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Executive Summary

The Department of Employee Relations (DOER) is responsible for the enforcement of the Local Government Pay Equity Act (Minnesota Statutes 471.991 - .999 and Minnesota Rules Chapter 3920).

The Local Government Pay Equity Act applies to approximately 1,500 local governments in Minnesota, and impacts a total of about 220,000 local government employees. Legislation passed during the 2003 legislative session changed the reporting cycle from once every three years to once every five years, but did not change the compliance requirements. In addition, a moratorium on reporting was passed for 2003 and 2004. The reporting cycle resumes in 2005 with approximately 300 jurisdictions submitting reports in January of 2006. Another 300 jurisdictions will report the following year and so on until 2010. A new cycle begins in 2011.

Overall governments have achieved a high level of compliance — both in meeting reporting requirements and implementing pay equity for their employees. The success of this program is largely attributable to the ongoing assistance and monitoring provided by the Department of Employee Relations (DOER)-Pay Equity Unit and to the commitment on the part of local governments.

When reports were last submitted in 2003, 121 (25%) of the 492 jurisdictions reporting were out of compliance, and 371 (75%) were in compliance. With DOER's assistance, nearly all of the non-complying jurisdictions achieved compliance or developed a plan to achieve compliance. The overall rate of compliance at this time is 99% based on composite data in reports submitted in 2001, 2002 and 2003. This means that for approximately 500 jurisdictions the last official review was based on data that is now four years old and for an additional 500 jurisdictions, the last official review was based on data that is now at least three years old.

The review of the 2003 reports was typical of previous reporting results. Since Pay Equity Implementation Reports have been required, approximately one-fourth to one-third of reporting jurisdictions have been initially found out of compliance. While individual jurisdictions achieved compliance in previous reporting years, a significant number failed to maintain that compliance in subsequent reports. In previous years, as in 2003, the department will continue to assist local governments in meeting compliance requirements.

About This Report

The Department of Employee Relations (DOER) is responsible for enforcement of the Local Government Pay Equity Act, and is required to submit an annual report to the state legislature regarding local government pay equity compliance. Minnesota Statute (M.S.) 471.999 states:

The report must include a list of the political subdivisions in compliance with section 471.992, subdivision 1, and the estimated cost of compliance. The report must also include a list of political subdivisions found by the commissioner to be not in compliance, the basis for that finding, recommended changes to achieve compliance, estimated cost of compliance, and recommended penalties, if any. The commissioner's report must include a list of subdivisions that did not comply with the reporting requirements of this section. The commissioner may request, and a subdivision shall provide, any additional information needed for the preparation of a report under this subdivision.

The 2005 Minnesota Local Government Pay Equity Report was prepared entirely by the Department of Employee Relations staff as part of routine work assignments. Twenty copies of the report were printed in house. The cost of staff time to prepare the report was approximately \$490.

This document can be made available, upon request, in alternate formats such as large print, Braille or audiotape.

Questions regarding this report may be directed to the DOER pay equity coordinator at (651) 296-2653.

Section One

Background Information

Requirements of the Law

The Local Government Pay Equity Act (LGPEA) of 1984 (M.S. 471.991 to 471.999) required local governments to "establish equitable compensation relationships" by December 31, 1991. Other common terms for "equitable compensation relationships" are "comparable worth" or "pay equity." Compliance must be maintained and jurisdictions are periodically evaluated. In 2003 the evaluation or reporting cycle was changed from once every three years to once every five years.

The purpose of the law is "to eliminate sex-based wage disparities in public employment in this state." Equitable compensation relationships are achieved when "the compensation for female-dominated classes is not consistently below the compensation for male-dominated classes of comparable work value ... within the political subdivision."

The law requires DOER to determine whether local governments have achieved pay equity, based on implementation reports submitted by local governments.

Responsibilities of the Department of Employee Relations

A. Pay Equity Rule Adopted

In 1991, the Legislature authorized DOER to adopt rules under the Administrative Procedures Act to assure compliance with the Local Government Pay Equity Act (Laws 1991, chapter 128, section 2).

That same year, DOER asked employer organizations, unions, and women's groups to name representatives to serve on a rulemaking advisory committee. This 30-member group met to discuss and review compliance guidelines and advise the department on the pay equity rule. DOER adopted the rule MCAR 3920, October 1992.

B. Assistance to Local Governments

In 1989, DOER established a full-time pay equity coordinator position. The coordinator has assisted local governments through extensive training, telephone consultation, and evaluations of their pay equity reports.

DOER has communicated through various means with the approximately 1,500 local governments required to comply with the law. The department has produced numerous free technical assistance publications.

In addition, DOER has developed computer software to help jurisdictions determine the underpayment of female job classes and calculate the results for several of the compliance tests. In January of 2000 a new version of the software was made available on the Internet to download free of charge. Approximately 1,100 copies of the software have been

downloaded. An upgraded version of the software will be available in 2005. DOER has periodically offered training sessions, and thousands of individuals throughout the state have attended. DOER has also made videos explaining reporting requirements, compliance requirements and job evaluation training.

In addition to ongoing daily technical assistance, the pay equity coordinator conducted the following major activities in 2004.

Pay Equity Implementation Reports

- Completed review of 492 reports from jurisdictions required to report.
- Conducted approximately 200 "preliminary reviews." Preliminary reviews are conducted for jurisdictions found out of compliance and for any other jurisdiction that requests one.
- Continued the courtesy of sending jurisdictions that have not submitted a report a reminder letter before the report is overdue.
- Prepared materials, evaluated evidence and continued coordination of an internal team of DOER staff to review and make decisions regarding reconsideration requests and requests for suspension of penalties.
- Conducted meetings with individuals from jurisdictions found out of compliance to discuss their particular circumstances, ways to achieve compliance and action regarding any penalties.

