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Special Review

State Agency Barter Arrangements



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The Honorable Jesse Ventura, Governor

We have completed a special review of bartering arrangements entered into by state agencies. The objective of the review was to provide a report on the type and value of each agency's bartering agreements as required by Laws of Minnesota (2001), First Special Session, Chapter 10, Section 38, Subd. 1.

Providing an accounting of bartering arrangements was challenging, because these transactions are not recorded on the state's accounting system or otherwise inventoried in any systematic manner. We hope this report provides relevant information for decision-makers on the magnitude of this type of activity.

This report is intended for the information of the Legislature and the Governor. This restriction is not intended to limit the distribution of this report, which was released as a public document on January 15, 2002.

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Background

State agencies generally buy goods and services with money. However, some agencies obtain goods and services through barter arrangements. Because there is no monetary exchange, the transactions are not recorded in the state's accounting records and there has been limited information available about the type and magnitude of these activities.

Laws of Minnesota (2001), First Special Session, Chapter 10, Section 38, Subd. 1, directed the Office of the Legislative Auditor to report on the use of barter arrangements by state agencies. Specifically, the law provided:

By January 15, 2002, the legislative auditor shall report to the legislature and governor on agency use of barter agreements in furtherance of an agency's mission. The report shall list the type and approximate value of each agency's agreement or agreements.

Subdivision 2 of Chapter 10, Section 38, restricts state agencies from entering into bartering agreements valued at more than \$100,000 with non-governmental entities after July 1, 2002, unless specifically authorized by law. The Minnesota State Lottery is exempted from this restriction.

Methodology

We asked state agencies to complete a survey form describing their involvement in bartering activities and estimating the value of the arrangements. We focused on fiscal years 2000, 2001, and the first two months of fiscal year 2002. We told the agencies to use a broad definition of "barter," specifying that it should include any trade of goods and/or services for goods and/or services, without an exchange of money. We also asked the agencies whether they had a written agreement with the other party to the arrangement. We received responses from all of the executive branch agencies, or components of agencies, that we surveyed. The following table provides information on bartering arrangements reported for 20 state agencies. Appendix I identifies the 69 state agencies with no reported bartering activities.

We note the following regarding the information provided in the table:

• Because barter arrangements are not recorded or reported in any systematic manner, our accounting is based on self-reporting by the state agencies. Also, because there is not a standard well-understood definition of barter, it is probable that there are inconsistencies in the reported data. Some agencies may have reported certain arrangements that other agencies would not consider to be barter. We reviewed the information reported for reasonableness and, in some cases, discussed a barter arrangement with agency staff. However, we did not otherwise attempt to independently ensure the completeness of the reported information.

- Some agencies reported fairly detailed information on individual barter arrangements, while other agencies provided a more general description of the types of arrangements they were party to. The fact that the table may show numerous entries for one agency and more limited information for another agency does not necessarily represent the magnitude of bartering engaged in by the agencies.
- Some agencies were able to provide an estimate of the value of the goods or services obtained or provided through barter arrangements. However, other agencies said the value of the arrangements was unknown.

Conclusions

It was not our objective in this review to reach a conclusion on the propriety of individual barter arrangements or on the use of barter generally. However, in some cases, the reported information does raise questions that we will pursue in subsequent audits of these entities. For example, as a general rule, we believe that if a state agency engages in bartering activities, it should have a written agreement with the other party so that all expectations regarding the arrangement, and the responsibilities of the various parties, are clear. Similarly, we think agencies should have records or an inventory of the various bartering arrangements.

Department of Administration

The department's arrangements consisted primarily of sharing resources in exchange for fiber optic/network capacity and maintenance of property. In addition, the department initiated contracts, primarily land use agreements, for other state agencies. The department prepared contracts for the Department of Corrections (for facilities in Lino Lakes, Rush City, Shakopee, and St. Cloud) and the Department of Human Services (for the Regional Treatment Centers in Anoka and Fergus Falls). The department also prepared contracts for the Iron Range Resources & Rehabilitation Board, the Department of Transportation, and the Veterans Homes Board. The agreements negotiated by the department for these other agencies are listed under the agencies receiving the goods or services.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01	Central MN Distance Learning Network	Use of network video equipment	\$37,000/yr	Fiber optic capacity	\$37,000/yr	Yes
00	Central MN Distance Learning Network	Network management services	\$15,000/yr	Surplus network capacity	\$15,000/yr	Yes
	UCN Connecting MN Project	206 miles of freeway right-of-way	Unknown	175 miles fiber optic use with 96 strands, 31 miles, 2-10 conduits	Unknown	Yes
01-02	Catholic Charities	Use of 500 square feet of land		Control of differing elevations at common property line and maintenance of property	Unknown	Yes
	US West Communications	Non-exclusive use of 239 square feet of space for remote switch module		Provision of and maintenance of equipment to meet communication needs	Unknown	Yes

