



DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA

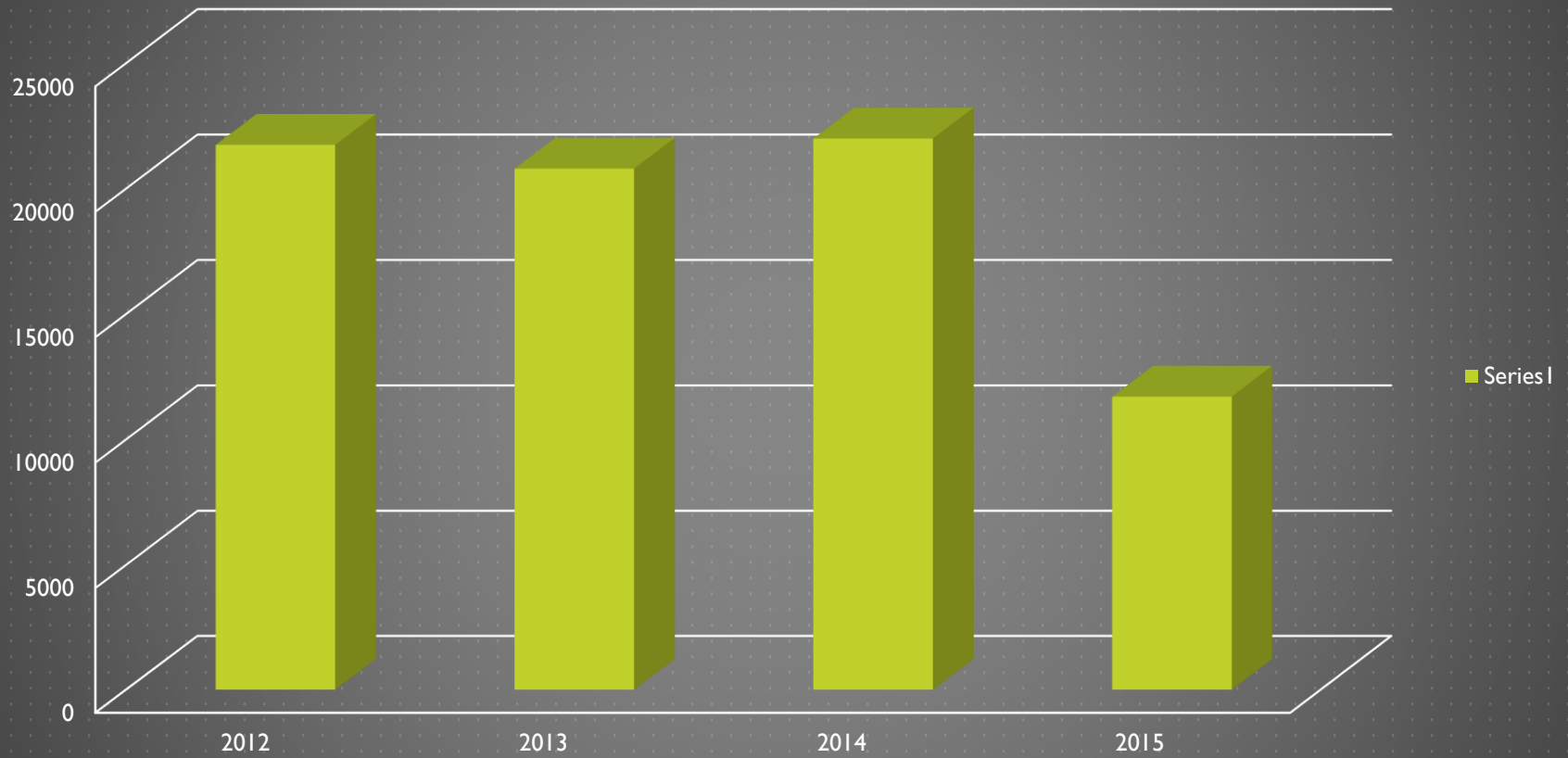
MLSP Transportation

2015-2016 Fall Conference

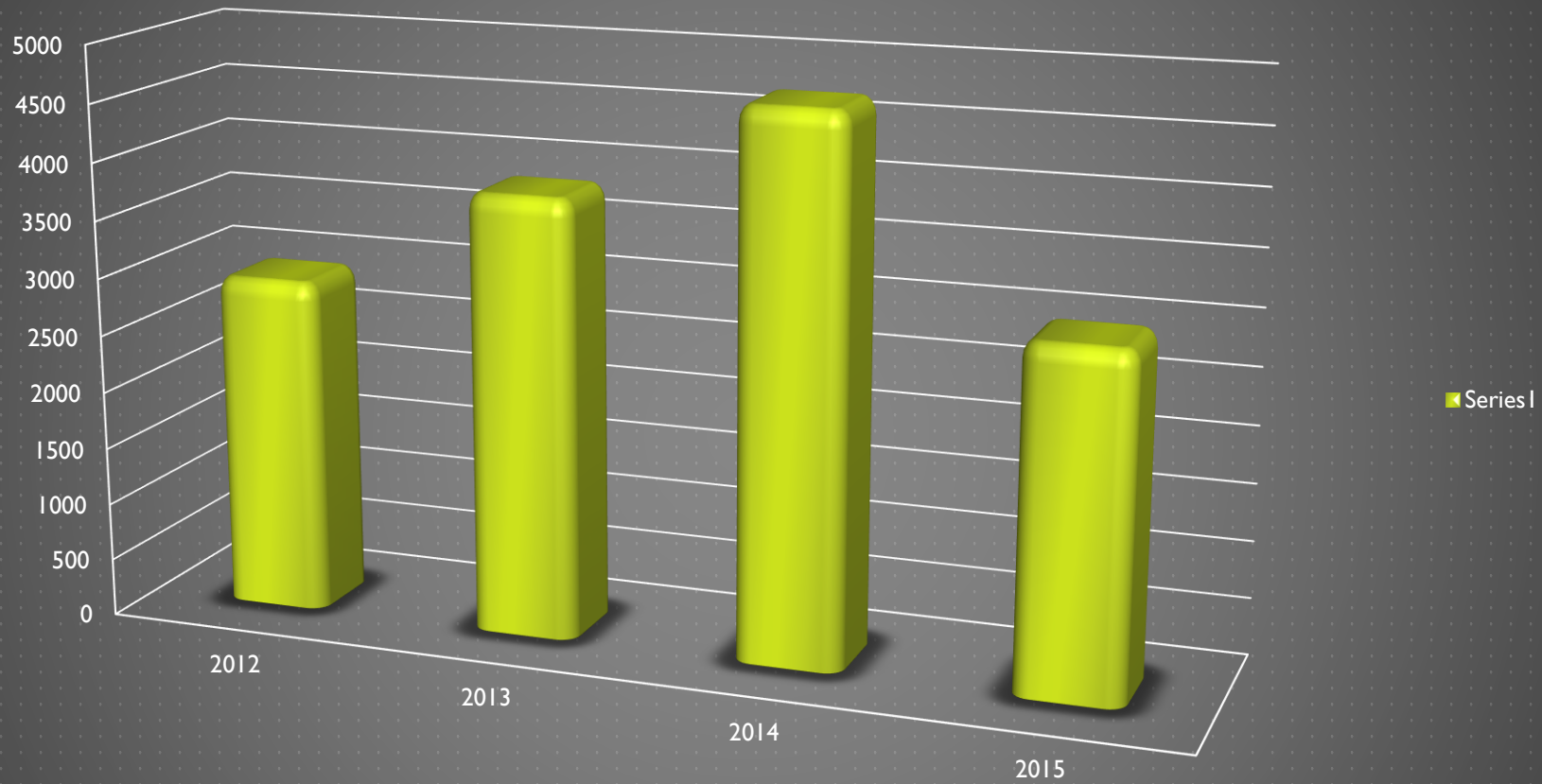
DAV[®]
OF MINNESOTA

			Hours	Miles	# Riders
2012 Total	2012	65717	1419266	21744	
2013 Total	2013	61954	1419266	20796	
2014 Total	2014	64219	1346914	21998	
2015 Jan thru June	2015	34904	728548	11709	
DAV Metro 2012	2012	4340	69749	2932	
DAV Metro 2013	2013	5426	8664	3827	
DAV Metro 2014	2014	6814	110937	4703	
DAV Metro 2015 thru June	2015	5073	69919	2968	