Changes and Cost-Saving Measures

- Notices were sent to all 1,500 local governments and interested parties explaining that
 the 2003 legislature changed the reporting cycle from once every three years to once
 every five years and placed a moratorium on reporting for 2004 and 2005. A
 complete schedule of reporting dates was posted on DOER's website.
- Continued to send reporting jurisdictions "streamlined" notification of "compliance" or "non-compliance." Some of the information once mailed to jurisdictions is now available on DOER's website saving printing and mailing costs.
- Continued distribution of the 2002 State Job Match job evaluation system. This manual has been distributed free of charge since 1984 and provides jurisdictions with and "in house" option for evaluating jobs in terms of skill, effort, responsibility and working conditions. The booklet includes hundreds of job matches, describes how to access over 1,800 state job descriptions and outlines instructions for evaluating jobs. All information is available on DOER's website.

New Initiatives/Assignments

• Statewide Training Planned

The last time DOER conducted basic training regarding compliance requirements and specifics as to how to complete the reporting form was in 1997. Since it has been a number of years since the last training, DOER is planning to do a series of comprehensive training sessions on these topics throughout the state in 2005.

Software Upgrade

DOER launched a major initiative to establish a new version of the Pay Equity Analysis software on the internet. New versions of Microsoft and other technological changes have made the current version of the Pay Equity Analysis software outdated for some users. The new software is scheduled to be available to all users in early 2005. As in the past, the new software on the internet will be available free of charge.

Ongoing Activities

- Provided technical assistance on a daily basis to local governments, employees and the general public involving phone calls, letters and faxes to answer questions and provide guidance for achieving compliance.
- Continued to distribute "Pay Equity Compliance Review" and "Pay Equity Job Evaluation" videotapes to interested parties for a fee of \$15.
- Continued to update and maintain DOER's pay equity website including the State Job
 Match booklet along with a comprehensive listing of all state jobs and job evaluation
 ratings. This allows all interested parties access to information beyond what is in the
 State Job Match booklet. The website also includes pay equity reporting instructions,
 compliance requirements, pay analysis software and forms. All are available on the
 web free of charge. Over 1,100 downloads of the software have been recorded.
- Provided testimony and written materials to members of the legislature and legislative commissions and/or committees.

Section Two

Tests for Compliance

A. Tests for Compliance

The tests for compliance are summarized below. Complete details for each of the tests can be found in the pay equity rule. The "recommended action" after each is a brief overview of the general advice DOER gave to jurisdictions that did not pass a particular test. Reports to each jurisdiction were individualized and identified specific problems and requirements to pass the compliance test(s).

1. Completeness and accuracy test (CA) - determines whether jurisdictions have filed reports on time, included correct data and supplied all required information.

Recommended action: Supply any required information not included in the report, make certain all data is correct and submit report by the required date.

2. Statistical analysis test (ST) - compares salary data to determine if female classes are paid consistently below male classes of comparable work value (job points). Software is used to calculate this test. For smaller jurisdictions, the alternative analysis is used instead of the statistical analysis.

Recommended action: Adjust salaries to reduce the number of female classes compensated below male classes of comparable value, or reduce the difference between the average compensation for male classes and female classes to the level where it is not statistically significant.

3. Alternative analysis test (ALT) - compares salary data to determine if female classes are paid below male classes even though the female classes have similar or greater work value (job points). Also evaluates the compensation for female classes rated lower than all other classes to see if it is as reasonably proportionate to points as other classes.

Recommended action: Eliminate the amount of the inequity identified between the salaries for female classes and male classes.

4. Salary range test (SR) - compares the average number of years it takes for individuals in male and female classes to reach the top of a salary range. This test only applies to jurisdictions that have classes where there are an established number of years to move through salary ranges.

Recommended action: Bring more consistency to the average number of years it takes to move through a salary range for male and female classes to meet the minimum standard for passing the test.

5. Exceptional service pay test (ESP) - compares the number of male classes in which individuals receive longevity or performance pay above the maximum of the salary range to the number of female classes where this occurs. This test applies only to jurisdictions that provide exceptional service pay.

Recommended action: Bring more consistency to the number of male and female classes receiving exceptional service pay to meet the minimum standard for passing the test.

B. Summary of Tests Failed After Initial Review

Of the 121 jurisdictions whose 2003 reports were initially found out of compliance, 48% failed the completeness and accuracy test. Approximately 35% failed either the statistical or alternative analysis tests, tests that compare salaries and indicate wage inequities. A specific breakdown regarding each test follows:

Test Failed	Number
Completeness and Accuracy Test	58
Statistical Analysis Test	12
Alternative Analysis Test	30
Salary Range Test	11
Exceptional Service Pay Test	10
Total	121

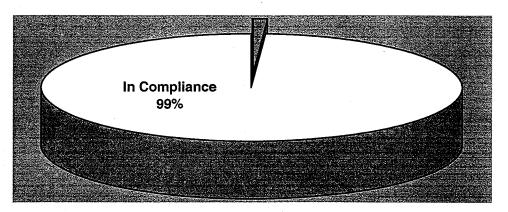
Section Three

Summary of Compliance Status of Local Governments

Due to the staggered reporting that began in 1994, the current compliance status of local governments includes a composite of results from three reporting years, 2001, 2002 and 2003. At this time, 99% of all jurisdictions are in compliance and 1% are out of compliance. Due to the change in the reporting cycle from once every three to once every five years and a moratorium on reporting for two years, the most recent data is for the years 2001, 2002 and 2003. Over 1000 jurisdictions have not been officially reviewed for at least three years.

