry.
» Restrict our ability to invest in maintaining facilities and education program spaces.

ABOUT THE COLLEGE
Dakota County Technical College (DCTC) provides highly skilled and technical training for today’s most in-demand jobs with 40 degree programs and more than 60 certificate and diploma programs in areas ranging from construction and manufacturing to health care to visual arts to business and more. In 2018, Forbes ranked DCTC as one of the top 25 two-year trade schools in the nation.

SERVICE TO MINNESOTA
» Each year, DCTC and Inver Hills generate $334.6 million in economic impact, as well as produce 1,500 graduates, and support and sustain 2,881 jobs.
» 86% of graduates go on to work in a field related to their study (2017).
» A network of student support services provides resources for all students to thrive academically and become contributing members of the workforce.

PARTNERSHIPS
» Ziegler CAT, Xcel Energy, RDO (largest John Deere dealer), Luther Automotive Group, BTD, Thomson Reuters, General Motors, and Hysitron: Provide crucial industry insight for creating program curriculum that meets workforce needs and often provide job placement opportunities for graduates.
» Pathways to Prosperity: A grant with Goodwill-Easter Seals to train underserved populations for high-demand manufacturing jobs in Dakota and Scott counties.
» Douglas Differt Difference Makers: Partnership between DCTC, Inver Hills, and the transportation construction industry creating scholarships, internships, and connections for students interested in filling the employment needs in engineering or civil engineering technology.
» Post Consumer Brands: Collaborates with DCTC to provide specialized, advanced manufacturing and mechatronics training for 70 technicians at its Northfield plant.

FROM A BUSINESS PARTNER:
“The quality of graduates from the [DCTC electric lineworkers] program is outstanding. We bring in recent DCTC graduates to intern, and quite often our operations supervisors say those interns are excellent, are more mature, and are ready to transition to having a career.”

– Greg Miller, CEO and President, Dakota Electric Association

2019 Capital Request
» $5 million in asset preservation and replacement to replace roof, windows, and security hardware (with Inver Hills)