Department of Agriculture

The department's arrangements consisted primarily of sharing staff and equipment for cooperative work projects and training.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	U. S Food and Drug Administration	Space, supervision, and equipment usage	\$51,686	1.5 full time equivalent staff performing lab work	\$150,000	Yes
		Work/inspection of slaughter or meat processing plants under federal jurisdiction	\$35,000	Work/inspection of slaughter or meat processing plants under state jurisdiction	\$35,000	Yes- pending
00-02	Pollution Control Agency	Dairy inspectors assist dairy farmers to comply with MPCA's feedlot rules	\$6,000	Training to MDA dairy inspectors on feedlot issues	\$22,500	Yes
00-02	University of Minnesota	Non-paid student internship	Unknown	Assistance in grants project	\$5,000	No

Board of Social Work

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	_	Technical assistance by system administrator	\$6,607	Use of database server	\$6,607	Yes

Campaign Finance & Public Disclosure Board

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Legislative Auditor	N/A		Internet and e-mail access through OLA	\$432/yr	No

Center for Arts Education

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	City of Golden Valley	Old football field	Unknown	Conversion to soccer field	Unknown	Yes

Department of Children, Families & Learning

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Department of Natural Resources	Support services		Aquatic education specialist providing educational programming for youth	Unknown	Yes

Department of Corrections

The commissioner of Corrections is authorized by statute to permit social service, educational or rehabilitation agencies to utilize facilities, staff, and other resources of the correctional facilities. The commissioner is also empowered to lease buildings for business or commercial enterprises deemed to be consistent with the proper training and rehabilitation of inmates. Arrangements that have written agreements were negotiated through the Department of Administration.

Lino Lakes Correctional Facility

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	MN High Technology Foundation	Use of 8,400 square feet of space	Unknown	Vocational training for inmates	Unknown	Yes
02-05	Stillwater Systems, Inc	Use of 2,800 square feet of space	Unknown	Vocational training for inmates	Unknown	Yes

Rush City Correctional Facility

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	2 Farmers	Use of 84.5 acres of land	\$2,100	Weed control and maintenance	\$2,100	Yes

Shakopee Correctional Facility

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01-02	University of Minnesota	Use of 1,100 square feet of land	Unknown	Gardens and services for community	Unknown	Yes

St. Cloud Correctional Facility

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-05	Joint Powers Board	Use of 2 residences for juvenile detention	Unknown	Services for community	Unknown	Yes
00-05	City of St. Cloud	Use of 60 acres of land	Unknown	Nordic trail for the public	Unknown	Yes

Stillwater Correctional Facility

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	Washington County	Land to dump snow	Unknown	Parking lot sweeping equipment	Unknown	No

Department of Employee Relations

The department reported arrangements that involved sharing space and services with other state agencies.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01-02	Department of Finance	Classroom for training	Unknown	Office space	Unknown	No
01-02	Minnesota Planning	Library materials for other agency use	Unknown	Library space and services	\$22,000	No

Department of Human Services

The department's bartering arrangements primarily involve use of land at various facilities. Arrangements with written agreements were negotiated through the Department of Administration.