Current Status—Composite of 2001, 2002 and 2003 Reports

Out of Compliance 1%



Summary of Compliance Status by Jurisdictional Type - Composite 2001, 2002, 2003

Jurisdiction	In	Out of	Decision	
Type	Compliance	Compliance	Pending	Total
City	626	6	0	632
County	86	1	0	87
Schools	339	5	0	344
Soil & Water	83	0	0	83
Conservation			,	
Districts				
(SWCDs)				
Other Districts	116	0	0	116
Housing and	75	0	0	75
Redevelopment				1
Authorities				
(HRAs)				
Townships	69	1	0	70
Utilities	50	0	0	- 50
Health Care Fac.	44	0	0	44
TOTAL	1488	13	0	1501

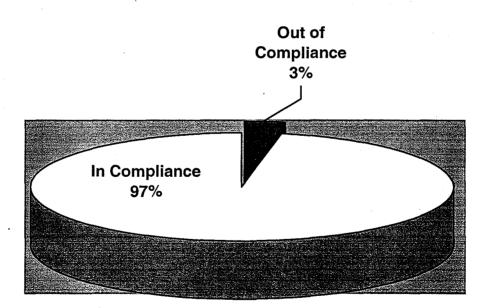
Compliance Status of 2003 Reports

After the initial review of the 492 reports, 371 (75%) were in compliance and 121 (25%) were found out of compliance. Nearly all of those initially found out of compliance have now achieved compliance or have an approved plan to meet compliance requirements. The current overall status for all 492 jurisdictions required to report in 2003 is as follows: 478 (97%) are in compliance and 13 (3%) are still out of compliance.

Jurisdictions found out of compliance were given a grace period of at least 90 days to make adjustments and submit new second reports. Non-complying jurisdictions were also given 30 days to file reconsideration requests if they wanted the grace period extended or wanted to explain their particular circumstances and seek a reversal of DOER's decision. Several of the 121 jurisdictions initially found out of compliance have exercised their option to request reconsideration.

Of the 121 jurisdictions initially found out of compliance, 108 have now achieved compliance. Any jurisdiction failing to achieve compliance within the grace period and found out of compliance a second time will be subject to a penalty.

Compliance Status—2003 Reports



Inequities Identified in Reports Submitted in 2003

For the past several reporting years, DOER has examined the inequities found in jurisdictions that were not in compliance to determine how the wage gap between comparable male and female job classes changed after pay equity wage increases were given. This report includes examples of inequities that were found and corrected in some of the jurisdictions that were found out of compliance.

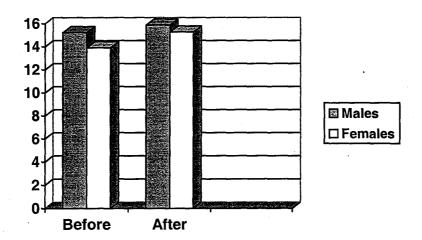
Inequities were identified in instances where females were paid less than males even though their job evaluation ratings indicated that the females should be paid at least equal to the males. In addition, disparities could not be accounted for by length of service or performance differences. For example, a female in the position of city clerk, rating of 275 points, was paid less than a male in a maintenance position with a rating of 213 points. The dollar amounts of such inequities were calculated and appear on the next page.

Typical inequities in cities were found primarily between city clerks and maintenance workers. In schools, female classes of secretaries, food service workers and teacher aides were paid less than male classes such as custodians.

The examples on the next page show that wages for females were adjusted an average of \$1.37 per hour or 10%. Before the inequities were corrected, the average pay for females in the examples was \$13.90 per hour and average for males was \$15.22 per hour. That is, the females were paid 91% of the wages paid to males despite job evaluation ratings that indicated that the pay for the females should be at least equal to the pay for males. After adjustments were made, the average pay for females was \$15.27 per hour and for males it was \$15.87 per hour. The wage gap narrowed and, on average, wages for females increased to over 96% of their male counterparts.

Wages Before and After Pay Equity Adjustments

(Calculation of examples of inequities in jurisdictions found out of compliance)



Examples of Inequities Identified in 2003 Reports

Position	"Before" Hrly. Wage	"After" Hrly. Wage	Hrly. Wage Increase
Account Clerk II	20.92	22.16	1.24
Admin. Assistant	14.11	15.35	1.24
Assistant Exec. Dir.	10.19	12.50	2.31
Assistant Librarian	14.72	16.05	1.33
Baker Supervisor	14.43	15.62	1.19
Business Accountant	22.17	24.40	2.23
Cashier	11.05	11.26	.21
City Clerk	18.23	19.84	1.61
City Clerk	12.73	13.00	.27
City Clerk	11.00	11.88	.88
City Clerk	10.00	11.50	1.50
City Clerk	13.00	14.10	1.10
City Clerk	8.93	9.95	1.02
City Clerk	9.95	12.00	2.05
City Clerk	10.00	10.10	.10
City Clerk	26.45	28.07	1.62
Community Ed. Coord.	15.00	15.62	.62
Dep. City Clerk	17.42	18.11	.69
Dep. City Clerk	13.50	15.51	2.01
Executive Secretary	15.20	15.62	.42
Finance Director	18.67	25.14	6.47
Head Cook	11.35	11.87	.52
Head Custodian	13.47	15.62	2.15
Librarian	18.16	19.82	1.66
Librarian	7.87	11.66	3.79
Liquor Clerk	9.89	10.04	.15
Museum Aide	9.38	10.15	.77
Network Admin.	21.10	24.40	3.30
Office Manager	15.64	16.94	1.30
Office Manager	11.88	14.30	2.42
Office Specialist	11.00	11.24	.24
Police Secretary	14.11	15.35	1.24
Pool Manager	11.30	12.73	1.43
Receptionist	13.01	13.28	.27
Receptionist/Secretary	10.29	11.29	1.00
Receptionist/Secretary	10.36	10.65	.29
Recreation Coordinator	19.74	20.26	.52
Secretary	9.63	11.23	1.60
Secretary/Dist. Clerk	15.22	16.87	1.65
Sec./Elections Clerk	19.74	20.26	.52
Water Operator	9.00	10.22	1.22

Section Four

Jurisdictions Not in Compliance

A. Jurisdictions Not in Compliance - Penalty May Be Assessed

The jurisdictions listed below have all received a "first notice of non-compliance" but at this time no penalties have been assessed. Some of the jurisdictions on this list have recently submitted second reports yet to be reviewed or they submitted reconsideration requests. Any jurisdiction on this list could receive a penalty notice at a later time if they fail to submit a new report that passes all compliance tests. The specific actions DOER recommended to each jurisdiction to achieve compliance are described in section two.

