



Figure 1: The flag of Minnesota.



Figure 2: The flag of Minnesota, placed among 19 other state flags consisting of the state seal on a blue background.

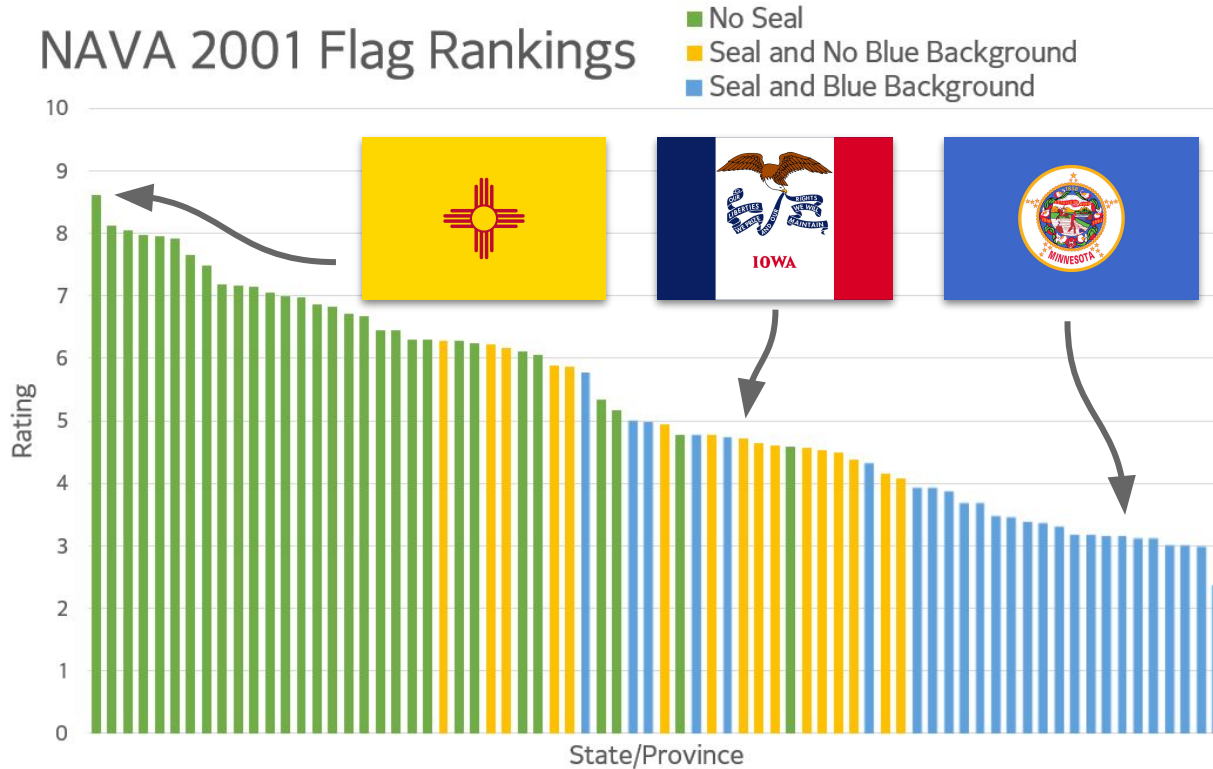


Figure 3: Results of the 2001 NAVA survey on American and Canadian state/province flags, where 72 flags were rated on a scale from 1-10. We highlight the flags of New Mexico (rank 1, 8.61/10), Iowa (rank 42, 4.72/10), and Minnesota (rank 67, 3.13/10).

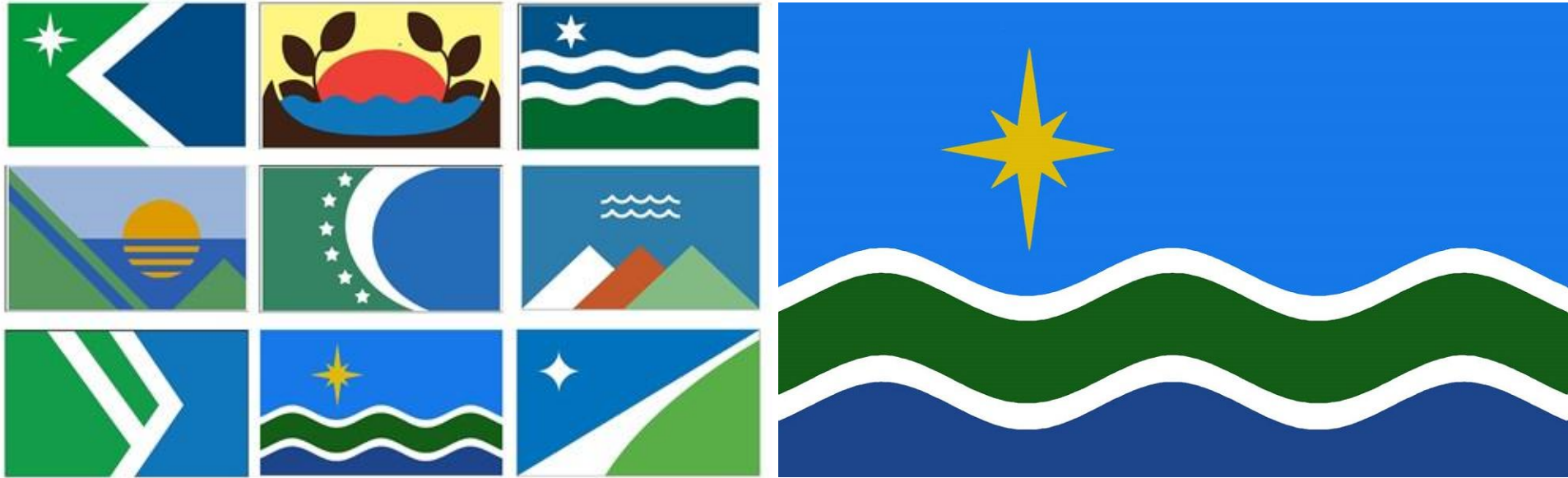


Figure 4: (Left) 9 finalists for the new city flag of Duluth. (Right) New city flag of Duluth.



Figure 5: Proposed new Minnesota state flags. (From left) The North Star Flag by Rev. William Becker of Winona & Lee Herold of Rochester; The North Star Cross Flag by Ryan Walker of Chaska; The L'etoile du Nord Flag by Brandon Hundt of Minneapolis; The Loon Flag by John Palenschat of Saint Paul