Anoka Metro Regional Treatment Center

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Anoka Hennepin Technical College	Storage of lawn mower and lawn equipment	\$200	Use of mower and equipment	\$150	No
00-02	Dept. of Transportation	Lawn mowing	\$75	Road maintenance	\$100	No
00-02	City of Anoka	Use of 7 acres of land	Unknown	Community recreational program and maintenance of property	\$190	Yes
	Charlie Peterson Community Gardens	Use of 615,000 square feet of land	Unknown	Community garden and maintenance of property	Unknown	Yes
02-06	City of Anoka	Use of 290,000 square feet of land	Unknown	Playground for the public and maintenance of property	Unknown	Yes
	Brainerd Lakes BMX Association	Use of 122,500 square feet of land	Unknown	Recreational facility for youth and maintenance of property	Unknown	Yes

Fergus Falls Regional Treatment Center

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	<u>Written</u>
00-03		Use of building and land for solid waste incinerator plant	Unknown	Minimization of landfill use and the ability to utilize steam generated	Unknown	Yes
00-02	Minnesota Public Radio	Antenna site	Unknown	Communication to the public	Unknown	Yes

St. Peter Regional Treatment Center

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	<u>Written</u>
00-02	Department of	Plowing, weed whip guardrails, building	Unknown	Salt and sand, road sweeping, repair,	Unknown	No
	Transportation	usage, and staffing		materials, and equipment		

Extended Treatment Options

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	<u>Written</u>
00-02	Red Cross	Storage space for teaching materials		Training pamphlets, videos, and CPR classes	\$600 - \$3,000	No

Iron Range Resources and Rehabilitation Board

This arrangement was negotiated through the Department of Administration.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	<u>Written</u>
00-04	Friends of the IRIC, Inc.	1,025 square feet of space		Memorial exhibit to the late Governor Rudy Perpich at Ironworld	Unknown	Yes

Department of Military Affairs

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-01	City of Minneapolis	Use of 12 classrooms	\$1,080	Access to meetings for National Guard	Unknown	No
00-01	Minneapolis ISD	Use of drill floor space	\$300	Snow removal	\$500	No
00-01	Patrick Henry School	Use of drill floor space	\$300	Recruiting display space	\$300	Yes
00-01	City of Minneapolis	Use of drill floor space	\$300	Parking lot striping	\$800	No
00-01	City of Thief River Falls	Use of drill floor space	\$250	Forklift/bucket truck use	\$250	No
00-01	City of Hastings	Use of drill floor space	\$180	Parking lot sweeping and sanding	\$250	No

Minnesota State Lottery

The use of barter is a significant aspect of the overall marketing strategy at the Minnesota State Lottery. The arrangements involve numerous television and radio stations, as well as lottery retailers and other for-profit entities. The values reported are the approximate retail value of the goods provided and received and do not include any value attributable to increased lottery sales or goodwill.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	Lottery retailers statewide	Lottery merchandise	\$425,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$600,000	No
01	Lottery retailers statewide	Lottery merchandise	\$386,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$523,000	No
01-02	Hubbard Broadcasting	Powerball – The Game Show	Unknown	23 minutes air time Saturday	\$90,000/yr	Yes
01-02	KBJR-TV Duluth	Powerball – The Game Show	Unknown	23 minutes air time Saturday	\$31,000/yr	Yes
01-02	KTTC-TV Rochester	Powerball – The Game Show	Unknown	23 minutes air time Saturday	\$31,000/yr	Yes
00-02	Approximately 68 cable	Environmental Journal Show	Unknown	30 minutes of air time, approximately	\$1.4-\$1.9	Yes
	television networks			183 times per year on cable access	million/yr	
00-02	Approximately 56 radio	Environmental Journal Show	Unknown	2 minutes of air time at least once a	\$200,000/yr	Yes
	stations			week on each station		
00-02	Approximately 70 radio	Players Spotlight Radio Show	Unknown	2 minutes of air time approximately	\$511,000/yr	Yes
	stations			once a day on each station		
00	Rainbow Foods	Lottery tickets, merchandise, and special	\$115,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and	\$441,000	No
	(Whirlwind Promotion)	point of sale signage		signage		
00	Cub Foods (Ribfest)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$59,000	Promotional media and merchandise	\$9,000	No
01	Cub Foods (Spamtastic	Lottery tickets, merchandise, and sports	\$59,000	Promotional media and merchandise	\$6,000	No
	Promotion)	events tickets				
00	Cub Foods (Women's	Lottery merchandise	\$22,000	Booth space	\$1,000	No
	Expo)					

