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Minnesota Business Expansion Report - First thru Fourth Quarter 2011 Foreign-Owned Jobs - New Project Announced **Total Project Total Expansion** Project Status/Stage of Company/Organization **Project Summary** County (est. within 2 Announcement Completion **Business HQ** Size (Square Feet) Development yrs.) Date Date Country Fourth Quarter Juhl Wind Inc. bought a \$20 million wind farm near its HQ in Chandler, Minnesota. It is the sixth wind farm that the company completed in the last two years. The facility is a 10 MW wind farm that sells its power to Xcel Energy and is expected to generate about \$2.1 million in annual revenues. Juhl Wind Inc N/A N/A Murray \$22,000,000 Completed 12/21/2011 Pittsburgh-based robotics startup, Blue Belt Technologies, plans to expand in the Twin Cities. It has developed a handheld bone-cutting device that prepares patients for orthopedic procedures. The company was recently sold to HealthpointCapital which provides the financial resources. Blue Belt Technologies N/A 40 Conducting Site Search 12/16/2011 Minneapolis-based RT Dygert International moved its HQ from Edina to Burnsville. It is a distributor and manufacturer of seals, gaskets, o-rings and other products that seal in chemical fluids under high and low pressure industrial applications. N/A N/A 12/8/2011 RT Dygert Intl Dakota 35 Completed Onio-pased Chart industries plans to open a manufacturing plant in Owatonna that will create at least 100 new jobs. The investment of \$500,000 came from DEED's MIF and JOBZ programs. Chart Industries Inc. Steele \$4,000,000 100 141,000 Announced/Planned 12/2/2011 Agristand Mankato acquires a Mankato production facility for \$3.75 million for manufacturing and marketing composite particle board and door core products made from renewable soy straw. At full capacity, the plant will employ 50 employees. \$3,750,000 11/25/2011 Agristand Mankato LLC Blue Earth 50 180,000 Announced/Planned Madison, Wisconsin-based American Family Insurance seeks space for 140 new jobs as it consolidates claims offices in the U.S. It might sell its regional office in Eden Prairie or look for alternative locations in the Twin Cities. 140 11/18/2011 American Family Insurance Hennepin N/A 208,000 Conducting Site Search IKKKB provides runging of \$308,/50 for infrastructure, site work and public parking for a Delta Dental expansion in Gilbert, St. Louis county. The expansion is expected to create 125 jobs. IRRRB - Gilbert St. Louis \$308.750 125 N/A Announced/Planned 12/15/2011 Minneapolis-based Hardcoat Inc. expands into a \$1.01 million facility in t. Louis Park. It plans to add six more jobs when the expansion is completed summer 2012. Hennepin Hardcoat Inc \$4,010,000 6 N/A **Under Construction** 11/18/2011 Burnsville-based Quality Ingredients, a manufacturer of powdered flavors, creamer, cheese powders and whip topping, plans to expand to a 61,500 SF facility in Quality Ingredients Incorporate Farmington. Announced/Planned Dakota N/A 15 61.500 11/23/2011 Providence, Knode Island-based Ximedica, a product designer for the medical device industry, has expanded to St. Paul. It has leased about 3,000 SF at University Enterprise Labs in St. Paul. Ximedica Ramsey N/A 12 3,000 Completed 11/25/2011 Philagelphia-based Comcast plans to nire 150 people for its St. Paul call center. It needs people to sell its products and services, including high-speed internet, TV and telephone services. Comcast Cable - St Paul Ramsey N/A 150 N/A Announced/Planned 11/10/2011 Denmark-based Sonic Innovations relocated its manufacturing operations to a 22,000 SF building in Eagan. It was part of an effort to boost efficiency after the company was acquired by a Denmark hearing and communications firm, William Demant Holdings. Sonic Innovations Inc Dakota N/A N/A 22,000 Completed 11/22/2011 Denmark iowa-based involta plans to expand into two data center facilities - one at 10,000 SF

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latter by September 2012.