The abbreviations for the tests for compliance used in this section are: CA – completeness and accuracy; ST – statistical salary comparison analysis; ALT – alternative salary comparison salary analysis; SR – salary range and ESP – exceptional service pay. A compete description of each of these tests can be found in section two of this report.

Jurisdiction	Test(s) Failed	Est. Monthly Cost to Achieve Compliance	Cost as % Payroll
Cities			
Arlington	ST	400	0.9
Evansville	CA	*	0.1
Longville	ALT	200	0.8
Mayer	ALT	*	0.1
Vergas	ALT	700	10.2
Wrenshall	CA	*	0.1*
Counties Pine County	CA	*	0.1*
School Districts			
ISD No. 403 Ivanhoe	ALT	650	0.5
ISD No. 624 White Bear Lake	SR	*	0.1*
ISD No. 690 Warroad	SR	*	0.1*
ISD No. 2536 Granada/Hnt./E.Chn.	ALT	100	0.1
Townships			
Balkan Township	CA	*	0.1*

^{*} Data to calculate a specific amount was not available to DOER at the time of this report, but based on DOER analysis of average costs, DOER estimates that the cost would not exceed 0.1% of payroll and would probably be less.

^{**} All cost estimates less than 0.1% of payroll were rounded to 0.1%.

B. Jurisdictions Not in Compliance - Penalties Assessed

The jurisdictions listed later in this section have received a second notice of non-compliance with the Local Government Pay Equity Act and a notice that they are subject to a penalty. DOER has also specified the reason for non-compliance, recommended actions to achieve compliance and estimated the cost of achieving for compliance for each of these jurisdictions.

Prior to any penalties being assessed, each jurisdiction on this list had several opportunities to avoid such a notice. Each received a first notice of non-compliance and each was given a grace period to make corrections and achieve compliance. In addition, non-compliant jurisdictions were:

- Warned that failure to achieve compliance by the end of the grace period would result in a second notice of non-compliance and a penalty notice. Also, that the penalty would be the greater of a 5% reduction in state aid or \$100 per day, assessed from the original deadline for compliance and would continue until compliance was achieved.
- Advised of the reason they were found out of compliance, the results of the tests for compliance and an explanation of the results.
- Encouraged to contact DOER for technical assistance and review of potential salary and other adjustments to see if they would meet compliance requirements.
- Advised to request reconsideration if they wished to explain circumstances and ask for a reversal of DOER's decision, or request an extension of the grace period to achieve compliance.
- Sent a courtesy reminder letter from DOER 30 days prior to the end of their grace period to remind them of the deadline for achieving compliance and submitting a new report.

All penalized jurisdictions had the option to request a suspension of the penalty and/or file a contested case appeal. Penalties may not be imposed while an appeal is pending.

The law allows DOER to consider the following factors when deciding whether to suspend any portion of a penalty: circumstances beyond a jurisdiction's control, severe hardship, non-compliance due to factors unrelated to gender, and steps the jurisdiction has taken to achieve compliance. Jurisdictions also have the option to submit a contested case appeal on the new penalty amounts.

Because penalties continue until compliance is achieved, jurisdictions that do not achieve compliance are subject to additional penalties. No penalties may be imposed until the end of the legislative session in which DOER submits a report listing a jurisdiction as not in compliance. DOER makes compliance decisions on an ongoing basis and updates the legislature annually.

C. Jurisdictions Not in Compliance - Penalties Resolved

There were no penalty cases initiated in 2003 and currently there are no penalty cases pending. A total of 94 penalty cases have been resolved over the past eight years resulting in approximately \$1.62 million in total restitution paid to approximately 1100 employees for past inequities. A total of \$210,233 has been collected in penalties. The penalties go to the general fund and not to DOER.

Section Five

Jurisdictions in Compliance

Cities Adams Adrian Afton Aitkin Akeley Albany Albert Lea Albertville Alden Alexandria Alpha Altura Alvarado Amboy Andover Annandale Anoka Apple Valley Appleton Arco Arden Hills Argyle Ashby Askov Atwater Audubon Aurora Austin Avoca Avon Babbitt Backus Badger Bagley Balaton Barnum Barrett Battle Lake Baudette Baxter **Bayport** Beardsley Beaver Bay Becker Belgrade Belle Plaine Bellingham Benson Belview Bemidji

Bertha

Bethel

Big Falls

Big Lake Bigfork Birchwood Bird Island Biscay Biwabik Blackduck Blaine Bloomington Blue Earth Bovey Boyd Braham Brainerd Brandon Breckenridge **Breezy Point** Brewster Bricelyn Brooklyn Center Brooklyn Park Brooten Browerville Brownsdale Brownsville Brownton Buffalo Buhl Burnsville Butterfield Byron Caledonia Callaway Calumet Canby Cannon Falls Canton Carlos Carlton Carver Cass Lake Center City Centerville Ceylon Champlin Chandler Chanhassen Chaska Chatfield Chisago City Chisholm Chokio Circle Pines Clara City Claremont Clarissa

Clarkfield

Clarks Grove Ellendale Clearbrook Ellsworth Clearwater Elmore Clements Ely Elysian Cleveland Climax **Emmons** Clinton Emily Clontarf Erhard Cloquet Erskine Cohasset Eveleth Cokato Excelsior **Cold Spring** Eyota Coleraine Fairfax Cologne Fairmont Columbia Heights Falcon Heights Comfrey Faribault Farmington Conger Cook Fergus Falls Coon Rapids Fertile Corcoran Fifty Lakes Cosmos Finlayson Cottage Grove Flensburg Cottonwood Floodwood Cromwell Foley Forest Lake Crookston Crosby Foreston Crosslake **Fosston** Currie Fountain Danube Franklin Danvers Frazee Darwin Freeport Fridley Dassel Dawson Frost Dayton Fulda De Graff Gary Deephaven Gaylord Deer River Geneva Deerwood Gibbon Gilbert Delano Gilman Dellwood **Detroit Lakes** Glenville Glenwood Dilworth Dodge Center Glyndon Donnelly Golden Valley Duluth Gonvick Goodview Dundas Good Thunder Dundee Goodhue Dunnell Eagan Goodridge Eagle Bend Graceville Eagle Lake Grand Marais East Bethel Granite Falls East Grand Forks Green Isle East Gull Lake Greenbush Echo Greenfield Eden Prairie Grey Eagle Eden Valley Grove City Edgerton Grygla Edina Hackensack Elbow Lake Hadley Elgin Hallock Elizabeth Halstad