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01	Women's Expo	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$22,000	Booth space, promotional media, and signage	\$1,000	No
02	Kraus (Clerk Incentive)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$6,000	Merchandise	\$5,500	No
00	Tom Thumb (Crossword Sales Incentive)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$4,000	Merchandise	\$10,000	No
01	Oasis Market	Lottery tickets and sports events tickets	\$3,700	Merchandise	\$2,000	No
00	Little Stores (Gopher 5 Promo)	Lottery tickets	\$500	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$2,000	No
01	Little Stores (Rolldown Incentive)	Lottery tickets	\$2,700	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$4,000	No
02	Little Stores (Bayfront Blues)	Lottery tickets, merchandise, and special point of sale signage	\$2,200	Promotional media and merchandise	\$2,500	No
02	Little Stores (Good Neighbor Promo)	Lottery tickets	\$2,000	Promotional media and merchandise	\$15,000	No
00	Cenaiko Sports Trade Show	Lottery tickets, merchandise, and special point of sale signage	\$14,150	Promotional media and booth space	\$31,000	No
01	Super America (Cabin Fever Days Promo)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$2,400	Promotional media and merchandise	\$700	No
01	Econo Foods (Be a Wealthy Wabbit Promo)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$1,500	Promotional media and merchandise	\$4,600	No
00	Pioneer Press (State Fair)	Lottery tickets	\$5,000	Promotional media and signage	\$56,000	No
01	Star Tribune (.com promo)	Lottery tickets	\$1,500	Promotional media	\$1,400	No
02	Star Tribune (Gopher the Buck Auto Promo)	Lottery tickets	\$12,000	Promotional media	\$172,000	No
00	,	Lottery merchandise	\$11,100	Promotional media and booth space	\$400	No
01	Little Falls Arts and Craft Fair	Lottery merchandise	\$7,400	Promotional media and merchandise	\$400	No
02		Lottery merchandise	\$7,300	Promotional media and booth space	\$400	No
02	Country Music WE Fest	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$7,000	Merchandise	\$53,000	No
00	Richmond River Days	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$5,000	Promotional media and booth space	\$1,500	No
01	Richmond River Days	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$4,800	Booth space, promotional media, and signage	\$1,500	No
02	Richmond River Days	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$6,700	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$2,000	No
02	Waseca County Fair	Lottery tickets	\$800	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$5,000	No

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	Marshall Ford (Auto Armory Sale)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$3,000	Promotional media and merchandise	\$21,000	No
00	Kato	Lottery tickets and sports events tickets	\$3,000	Promotional media	\$4,000	No
02	Kato	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$1,600	Promotional media	\$6,500	No
02	Kato (Trucker Appreciation Days)	Lottery tickets	\$100	Promotional media	\$500	No
01	KFAN (Bobblehead sponsor)	Lottery merchandise	\$20,000	Promotional media	\$225,000	Yes
01	KTTC-TV (Wheel Deal)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$12,000	Promotional media	\$42,000	No
01	KTTC-TV (Powerball)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$1,200	Promotional media and merchandise	\$14,000	No
02	KTTC-TV (Wheel Deal)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$10,000	Promotional media	\$42,000	No
02	KTTC-TV (Drawing Station Promo)	Lottery tickets and tickets to sporting events	\$800	Promotional media	\$5,000	No
02	KXLP/KYSM	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$5,800	Promotional media	\$15,000	No
02	KSTP-TV (Saints Promo)	Lottery tickets	\$3,200	Promotional media and merchandise	\$72,000	No
00	KYMN (Let's Light Up Northfield)	Lottery tickets	\$2,500	Promotional media	\$4,000	No
01	KYMN (Let's Light Up Northfield)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$2,800	Promotional media	\$4,000	No
00	KTOE	Lottery tickets	\$2,400	Promotional media, and merchandise	\$12,000	No
02	KTOE	Lottery tickets	\$2,400	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$15,000	No
02	KXLP	Lottery tickets	\$2,400	Promotional media	\$56,000	No
01	KEYC-TV	Lottery tickets	\$500	Promotional signage	\$100	No
01	KDJS Radio	Lottery tickets	\$2,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$32,000	No
02	KDJS Radio	Lottery tickets	\$2,000	Promotional media	\$13,000	No
00	KBJR (Millennium Promo)	Lottery tickets	\$2,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$11,000	No
00	KLGR (Home Show)	Lottery tickets	\$600	Promotional media and signage	\$5,000	No
01	KLGR (Home Show)	Lottery tickets	\$600	Promotional media and signage	\$4,700	No
00	KMHL (Millennium Promo)	Lottery tickets	\$2,000	Promotional media and signage	\$4,000	No
02	KROC (Sandy Point Car Classic)	Lottery tickets	\$1,600	Promotional media and merchandise	\$10,000	No
00	KRUE/KOWO (Waseca County Fair)	Lottery tickets	\$1,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$8,000	No
01	KRUE/KOWO (Waseca County Fair)	Lottery tickets	\$1,000	Merchandise, promotional media, and signage	\$5,600	No

