

USAID Cuts Hit Home in MINNESOTA

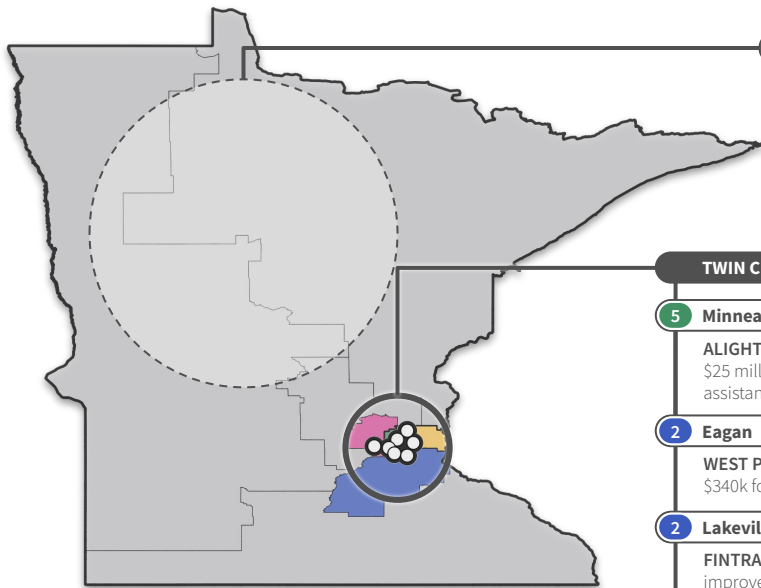
9 local institutions will lose **18 awards** and subcontracts worth at least **\$174 million**



\$145 million from 15 awards to 6 **non-profit organizations**



\$29 million from 3 contracts with 3 **companies**



RURAL AREAS STATEWIDE

FARMERS AND WHOLESALERS are losing reliable markets for their crops. It's difficult to estimate the direct impact for Minnesota, but every year USAID purchased about 1 million tons from U.S. growers and spent \$2 billion to provide food aid.

TWIN CITIES

5 Minneapolis

ALIGHT lost a third of their 3 awards worth \$25 million to provide humanitarian assistance in Somalia, Sudan, and Colombia

2 Eagan

WEST PUBLISHING lost 2 awards worth \$340k for computer software and services

2 Lakeville

FINTRAC GLOBAL lost multiple awards to improve farm productivity and profitability, and now they face imminent closure

3 Minnetonka

CARGILL lost a \$29 million award to address antibiotic resistance in poultry production as well as other key interventions to reduce the threat of infectious disease outbreaks originating from animals

3 Bloomington

HEALTHPARTNERS lost an \$8 million award to build and strengthen health cooperatives in Kenya

3 Edina

FOUNDATION FOR CANCER CARE lost 2 awards worth \$3 million to improve facilities and improve cancer treatment in Africa

4 Arden Hills

LAND O' LAKES lost 6 awards worth \$85 million to strengthen agricultural cooperatives in Africa, increase the productivity and profitability of smallholder farmers, and support generous American farmers to volunteer their experience and expertise to help other farmers overseas through USAID's Farmer-to-Farmer program authorized under the Farm Bill

4 Saint Paul

CENTER FOR VICTIMS OF TORTURE lost 2 awards worth \$23 million to provide lifesaving trauma care and mental health counseling to people affected and displaced by conflict

BOOKS FOR AFRICA lost a \$225k award to deliver educational materials

DATA SOURCES

USAID Funding by State and District

incorporating data from USAspending.gov and award status submitted to Congress on March 24, 2025

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USAID Stop-Work

State USAID Agricultural Ties

www.usaidstopwork.com/agricultural-impact

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For more information, please contact **AID on the Hill** (congressaidletters@gmail.com)

This resource will continue to be updated as information becomes available.

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What's happening to USAID and foreign assistance programs should worry every Minnesotan

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