



**MnDOT Metro District – Mpls./St. Paul**  
 District Offices: Roseville-Water's Edge (HQ), Golden Valley, Oakdale  
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**2020 District Fact Sheet**



Updated 2/5/2020

	District Total	Percent of State	Statewide Total
<b>Demographics</b>			
Counties (by ATP, Area Transportation Partnership)	8	9.2%	87
Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, Washington			
Cities, population of more than 5,000 (by ATP)	84	56.8%	148
2018 population estimate (by ATP)	3,169,293	56.3%	5,629,416
Land area, square miles (by ATP)	3,237	4.1%	79,721
Population density (people per square mile, by ATP)	979		71
Metropolitan Planning Organizations	1	12.5%	8
<b>Roadways</b>			
Trunk highway (includes interstate) - Centerline miles	1,086	9.3%	11,718
Trunk highway (includes interstate) - Lane miles	4,079	14.0%	29,216
Interstate system - Centerline miles	257	28.2%	913
Interstate system - Lane miles	1,460	35.7%	4,086
Bridges, State-owned (10 feet or greater)	1,433	29.9%	4,796
<b>Traffic Safety</b>			
Roundabouts	37	38.5%	96
Reduced Conflict Intersections (RCIs)	38	55.1%	69
Road Weather Information System (RWIS) sites	10	9.3%	108
Dynamic variable message signs	324	73.5%	441
Traffic cameras	820	77.8%	1,054
Snow fence miles (permanent, native prairie, temporary)	9.1	6.2%	146.5
<p>Toward Zero Deaths (TZD): Its mission is to move Minnesota toward zero deaths on our roads using the four E's: Education, Enforcement, Engineering and Emergency Medical and Trauma Services. Since TZD began in 2003, Minnesota has seen a 44% decline in traffic-related deaths. The incremental goal is set for 2020: 300 or fewer traffic-related deaths and 850 or fewer serious injuries.</p>			
<b>Budget and Economics</b>			
<i>Operations budget to deliver construction program:</i>			
Fiscal Year 2020 (millions of dollars)	140.1	32.6%	429.2
Fiscal Year 2019 (millions of dollars)	143.3	33.0%	434.7
Avg. annual construction prog. cost, 2020-23 (millions of dollars)	271.0	33.7%	805
Average annual number of projects, 2020-23	50	30.5%	164

	District Total	Percent of State	Statewide Total
<b>Non-Auto Modes</b>			
<b>PUBLIC TRANSIT (2018)</b>			
Counties covered	8		87
Ridership - Fixed	84,984,107		92,534,583
Ridership - Dial-a-Ride	254,742		4,549,485
System usage: Vehicle miles traveled	66,566,321		87,189,879
<b>RIVERS - Navigable miles</b>	128	55.2%	232
<b>AIRPORTS - Publicly owned that receive state funds</b>	10	7.5%	133
<b>RAILROADS:</b>			
Rail line miles	655	14.2%	4,613
Crossings - Signalized	433		1,640
Crossings - Non-signalized	218		2,426
<b>Workforce and Facilities</b>			
Full-time employees, Fiscal Year 2019	1,364	37.5%	3,636
Regional offices/headquarters/maintenance sites	3		20
Buildings square footage	1,697,432	26.3%	6,442,702
Rest areas (Class 1)	5	9.8%	51
<b>Maintenance (five-year average, Fiscal Years 2015-19, unless otherwise stated)</b>			
Average annual Snow & Ice delivery cost (thousands of dollars)	29,448	27.3%	107,806
Average annual bare lane performance (frequency in target no. of hrs.)	86%		86%
Snow & Ice lane miles, Fiscal Year 2020	5,092	16.8%	30,341
Average route length (lane miles), Fiscal Year 2020	22		45
Light vehicles (pickups, vans and cars)	271	16.4%	1,648
Snow removal trucks, Fiscal Year 2020	243	28.5%	854
Average annual number of Snow & Ice events	22		28
Average annual snow accumulation (inches)	52.9		63.6
<b>Material Use and Storage (five-year average, Fiscal Years 2015-19, unless otherwise stated)</b>			
Rock salt usage (tons)	56,732	27.4%	207,282
Liquid salt brine usage (gallons)	159,212	4.9%	3,276,822
Sand usage (tons; includes sand/salt mix)	991	2.5%	38,874
Salt/sand storage capacity (tons), 2018	91,100	27.0%	336,900
Fuel usage, all types (gallons)	979,971	21.2%	4,632,109
<b>District Items of Note</b>			
Co-located Regional Transportation Management Center	Contains law enforcement, maintenance, traffic management		
Ramp meters	466		
Fiber optics for communication (miles)	Approximately 550		
<b>FIRST</b> (number of routes and territory mileage)	8-11 routes, depending on staffing; 220 miles		
Bus-only shoulder miles	343		

<b>District Items of Note (continued)</b>	
MnPASS Express Lane Miles	Approximately 72 lane miles: 28 on I-35W, 24 on I-394, 20 on 35E
Transit Park & Ride facilities	104
Transit Park & Pool facilities	15
Freeway-embedded Bus Transit Stations	2 operational, 1 under construction
Minneapolis-St. Paul GDP, All Industries, Calendar Year 3rd Quarter 2019	\$383,093.6 million <a href="https://www.bea.gov/system/files/2019-11/qgdpstate1119.pdf">https://www.bea.gov/system/files/2019-11/qgdpstate1119.pdf</a>
Fortune 500 companies headquartered in MSP	14
Roadways: Annual Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT):	<u>Miles</u> <u>Per Capita</u>
<b>Metro District:</b>	<b>29,548,049,029</b> <b>8,899</b>