Elk River

Ham Lake

Hamburg La Crescent Hancock La Prairie Hanley Falls Lafayette Hanover Lake Benton Hanska Lake Bronson Harmony Lake City Harris Lake Crystal Hartland Lake Elmo Lake Lillian Hastings Lake Shore Hawley Lake St. Croix Beach Hayfield Hayward Lake Wilson Hector Lakefield Hendricks Lakeland Hendrum Lakeville Lamberton Henning Herman Lancaster Hermantown Lanesboro Heron Lake Lauderdale Hewitt Le Center Hibbing Le Sueur Hill City LeRoy Hills Lester Prairie Hilltop Lewiston Hinckley Lewisville Hitterdal Lindstrom Hoffman Lino Lakes Hokah Lismore Holdingford Litchfield Holland Little Canada Little Falls Hopkins Houston Littlefork Howard Lake Long Lake Hoyt Lakes Longville Long Prairie Hugo Hutchinson Lonsdale Independence Loretto International Falls Lucan Inver Grove Heights Luverne Isanti Lyle Isle Lynd Ivanhoe Mabel Jackson Madelia Janesville Madison Madison Lake Jasper Mahnomen **Jeffers** Jordan Mahtomedi Kandiyohi Mankato Karlstad Mantorville Kasota Maple Grove Kasson Maple Lake Keewatin Maple Plain Kelliher Mapleview Mapleton Kellogg Kennedy Maplewood Marietta Kensington Kenyon Marine on St. Croix Kerkhoven Maynard Kettle River Mazeppa McGregor Kiester Kilkenny McIntosh Kimball Medford

Kinney

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Melrose Menahga Mendota Heights Mentor Middle River Milaca Milan Millerville Milroy Miltona Minneapolis Minnesota Lake Minnetonka Minnetrista Montevideo Montgomery Monticello Montrose Moorhead Moose Lake Mora Morgan Morris Morristown Morton Motley Mound Moundsview Mountain Iron Mountain Lake Murdock Nashwauk Nerstrand Nevis New Auburn New Brighton New Hope New London New Prague New Richland New Ulm New York Mills Newfolden Newport Nicollet Nisswa North Branch North Mankato North Oaks North St. Paul Northfield Northome Norwood Young America Oak Grove Oak Park Heights Oakdale Odessa Ogema Ogilvie Okabena Oklee Olivia

Onamia

Oronoco Оп Ortonville Osakis Oslo Osseo Ostrander Otsego Owatonna Palisade Park Rapids Parkers Prairie Pavnesville Pelican Rapids Pennock Pequot Lakes Perham Peterson Pierz Pillager Pine City Pine Island Pine River Pipestone Plainview Plato Plummer Plymouth Preston Princeton Prinsburg Prior Lake Proctor Ramsey Randall Ranier Raymond Red Lake Falls Red Wing Redwood Falls Remer Renville Rice Richfield Richmond Robbinsdale Rochester Rock Creek Rockford Rockville Rogers Rollingstone Roseau Rosemount Roseville Rothsay Round Lake Royalton Rush City Rushford Rushford Village Rushmore

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Russell Sacred Heart Sandstone Sauk Centre Savage Scanlon Sebeka Shafer Shakopee Shelly Sherburn Shoreview Shorewood Silver Lake Sleepy Eye Slayton Sleepy Eye South Haven South St. Paul Spicer Spring Grove Spring Park Spring Valley Springfield St. Anthony St. Bonifacius St. Charles St. Clair St. Cloud St. Francis St. Hilaire St. James St. Leo St. Louis Park St. Michael St. Paul St. Paul Park St. Peter Stacy Staples Starbuck Stephen Stewart Stewartville Stillwater Stockton Storden Swanville Taconite Taylors Falls Thief River Falls Thomson Tonka Bay Tower Tracy Trimont Truman Twin Valley Two Harbors Tyler Ulen Underwood Upsala

Vadnais Heights Verndale Vernon Center Vesta Victoria Virginia Wabasso Waconia Wadena Wahkon Waite Park Waldorf Walker Walnut Grove Walters Wanamingo Warren Warroad Waseca Watertown Waterville Watkins Watson Waubun Waverly Wayzata Welcome West Concord West St. Paul Westbrook Wheaton White Bear Lake Willernie Williams Willmar Wilmont Windom Winger Winnebago Winona Winsted Winthrop Winton Wolf Lake Wolverton Wood Lake Woodbury Worthington Wykoff Wyoming Zimmerman Zumbrota **Counties**

Counties
Anoka County
Becker County
Beltrami County
Benton County
Big Stone County
Brown County
Blue Earth County
Carlton County
Carver County