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	Maple Plain-based Proto Labs plans to expand in Rosemount. The expansion will result in the creation of 300 jobs over the next three years. It developed a next-generation, rapid-turnaround system to deliver plastic molds and parts for							
Proto Labs - Maple Plain	manufacturers.	Dakota	\$4,950,000	200	0	Announced/Planned	11/25/2011	
Mill Creek Life Sciences	Rocnester-based MIII Creek Life Sciences is making products to supplement cell culture used in growing stem cell and primary cells for clinical and research markets.	Olmsted	\$1,297,500	5	0	Announced/Planned	11/23/2011	
Five 9's Digital	North Carolina-based Five 95 Digital plans to build a \$75 million to \$100 million, 138,000 square-foot data center in Eagan. The construction phase will result in up to 50 jobs.	Dakota	\$87,500,000	50	138,000	Announced/Planned	11/17/2011	
<u> </u>	Pittsburgn-based U.S. Steel plans a \$300 million expansion of its taconite operations in Keewatin. The project would create 150 full-time and 500 temporary		. , ,					
US Steele - Keewatin	construction jobs. Eagan-based Prime Therapeutics, a pnarmacy benefit management company, is considering a \$4 million, 99,342 square foot-facility in Eagan for its new	Itasca	\$300,000,000	150	N/A	Announced/Planned	10/27/2011	
Prime Therapeutics	headquarters. The University of Minnesota broke ground on a \$83 million physics and	Dakota	\$4,000,000	300	99,342	Announced/Planned	10/26/2011	
University of Minnesota - Col	nanotechnology facility in the Minneapolis campus. The almost 60,000 square footle, building will be staffed by 200 doctorate and graduate students	Hennepin	\$83,000,000 N/A		60,000	Under Construction	10/13/2011	
Hormel Institute	Austin-based University of Minnesota's Hormer Institute, which studies cancer prevention and treatment, will seek \$13.5 million in bonding funds to add to its facilities. The expansion could add 125 jobs.	Mower	\$27,000,000	125	N/A	Announced/Planned	10/27/2011	
Venture Bank - St Paul	Business lenger venture Bank and accounting tirm Boekermann Grafstrom & Mayer will move their headquarters to Bloomington after it's completed summer 2012.	Hennepin	N/A	5	10,000	Announced/Planned	11/4/2011	
Venture Dank - St i aui		•				Allifodificed/Flaffified	11/4/2011	
	Fourth Qtr 2011 Totals (21 projects)		\$554,616,250 hird Quarter	1,516	956,842			
Hawkins Inc	Minneapolis-based Hawkins Inc. is moving some of its operations into higher ground in Rosemount after flooding issues encountered in past years. It formulates, manufactures, blends and distributes industrial and laboratory chemicals.	, Dakota	\$17,500,000	8	63,000			
North Star Imaging Inc	North Star Imaging and St. Jude Medical lease 76,700 SF expansion in Rogers.			0	03,000	Announced/Planned	9/30/2011 6/30/2012	
	North Star Imaging's business is in real-time, digital nondestructive testing equipment, consulting, training, supplies and accessories.	Hennepin	N/A	N/A	76,700	Announced/Planned Announced/Planned	9/30/2011 6/30/2012	
	equipment, consulting, training, supplies and accessories. Le Sueur will be the site of a new \$50 million bioliuer plant project that aims to produce electricity from methane biogas which is derived from cooking corn, potato and melon waste. Avant Energy and the MN Municipal Power Agency originated the		N/A		,			
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Lund Boats	The Lund Boats factory in New York Mills is expanding to meet high demand for the Lund and Crestliner brands The 22,000 SF expansion in East Otter Tail could be completed by the end of 2011.	Otter Tail	N/A	N/A	22,000	Under Construction	9/8/2011	
	St. Louis-based Emerson Process Management, plans a \$40 million upgrade to equipment and facilities, with the help of a forgivable loan from the State. It provides			<u> </u>	,		.,,,	
