



NOTE: Mesabi Range College is part of the Northeast Higher Education District (NHED).



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FY18 STUDENT PROFILE: 1,844 Credit-seeking Students | 27.9% Pell Eligible | 17.2% Students of Color

# Request Details

Amounts are estimates and subject to change

- » \$5.3 million (as part of NHED) of \$169 million in campus support
- » 1,934 students, faculty, and staff will use NextGen
- » An estimated 100 students will receive grants

### What's At Stake?

A fully funded request will:

- » Ensure higher education in a rural landscape with an economically disadvantaged population.
- » Deepen relationships with local high schools to encourage more students into technical programs to meet regional workforce demands.
- » Provide financial assistance that will decrease student debt.

Not fully funding the request will:

- » Reduce services provided to our students.
- » Narrow the scope of program and course offerings.
- » Limit technology investments.
- » Delay the expansion of highdemand academic programs.

## 2019 Capital Request

» \$4.7 million in asset preservation and replacement to replace roofs and install boilers (as part of NHED)

#### **ABOUT THE COLLEGE**

Mesabi Range College offers an AA degree as well as numerous technical programs such as addiction studies/ human services, industrial mechanical technology, welding, early childhood education, electrical controls, nursing, paramedic, and graphic design media.

#### SERVICE TO MINNESOTA

- » Each year, as part of NHED, Mesabi Range College, HCC, ICC, RRCC, and VCC (Vermilion) generate \$211.3 million in economic impact, as well as produce 1,100 graduates, and support and sustain 1,809 jobs.
- » Expanding Educational Opportunities grant strengthening connection between high school students and construction trades careers.
- » Growing Tomorrow's Teachers— A Garden of Opportunity grant supporting the need for qualified early childhood teachers.
- » Participated in the Talent Development Program,

- supporting the professional development of college technical faculty, strengthening technical programming and the economic vitality of northeast Minnesota.
- » Perkins Consortia Recipient Project, funding focusing on expansion of CTE programs in medical/nursing and mining engineering.
- » MRC Addiction Studies/Human Services department partners with the Minnesota Judicial System-St. Louis County District Court, bringing Treatment Court to the college and the region.

#### **PARTNERSHIPS**

- » East Range Consortium Partnership: Collaborates with Vermilion Community College, Mesabi Range College, and 14 local school districts to distribute Perkins funding to create pathways and opportunities in career and technical education.
- » Applied Learning Institute: Serves 22 regional high schools to provide career pathways in the high schools for college credit.



### FROM AN ACADEMIC ADVISOR:

"As the Post-Secondary Perkins Coordinator, I have the privilege to work with the secondary and postsecondary members of the East Range Perkins Consortium. I thoroughly enjoyed writing a grant that has allowed our Eveleth faculty to enhance their skills in several areas. Our High School Open House brought close to 150 students to campus to meet faculty and learn about our incredible programs."

> - Chris Vito, Head Baseball Coach/Perkins Coordinator/PSEO Academic Advisor