Cass County Chippewa County Chisago County

Clay County Clearwater County

Cook County

Cottonwood County Crow Wing County

Dakota County **Dodge County**

Douglas County

Faribault County

Freeborn County

Goodhue County

Grant County

Hennepin County

Houston County

Hubbard County

Isanti County

Jackson County

Itasca County

Kanabec County

Kittson County

Koochiching County

Lac Qui Parle County

Lake County

Lake of the Woods County

Le Sueur County Lincoln County Mahnomen County Marshall County Martin County

McLeod County

Mille Lacs County

Mower County

Nicollet County

Nobles County Norman County

Olmstead County

Pennington County

Pipestone County

Polk County

Ramsey County

Red Lake County

Redwood County

Rice County

Rock County

Roseau County

Scott County

Sherburne County

Sibley County

Stearns County

Stevens County

Swift County

Todd County

Traverse County

Wabasha County

Waseca County

Washington County

Watonwan County

Wilkin County

Winona County

Wright County

Yellow Medicine County

Health Care Facilities

Appleton Municipal Hospital

Cannon Falls Community Hospital District

Cedarview Nursing Home

Chippewa County Montevideo Hospital

Community Hospital and Health Care Center

Cook County North Shore Hospital

Cook-Orr Health Care District

Cottonwood/Jackson Community Health Service

Countryside Public Health

Dassel Lakeside Community Home

Douglas County Hospital

Glacial Ridge Hospital

Granite Falls Municipal Hospital

Hutchinson Area Health Care

Inter County Nursing Service

Itasca Nursing Home

Johnson Memorial Health Services

L.L.M.P. Community Health Services

Lakeview Home

Lakewood Health System

Louis Weiner Memorial Hospital

Mercy Hospital and Health Care Center

Multi County Nursing Service

Northern Itasca Hospital District

Northfield City Hospital

Ortonville Area Health Service

Parkview Manor Nursing Home

Paynesville Community Hospital

Pelican Valley Health Center

Quin County Community Health Service

Redwood Area Hospital

Shady Lane Nursing Home

Sibley Medical Center Sleepy Eye Municipal Hospital

Sunrise Nursing Home

Swift County Benson Hospital

United Hospital District Western Pope Co. Hosp. Dist. Minnewaska

District Hospital

Worthington Municipal Hospital

Housing and Redevelopment Authorities

Aitkin County HRA

Austin HRA

Bagley Housing Authority

Barnesville HRA

Benson HRA

Big Stone County HRA

Blue Earth HRA

Brainerd HRA

Breckenridge HRA

Carver County HRA

Cass County HRA Cass Lake HRA

Chippewa County HRA

Chisholm HRA

Clay County Housing and Redevelopment

Authority

Clearwater County HRA

Cloquet HRA

ISD No. 2 Hill City Cook HRA ISD No. 6 South St. Paul Cottonwood HRA ISD No. 11 Anoka-Hennepin Crookston HRA ISD No. 12 Centennial Crosby HRA ISD No. 13 Columbia Heights Dakota County HRA Detroit Lakes HRA ISD No. 14 Fridley ISD No. 15 St. Francis Duluth HRA ISD No. 16 Spring Lake Park Economic Dev. Auth. E. Grand Forks ISD No. 22 Detroit Lakes Ely HRA ISD No. 23 Frazee Eveleth HRA ISD No. 25 Pine Point Fairmont HRA Fergus Falls HRA ISD No. 31 Bemidji ISD No. 32 Blackduck Grand Rapids HRA ISD No. 36 Kelliher Hibbing HRA International Falls HRA ISD No. 38 Red Lake ISD No. 47 Sauk Rapids Lincoln County HRA ISD No. 62 Ortonville Litchfield HRA Little Falls HRA ISD No. 75 St. Clair ISD No. 77 Mankato Luverne HRA ISD No. 81 Comfrey Madison HRA Marshall Public Housing Commission ISD No. 84 Sleepy Eye ISD No. 88 New Ulm Montevideo HRA ISD No. 91 Barnum Moorhead HRA ISD No. 93 Carlton Mora HRA ISD No. 94 Cloquet Morrison County HRA ISD No. 95 Cromwell-Wright Mound HRA ISD No. 97 Moose Lake Mountain Lake HRA ISD No. 99 Esko Mower County HRA ISD No. 100 Wrenshall New Richland HRA ISD No. 108 Norwood North Mankato HRA ISD No. 110 Waconia Northwest Multi-County HRA ISD No. 111 Watertown Pequot Lakes HRA ISD No. 112 Chaska Pine City HRA ISD No. 113 Walker-Akeley Pine River HRA ISD No. 115 Cass Lake-Bena Pipestone HRA ISD No. 116 Pillager Princeton HRA ISD No. 118 Northland Red Lake Falls HRA ISD No. 129 Montevideo Red Wing HRA ISD No. 138 North Branch Area Schools Redwood Falls HRA ISD No. 139 Rush City SE Minnesota Multi-County HRA ISD No. 146 Barnesville Sleepy Eye HRA ISD No. 150 Hawley South St. Paul HRA ISD No. 152 Moorhead St. James HRA ISD No. 162 Bagley St. Peter HRA ISD No. 166 Cook County Swift County HRA ISD No. 173 Mountain Lake Thief River Falls HRA ISD No. 175 Westbrook Todd County HRA ISD No. 177 Windom Tracy HRA ISD No. 181 Brainerd Virginia HRA Wadena HRA ISD No. 182 Crosby-Ironton ISD No. 186 Pequot Lakes Walker HRA ISD No. 191 Burnsville-Eagan-Savage Warren HRA ISD No. 192 Farmington Waseca HRA ISD No. 194 Lakeville Washington County HRA ISD No. 195 Randolph Willmar HRA ISD No. 197 West St. Paul Windom HRA ISD No. 199 Inver Grove Hgts. Winona HRA ISD No. 200 Hastings Worthington HRA ISD No. 203 Hayfield ISD No. 204 Kasson-Mantorville **Independent School Districts** ISD No. 206 Alexandria Intermediate School Dist. 917 ISD No. 207 Brandon