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	KARP	Lottery tickets	\$1,000	Promotional media	\$5,000	No
01	KWWK (Powerball Game Call-in)	Lottery tickets	\$200	Promotional media	\$1,000	No
01	KWNG (2 nd Annual Summer Fun Giveaway)	Lottery tickets	\$1,500	Promotional media	\$18,000	No
02	KWNG (3 rd Annual Summer Fun Giveaway)	Lottery tickets	\$1,500	Promotional media and merchandise	\$18,000	No
01	MSC (U of M sponsor)	Lottery tickets and merchandise	\$350	Promotional media and merchandise	\$1,300	No
01	MSC (Bobblehead sponsor)	Lottery merchandise	\$3,200	Promotional media	\$125,000	Yes
01	WJJY (4 th of July Parade)	Lottery tickets	\$1,000	Promotional media	\$6,000	No
02	WJJY (4 th of July Parade)	Lottery tickets	\$1,000	Promotional media	\$6,000	No
00	RK Radio Network	Lottery tickets	\$650	Promotional media	\$6,500	No
01	Rochester Radio Group	Lottery tickets	\$200	Promotional media and merchandise	\$1,300	No

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU)

The MnSCU institutions enter into various arrangements for goods and services, primarily relating to the use of space on the campuses. Two state universities also have arrangements with for-profit entities for goods or services in support of athletic programs. In addition to the arrangements shown, institutions said they had agreements with both profit and non-profit organizations to provide academic learning to students in exchange for work provided by the students.

Anoka Hennepin Technical College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
02	Mate Precision Tooling	Training	\$5,000	In kind and resource support	\$5,000	No

Dakota Technical College

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01	City of Eagan	2 police cars	\$7,400	Future training	\$7,400	Yes

Hibbing Community College

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	High School	Use of football field		Maintenance (mowing, repair, striping, seeding) of football field	\$6,000	Yes

Inver Hills Community College

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00	Dakota County	Landscaping/technical assistance for Inver Glen Library	\$25,460	Orientation parking overflow	\$433/yr	Yes
00-02	I	Snow removal, sanding of parking lot, mowing, landscaping	\$11,870/yr	Signage	\$25,000	Yes

Itasca Community College

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Kootasca Inc./Kids Inc.	Space, including the utilities and cleaning	\$17,000	Childcare services for students	\$20,000	Yes
02	Blandin Paper Co	Priority training for Blandin Paper Co.	\$10,000	Space downtown, including utilities	\$20,000	Yes

Metro State University

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	St. Paul Police	Parking for patrol cars		Increased Police Department visibility for security	Unknown	No

Minneapolis Community and Technical College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	St. Mary's Basilica	Ramp parking on Sundays	\$15,000	Basilica allows Martin Luther King celebration	\$15,000	No
	Children's Dental Services	3,000 square feet of space for clinic	\$31,500	Dental oversight/management to dental students	\$31,500	Yes

Minnesota State University, Mankato

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Department of Transportation	Free use of large tree spade	Unknown	Salt/sand for streets at no charge	Unknown	No
		Off-site storage of computer backup tapes for SCTC		Off-site storage of computer backup tapes for MSU,M	Unknown	No
	Numerous car dealerships	A small number of free tickets to athletic events		Free use of vehicles for athletic coaches to use during season and for recruiting	Unknown	No

Minnesota State College-Southeast Technical

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	State Workforce Center	Office Space		Remodeled space and co-location of a collaborative partner	\$350,000	Yes
00-02	•	Space and facility rent and reduction costs for day care providers	. ,	Vouchers and services to students at reduced costs	\$7,500	Yes

North Hennepin Community College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-01		As available classroom seats for continuing education and contract training		Advertising in Chamber of Commerce publications	N/A	No
01-02	Concordia College	Space for class		Promotion of NHCC Business ASAP Program	minimal	No

