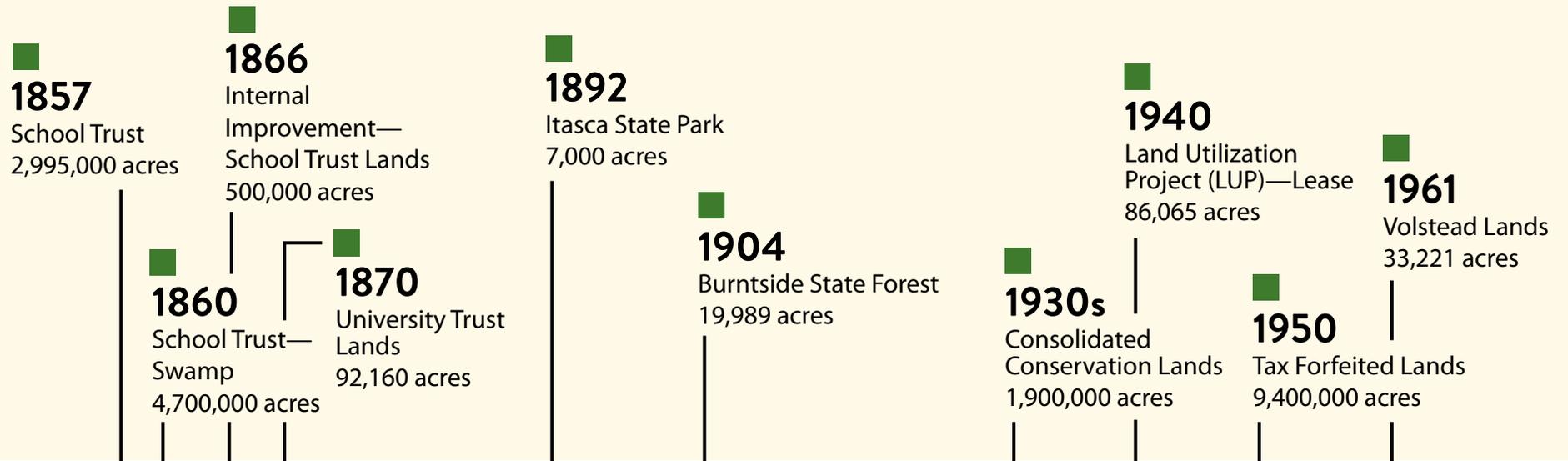


HISTORIC TIMELINE OF MAJOR LAND GRANTS AND ACQUISITIONS



1850 1860 1870 1880 1890 1900 1910 1920 1930 1940 1950 1960 1970

1858
Minnesota Statehood

1931
Department of Conservation formed

1930–1936
Dust Bowl

1929–1941
Great Depression

TIMELINE KEY

Major land transactions by original acreage

Historic events used for context