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ISD No. 1A Minneapolis

ISD No. 208 Evansville

ISD No. 432 Mahnomen ISD No. 213 Osakis ISD No. 435 Waubun-Ogema- White Earth Community ISD No. 227 Chatfield ISD No. 229 Lanesboro Schools ISD No. 238 Mabel-Canton ISD No. 447 Grygla ISD No. 239 Rushford-Peterson ISD No. 463 Eden Valley ISD No. 465 Litchfield ISD No. 241 Albert Lea ISD No. 466 Dassel-Cokato ISD No. 242 Alden ISD No. 252 Cannon Falls ISD No. 473 Isle ISD No. 253 Goodhue ISD No. 477 Princeton ISD No. 255 Pine Island ISD No. 480 Onamia ISD No. 256 Red Wing ISD No. 482 Little Falls ISD No. 261 Ashby ISD No. 484 Pierz ISD No. 264 Herman-Norcross ISD No. 485 Royalton ISD No. 270 Hopkins ISD No. 486 Swanville ISD No. 271 Bloomington ISD No. 487 Upsala Area Schools ISD No. 272 Eden Prairie ISD No. 492 Austin ISD No. 495 Grand Meadow ISD No. 273 Edina ISD No. 497 Lyle ISD No. 276 Minnetonka ISD No. 499 LeRoy/Ostrander ISD No. 277 Westonka ISD No. 500 Southland ISD No. 279 Osseo ISD No. 505 Fulda ISD No. 281 Robbinsdale ISD No. 282 St. Anthony-New Brighton ISD No. 507 Nicollet ISD No. 283 St. Louis Park ISD No. 508 St. Peter ISD No. 511 Adrian ISD No. 284 Wayzata ISD No. 513 Brewster ISD No. 286 Brooklyn Center ISD No. 514 Ellsworth ISD No. 294 Houston ISD No. 297 Spring Grove ISD No. 516 Round Lake ISD No. 518 Worthington ISD No. 299 Caledonia ISD No. 531 Byron ISD No. 300 LaCrescent-Hokah ISD No. 306 LaPorte ISD No. 533 Dover-Evota ISD No. 534 Stewartville ISD No. 308 Nevis ISD No. 309 Park Rapids ISD No. 535 Rochester ISD No. 542 Battle Lake ISD No. 314 Braham ISD No. 544 Fergus Falls ISD No. 315 Greenway ISD No. 317 Deer River ISD No. 545 Henning ISD No. 318 Grand Rapids ISD No. 547 Parkers Prairie ISD No. 319 Nashwauk-Keewatin ISD No. 548 Pelican Rapids ISD No. 549 Perham ISD No. 332 Mora ISD No. 333 Ogilvie ISD No. 550 Underwood ISD No. 345 New London Spicer ISD No. 553 New York Mills ISD No. 561 Goodridge ISD No. 347 Willmar ISD No. 564 Thief River Falls ISD No. 356 Lancaster ISD No. 577 Willow River ISD No. 361 International Falls ISD No. 362 Littlefork-Big Falls ISD No. 578 Pine City ISD No. 581 Edgerton ISD No. 363 South Koochiching ISD No. 584 Ruthton ISD No. 371 Bellingham ISD No. 592 Climax ISD No. 378 Dawson ISD No. 381 Lake Superior ISD No. 593 Crookston ISD No. 595 East Grand Forks ISD No. 390 Lake of the Woods ISD No. 599 Fertile-Beltrami ISD No. 391 Cleveland ISD No. 600 Fisher ISD No. 392 LeCenter ISD No. 601 Fosston ISD No. 394 Montgomery ISD No. 611 Cyrus ISD No. 402 Hendricks ISD No. 621 Moundsview Public Schools ISD No. 404 Lake Benton ISD No. 623 Roseville ISD No. 409 Tyler ISD No. 625 St. Paul ISD No. 411 Balaton ISD No. 627 Oklee ISD No. 413 Marshall ISD No. 628 Plummer ISD No. 414 Minneota ISD No. 630 Red Lake Falls ISD No. 415 Lynd ISD No. 635 Milroy ISD No. 417 Tracy ISD No. 640 Wabasso ISD No. 418 Russell ISD No. 423 Hutchinson ISD No. 656 Faribault ISD No. 659 Northfield ISD No. 424 Lester Prairie

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ISD No. 2887 McLeod West Public Schools

ISD No. 2889 Lake Park/Audubon

ISD No. 2890 Westbrook Walnut Grove

NE Metro Intermediate School District 916

Others

A.L.F. Joint Powers Ambulance Service

Anoka Conservation District

Anoka-Champlin Fire Board

Area Special Education Cooperative

Arrowhead Library System

Arrowhead Region Computing Consortium

Arrowhead Regional Corrections

Bemidji Regional Interdistrict Council

Benton/Stearns Education District #6383

Brainerd/Crow Wing County Airport Commission

Brown Nicollet Community Health Board

Brown-Nicollet-Cottonwood Clean Water Partnership

Carver-Scott Cooperative District #930

Centennial Lakes

Central Minnesota Community Corrections-

Corrections Center

Central MN Education Resource and Development Council

Cottonwood River Technical Center

Crow River Special Educ. Coop. Joint Powers District

#937

Duluth Airport Authority

Duluth State Convention Center Administrative Board

East Central Regional Development Commission

East Central Regional Library

East Central Solid Waste Commission

Fergus Falls Area Special Education Coop 935

Freshwater Education District #6004

Government Trng. Service (GTS)

Great River Regional Library

Headwaters Regional Development Commission

Hennepin Parks

Hennepin Technical College Intermediate District 287

Human Services of Faribault and Martin Counties

International Falls Recreation Commission

61-6026 West Central Education Dist.

Kitchigami Regional Library

L.O.G.I.S.

Lake Agassiz Regional Library

Lake Agassiz Special Education Cooperative

Lakes Country Service Cooperative

Lincoln, Lyon and Murray Human Services

MAWSECO District No. 938

Metro ECSU

Metro Library Service Agency

Metro Mosquito Control

Metronet

Metropolitan Airports Commission

Metropolitan Council

Metropolitan Sports Facilities Commission

Mid-Minnesota Development Commission

Midwest Special Education Interdistrict Cooperative

Minneapolis Community Development Agency

Minneapolis Municipal Building Commission

Minneapolis Parks and Recreation Board

Minneapolis Public Housing Authority

Minneapolis Public Library Board

Minnesota Counties Information Systems

Minnesota River Valley Special Education Cooperative

Minnesota State High School League ·

Minnesota Valley Cooperative Center

Minnesota Valley Transit Authority

Mississippi Headwaters Board

MN Valley Education District #6027

North Central Service Coop 5

North Country Library Cooperative

Northern Lights Library Network

Northwest Hennepin Human Services Council

Northwest MN Education Cooperative Services Unit

Northwest Migrant Region

Northwest Regional Development Commission

Northwest Regional Library

Northwest Suburbs Cable Communications Commission

NW Regional Inter-District Council No. 382-52

Pine-Prairie Cooperative Center

Pioneerland Library System

Pipestone County Economic Joint Powers Authority

Plum Creek Library System

Prairieland Joint County Compost Facility

Ramsey County District Court

Ramsey/Washington Co. Suburban Cable Communications

Comm. II

Redwood-Cottonwood Rivers Control Area

Region 5 Development Commission

Region I ESV Information Services

Region Nine Development Commission

Region V Computer Service

Rice Creek Watershed District

River Bend Education District #6049

S.A.M.M.I.E.