Northwest Technical College

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	School Districts	Room usage at college	\$2,000	Room usage at school districts	\$2,000	No

Rainy River Community College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	School Districts	Use of theater, softball field, gym	\$6,000	Use of weight room, football stadium	\$6,000	Yes
00-02	Holiday Inn	Folding chairs, podium	\$3,000	Free use of banquet facilities	\$3,000	No

Riverland Community College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	School districts	Space for television station	\$25,000	Technical consultant	\$25,000	Yes
00-02	City of Austin	Baseball field land	Unknown	Building and maintenance of fields	\$180,000	Yes

Rochester Community and Technical College

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Civic League Day Nursery	Buildings and equipment for day care center		Convenient, low cost day care services for students/staff	\$20,000/yr	Yes
00-02	City of Rochester	Use of parking lots, sports fields	\$10,000- \$20,000/yr	Maintain land/sports fields	\$10,000- \$20,000/yr	Yes
00-02	School District #535	Use of college bleachers at high school for football and soccer games	· ·	RCTC football team uses high school field for home games	\$2,000- \$3,000/yr	No
00-02	School District #535	Facilities for training sessions	\$100/yr	Employees attend sessions free	\$100/yr	No
00-02	Department of Transportation	Use of facilities for meetings/training sessions	\$100/yr	Sand for roads and parking lots in winter	\$100/yr	No
00-02	U.S. Postal Service	Facilities for training session		RCTC employees allowed to attend session for free	\$100/yr	No

South Central Technical College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	City of North Mankato	Use of softball fields	· ·	City maintains fields, including fertilizing, mowing, and refuse removal	\$3,500	No

Southwest State University

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Southwest Area Multi- County Multi-Type Library	450 square feet of office space	,	Individual to work at reference desk, 5 hours per week during fall and spring semesters	\$4,500	Yes

St. Cloud State University

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Hotels, auto dealers, restaurants	Athletic tickets, hospitality, parking passes	\$18,000	Cars, hotel rooms, meals, equipment for recruiting and fundraising	\$54,700	No
00-02	Dept. of Transportation	Training	\$15,000	Help upkeep of roads, vehicles	\$15,000	Yes
00-02	School district #742	Facility use	\$5,000	Use district #742 athletic/recreation facilities	\$5,000	No
00-02	City of St. Cloud	Facility use	\$5,000	Parking space	\$5,000	Yes
	St. Cloud Area Economic Development Part.	Supplies and printing of newsletter 3/year	\$3,454	Membership dues credit	\$3,454	No
	St. Cloud Catholic Diocese	Use of SCSU challenge course	\$2,500	7 acres of land for challenge course	\$2,500	Yes
00-02	United Way	Supplies and printing of newsletter 3/year	\$600	Labor reimbursement	\$840	No
00-02	WebCT	WebCT campus partner	Nominal	WebCT campus edition	\$4,200	Yes
00-02	Microsoft Exchange	Higher education partner	Nominal	Microsoft Exchange client access license	\$45,000	Yes
00-02	Schmitt Music	Facility use, piano sale, and advertising	Unknown	Use of pianos and purchase discounts	\$70,000	Yes

St. Cloud Technical College

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	St Cloud State University	Room use	\$4,500	Shared equipment purchasing between institutions	\$37,000	No
00-02	University of Minnesota	Classroom use	\$3,600	Local instructors attend classes	Unknown	Yes
00-02	Central Lakes College	Classroom use	\$960	None	Unknown	Yes
	MN Water Operators/MN Rural Water Associations	Room use	\$960	Free registration for college instructors and students	\$7,800	No
00-02	ARC St. Cloud	Room use	\$640	Advertising	\$750	Yes
00-02	ICAR	Welding lab use	\$640	Free classes for college instructors	\$800	No
00-02	Northstar Paint	Room use	\$640	Paint, tools, equipment, and miscellaneous new products	\$4,115	Yes
00-02	Penn State University	Room use	\$480	Free registration for college instructors	\$1,100	Yes
00-02	Providers Choice	Room use	\$360	Advertising	\$750	Yes
	Minnesota Technology, Inc.	Room use	\$160	Advertising	\$500	Yes
00	Census 2000	Room use	\$120	Public relations	Unknown	Yes
00-02	Boy Scouts	Room use	\$80	Public relations	Unknown	Yes
00-02	Reach Up/Head Start	Room use	\$60	Contract for other rentals	Unknown	No
00-02	Ron's Cabinet	Room use	\$60	Public relations on future job skills grant	Unknown	Yes
	MN Society for Professional Surveyors	Room use	\$360	Training for college instructors	Unknown	No