Mpls DAV Totals Metro and Counties Veterans



DAV Metro Mpls Veterans transported



2013

2014 2015 thru Sept

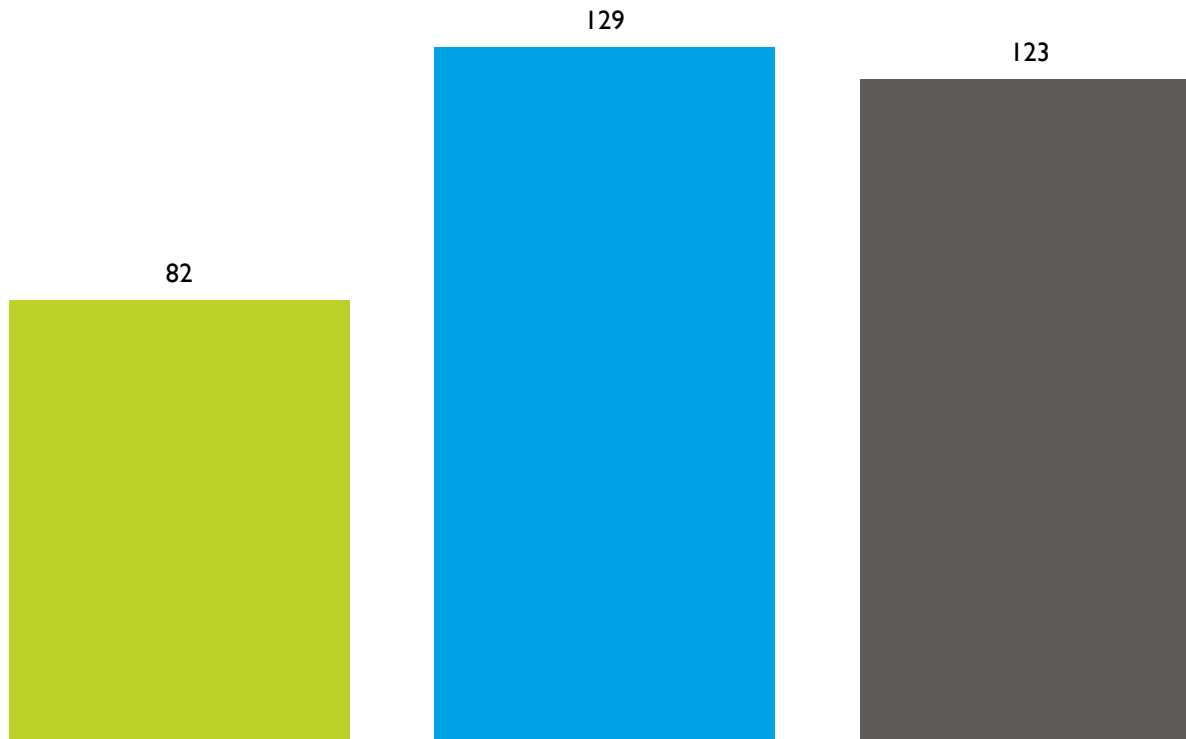
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Contact Brief Counts by year

■ 2013 ■ 2014 ■ 2015 thru Sept





Northeastern Minnesota
Transportation Program

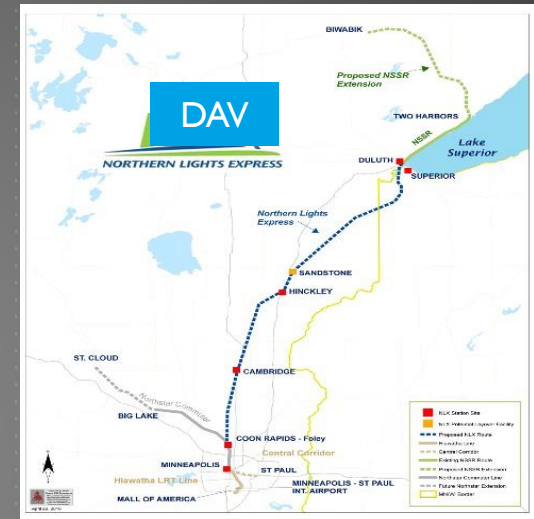
THE DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS (DAV) OF MINNESOTA STRIVES TO PROVIDE MINNESOTA VETERANS IN NEED WITH TRANSPORTATION TO VA MEDICAL CENTER AND TWIN PORTS MEDICAL CLINIC APPOINTMENTS THROUGH OUR DAV VOLUNTEER TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM



NE MN TRANSPORTATION ROUTES

The NE MN DAV Program currently runs 2 routes:

1. Superior, Duluth, Scanlon, Moose Lake, Pine City are all stops along the way to the VA Minneapolis Medical Center. As the volunteer database begins to increase; the days per week the bus runs will increase and cap at 5 days per week (Duluth / Minneapolis).
2. Local (Duluth) runs from veteran homes to the VA Clinic in Superior (Twin Ports). Currently running when drivers are available.



FUTURE ROUTES

The NE MN Transportation Program plans to incorporate two northern routes in the near future.

1. Virginia to Scanlon (link to Duluth to VAMC Bus)
2. Grand Marais to Duluth (link to Duluth to VAMC Bus)
3. Increase in Local Transportation (Wider parameter)



VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT

- ▶ Local Events (Stand Down, 2016 Event Calendar)
- ▶ Local Media (Duluth News Tribune & Superior Sun, 710AM Radio)
- ▶ Local DAV, VFW, Legion, Elks Chapters
- ▶ MACV and the Vet Center
- ▶ Veteran Service Offices
- ▶ Posted Flyers at Local Colleges and Businesses
- ▶ Local Volunteer Recruitment Agencies



KEYS TO SUCCESS AS NE MN PROGRAM BUILDS:

- ▶ Large Volunteer Driver Database
- ▶ Successful Program Exposure / Promotion
- ▶ Comply with VA Rules and Regulations
- ▶ Continual Improvements and Research for Growth



THANK YOU!!!!