Seaway Port Authority/Duluth

South Central Minnesota Inter-Library Exchange (SMILE)

South Hennepin - Regional Planning Agency

South Lake Minnetonka Public Safety Department

Southeast Minnesota Education Service Unit

Southern Plains Cooperative

Southwest & West Central Service Coop

Southwest Metro Transit Commission

Southwest Regional Development Commission

Spirit Mountain Authority

St. Cloud Area Planning Organization

St. Cloud Metro Transit Commission

St. Paul Port Authority

St. Paul Public Housing

Stearns-Benton Employment and Training Council

T.B. Sheldon Performing Arts Theatre

Traverse Des Sioux Library System

Tri-County Community Corrections

Upper Minnesota Valley Regional Development Comm.

Viking Library System

Waseca-Le Sueur Regional Library

West Central Area Agency on Aging

Wright Technical Center

Soil and Water Conservation Districts

Aitkin County SWCD

Becker SWCD

Beltrami SWCD

Benton County SWCD

Big Stone SWCD

Blue Earth County SWCD

Brown SWCD Carlton SWCD Carver County SWCD Chippewa County SWCD

Chisago SWCD Clay County SWCD Clearwater SWCD Cottonwood SWCD Crow Wing SWCD

Dakota County SWCD Dodge County SWCD

Douglas SWCD East Ottertail SWCD East Polk SWCD

Faribault County SWCD

Freeborn SWCD Goodhue SWCD Grant County SWCD **Hubbard County SWCD**

Isanti SWCD Itasca County SWCD Kanabec SWCD

Kandivohi SWCD Kittson SWCD

Koochiching SWCD Lac Qui Parle SWCD Lake County SWCD Lake Minnetonka SWCD

Lake of the Woods SWCD

Le Sueur County SWCD Lincoln County SWCD Lyon County SWCD

Mahnomen County SWCD

Marshall SWCD

Marshall-Beltrami SWCD

Martin SWCD McLeod SWCD Meeker SWCD Mille Lacs SWCD Morrison SWCD Mower County SWCD Nicollet SWCD

Nobles SWCD Norman County SWCD North St. Louis SWCD

Olmstead SWCD Pennington SWCD Pine County SWCD Pipestone County SWCD

Pope SWCD

Ramsey County SWCD Red Lake County SWCD Redwood County SWCD Renville County SWCD

Rice SWCD Root River SWCD Roseau County SWCD Scott County SWCD Sibley County SWCD So. St. Louis SWCD Stearns County SWCD Steele County SWCD Stevens SWCD

Swift County SWCD Todd SWCD Traverse SWCD Wabasha County SWCD Wadena SWCD Waseca SWCD

Washington County SWCD Watonwan County SWCD West Ottertail SWCD

West Polk SWCD Wilkin SWCD

Winona County SWCD

Wright SWCD

Towns

Albion Township Arbo Township Beaver Creek Township Belgrade Township Big Lake Township Biwabik Township Breitung Township

Burns Township Cannon Falls Township Chisago Lake Township Clearwater Township Columbus Township Concord Township

Corinna Township **Embarrass Township** Fair Haven Township Fayal Township

Fish Lake Township Franconia Township Franklin Township Grand Rapids Township Great Scott Township Greenway Township

Hassan Township Hollywood Township Ideal Township

Iron Range Township Krain Township LaGrande Township

Laketown Township Lakeview Township Linwood Township Maple Lake Township

Marysville Township May Township

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Nevis Township New Scandia Township Newburg Township Northern Township Oak Lawn Township

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Township Maintenance Association

Vasa Township Victor Township Waconia Township Warsaw Township Watertown Township White Bear Township

White Township Wyoming Township

York Township

Utilities Aitkin Public Utilities Commission Alexandria Bd. of Public Works Alexandria Lake Area Sanitary District Austin Utilities **Bagley Public Utilities Commission** Blue Earth Light & Water Board of Water Commissioners Bovey-Coleraine Water & Waste Water Commission Chisago Lakes Joint Sewage Treatment Commission City of Babbitt Public Utilities Commission Delano Municipal Utilities Dover-Eyota-St. Charles Area Sanitary District East Grand Forks Utilities Elk River Municipal Utilities Glencoe Power & Light Commission Kittson-Marshall Rural Water Users Lakefield Public Utilities Madelia Municipal Power/Light Marshall & Polk Rural Water System Marshall Water, Light and Power Commission Middle River-Snake River Watershed District

North Kittson Rural Water System Otter Tail Water Management District Owatonna Public Utilities Pope/Douglas Solid Waste Management

Moose Lake Water and Light Commission

Princeton Public Utilities

Prior Lake - Spring Lake Watershed District Proctor Public Utilities Commission

Public Utilities Commission Red Lake Watershed District

North Branch Water & Light

Rock County Rural Water District

Sauk Centre Water, Light & Power Commission

Shakopee Public Utilities Sleepy Eye Public Utility

Southern Minn. Municipal Power Agency

Spring Valley Public Utilities Commission Springfield Public Utilities Commission

Truman Municipal Light Plant

Upper Minnesota River Watershed District

Utilities Plus West Lake Superior Sanitary District Wells Public Utilities Department Westbrook Power & Water Department