Minnesota Zoological Gardens

The Minnesota Zoo offered admission tickets in exchange for radio advertisements to 50 radio stations throughout Minnesota, and to additional stations located in Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin. The Zoo also had an arrangement with Northwest Airlines for airline travel.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01	Radio stations	Admission tickets	\$73,000	Radio commercials	\$73,000	Yes
00-01		Northwest Airlines acknowledged as sponsor of the bird show	\$25,000	Credit in airfare for staff and board members	\$25,000	Yes
00-02		Northwest Airlines acknowledged as sponsor of An Evening in the Tropics	\$20,000	4 round-trip tickets to Indonesia	\$20,000	Yes

Department of Natural Resources

The department entered into a variety of barter arrangements through its various divisions. These included numerous cooperative-farming agreements with individuals or family farm corporations and other cooperative agreements with state organizations and local units of government.

Wildlife

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Individuals or family farm	Cooperative farming, including hay, pasture,	\$155,072	Mowing, weed control, and	\$99,532	141 of
	corporations	salvage crops, etc.	(partial)	miscellaneous services	(partial)	152

Parks

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02		Cooperative farming, including hay, share of seed, etc.	\$23,040	Mowing, weed control, misc. services, etc.	\$47,650	8 of 11

Waters

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01	Board of Soil and Water	Meeting facilities and related services	\$5,000	Communications consultant	\$5,000	No

Minerals

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Dept. of Transportation	Equipment operator for gravel samples	\$2,000	Drill rig with auger and 50 ft. attachment	\$5,000	Yes

Trails and Waterways

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Governmental and	Use of equipment, operator and materials	Unknown	Maintenance by public or private	Unknown	Yes
	private organizations	for accesses, fishing piers, and trails		organization		

Forestry

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	Dept. of Transportation	16 DNR radio tower sites	\$24,000/yr	20 MnDOT radio tower sites	\$30,000/yr	Yes
00-02	U. S. Forest Service and	State forest roads used for forest	Unknown	U. S. Forest Service and county roads	Unknown	Yes
	counties	management, including logging traffic		used by DNR for forest management		
00-02	Individuals	DNR land for crop production at reduced	\$3,200	Partial corn crop left on land for wildlife	\$3,200	Yes
		cost		food		
00-02	Counties or townships	Road grading service	\$1,000-	Road grading service on state forest	\$1,000-	No
	(5-10)		\$5,000	roads	\$5,000	

Fisheries

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
02	_	None to date; fish exchange expected in	N/A	3,000,000 fertilized Chinook salmon eggs	\$45,000	No
		future				
00-02	U. S. Fish and Wildlife	437,000 eyed lake trout eggs and walleye	\$15,940	120,000 stockable lake trout for	\$90,000	No
	Service	fry		Minnesota waters of Lake Superior		
00	Minnesota Muskie Farm	Muskie fingerlings and yearlings	\$5,250	Tiger Muskie fingerlings and yearlings	\$5,250	No
00-02	Leech Lake/White Earth	Walleye eggs	\$315,000	In-kind services for rearing and stocking	\$375,000	Yes
	Indian Reservations		(3 years)	of walleye fry and fingerlings	(3 years)	
00-02	University of Minnesota	Aquatic education specialists to provide	\$96,000	Office space, clerical support, and	\$96,000	Yes
	and Children, Families	educational help and programs to youth		supplies		
	and Learning					
00-02	Hennepin Parks	Intern to provide programs at parks	\$3,700	Office space and supplies, use of park	\$3,500	Yes
	-			van, and workers' compensation		
00-02	Local government or	Purchase and installation of lake aeration	\$21,500 per	Operation and maintenance of the	\$2,500/yr	Yes
	local fishing/conservation	systems (6/year)	unit	aeration system	-	
	groups					

Enforcement

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02	State agencies	Instructors and training	Unknown	Tuition waivers	\$9,000- \$12,000	No

Ombudsman for Crime Victims

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
01	For profit	Present an hour of training	\$100	Reduced conference registration fee	\$160	No

Pollution Control Agency

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Department of Natural Resources	PCA's Mini-boom fish shocking boat	\$8,000	DNR's Mini-boom fish shocking boat	\$8,000	No
00-01	Dakota County	Master Entity System data for 200 sites		County data (including GIS) on sites down to parcel level	\$105	No

Sentencing Guidelines Commission

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Department of Corrections	Information on projected bed counts	\$5,000	Administrative Services	\$5,000	No

Department of Transportation

The Department of Transportation engages in various bartering arrangements, primarily with cities and counties. These arrangements typically involve an exchange of services including use of equipment or storage of equipment and materials. However, the department does not maintain an inventory or other records of these arrangements. The department could not estimate the number or value of barter arrangements throughout the state. The first arrangement identified below was negotiated by the Department of Administration.

<u>FY</u>	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
	Cellular Mobile Systems	Antenna site	Unknown	Use of tower for equipment placement	Unknown	Yes
	of St. Cloud					
00-02	University of Minnesota	Use of portable weigh scale site for	\$300,000	Construction of a 1-story building and	\$300,000	Yes
		research on pavement sensors		electrical, water, sewer, and high-speed		
				communication lines		
02	County	Allow county to build a truck station on	\$20,000/yr	Maintenance services including	\$20,000/yr	Yes
		MnDOT property at MN/Road site		snowplowing, sanding, mowing, and		(pend-
				minor pavement maintenance at site		ing)
00-02	Cities and counties	Various services such as equipment	Unknown	Various services such as sand/salt	Unknown	No
		storage, salt storage, and equipment use		delivery, street sweeping, snowplowing		

Veterans Home Board

The first arrangement was negotiated by the Department of Administration.

FY	Arrangement with	Goods/Services Provided	<u>Value</u>	Goods/Services Received	<u>Value</u>	Written
00-02		Access to bluff to facilitate agreement with U.S. Army Corp of Engineers		Construction of a new road and sidewalk on Minneapolis Veterans Home's campus	Unknown	Yes
	Department of Veterans Administration Medical Center	Space for clinical services	, ,	Nurse practitioner, clinical access, and educational services	\$24,000	Yes

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Appendix I

Entities With No Reported Bartering Arrangements

Amateur Sports Commission	Department of Public Safety
Arts Board	Department of Revenue
Board of Accountancy	Department of Trade and Economic
	Development
Board of Animal Health	Department of Veterans Affairs
Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land	Emergency Medical Services Regulatory
Surveying and Landscape Architecture	Board
Board of Barber Examiners	Gambling Control Board
Board of Chiropractic Examiners	Higher Education Facilities Authority
Board of Dentistry	Higher Education Services Office
Board of Dietetics and Nutrition Practice	Housing Finance Agency
Board of Electricity	Indian Affairs Council
Board of Government Innovation and	Minnesota Planning
Cooperation	
Board of Marriage and Family Therapy	Minnesota State Academy for the Blind
Board of Medical Practice	Minnesota State Academy for the Deaf
Board of Nursing	Minnesota State Retirement System
Board of Nursing Home Administrators	Minnesota Tax Court
Board of Optometry	Minnesota Technology, Inc.
Board of Pharmacy	Office of Administrative Hearings
Board of Physical Therapy	Office of Environmental Assistance
Board of Podiatric Medicine	Office of the Attorney General
Board of Psychology	Office of the Governor
Board of Public Defense	Office of the Secretary of State
Board of Veterinary Medicine	Office of the State Auditor
Board of Water and Soil Resources	Office of the State Treasurer
Bureau of Mediation Services	Ombudsman for Corrections
Capitol Area Architectural and Planning Board	Ombudsman for Mental Health and Mental
	Retardation
Council on Asian-Pacific Minnesotans	Ombudsperson for Families
Council on Black Minnesotans	Peace Officer Standards and Training Board
Council on Chicano-Latino People Affairs	Private Detective and Protective Agent
	Services Board
Council on Disability	Public Employees Retirement Association
Department of Commerce	Public Utilities Commission
Department of Economic Security	Racing Commission
Department of Finance	State Board of Investment
Department of Health	Teachers Retirement Association
Department of Human Rights	Workers' Compensation Court of Appeals
Department of Labor and Industry	