Emerson Electric Co	automation technologies and services to the oil and gas industries.	Hennepin	\$40,000,000	100 N/A		Announced/Planned	9/7/2011	
Monogram Meat Snacks	Murray County was awarded \$500,000 by a DEED MIF grant to assist Monogram Meat Snacks with its expansion in Chandler. Expansion will result in 35 jobs.	Murray	\$1,132,000	35	0	Announced/Planned	8/29/2011	
Discour Hankla Inc.	Bloom Health, a tast-growing startup, will expand its headquarters with a move to the Minneapolis Warehouse district. It signed a lease for 16,000 SF to accommodate the firm's growing staff.	Hannanin	\$40.500.000 N/A		40,000	Hadaa Oarahuustiaa	0/25/2044	Heite d Kin aden
Bloom Health Inc	The City of St. Cloud was awarded \$199,000 to assist Microbiologic with its	Hennepin	\$12,500,000 N/A		16,000	Under Construction	8/25/2011	United Kingdom
MicroBioLogics Inc	expansion in St. Cloud. This expansion will result in the creation of 13 jobs.	Stearns	\$3,400,000	13	0	Announced/Planned	8/22/2011	
First District Association	First District Association dairy cooperative broke ground in spring on a \$32 million expansion that will add 50,000 SF to the headquarters and manufacturing complex in Litchfield, Minnesota.	Meeker	\$32,000,000	100	50,000	Under Construction	8/18/2011	
That Blothet / tooodiation	City of Wabasha is awarded \$288,000 from a DEED MIF grant to assist an	Widokoi	ψοΣ,000,000	100	00,000	Chack Containablion	0, 10, 2011	
K&C Fisheries Global USA LL	Australian company with its financing of a carp processing facility. This project will result in the creation of 12 jobs. San Diego-based Care Fusion plans to close its California ventiliator plant and	Wabasha	\$1,136,000	12	0	Announced/Planned	8/17/2011	Australia
CareFusion Corp	transfer to a 60,000 SF plant in Plymouth.	Hennepin	N/A	150	60,000	Announced/Planned	8/12/2011	
	Virginia-based federal contractor, Computer Sciences Corp., leased a 163,000 SF facility in Lakeville. It won a \$25.8 million contract to operate a mail transport						, , .	
Computer Sciences Corp	equipment service in Minneapolis.	Dakota	N/A	N/A	163,000	Completed	8/5/2011	
Unitron Hearing	Kitchener, Ontario-based Unitrin moved its operations to a renovated 85,000 SF facility in Plymouth. It will lease it over the next 10 years. Eden-Praine-based Alliant Techsystems is leasing a large building to convert some	Hennepin	\$3,000,000 N/A		85,000	Completed	7/27/2011	Canada
Alliant Techsystems Inc	distribution space in its Anoka facility to manufacturing.	Anoka	N/A	N/A	230,000	Active	7/15/2011	
Teleflex Medical OEM	Raleigh, N.Cbased maker of catheters, extrusion and medical devices is expanding its Plymouth plant to more than 30,000 SF in a multimillion-dollar expansion. The new space will be used as offices, R&D facilities and production.	Hennepin	N/A	10	N/A	Under Construction	7/14/2011	
Allina Hospitals & Clinics	Allina Hospitals & Clinics and Children's Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota plan to break ground on a \$50 million, 96,000 SF birth center in Minneapolis. Construction work will continue until the fall of 2012 and will employ 250 people total. Kestrel Aircraft, Tounded by Cirrus Aircraft corounder Alan Klapmeier, brings design	Hennepin	\$50,000,000	250	96,000	Under Construction	7/8/2011	
Kestrel Aircraft	operation jobs to Duluth. The company plans to manufacture six-to-eight seat carbon fiber airplanes by 2013.	St. Louis	N/A	30	N/A	Announced/Planned	7/1/2011	
Ernst & Young	New York-based Ernst & Young is niring 140 new employees in the firm's advisory, transaction and tax group. The growth comes from a combination of new clients and demand for higher levels of service from existing clients.	Hennepin	N/A	140	N/A	Announced/Planned	7/1/2011	
Ameriprise Financial	Ameriprise expands its services to Bemiaji where it engages in back οπice accounting operations.	Beltrami	N/A	30	N/A	Under Construction	July 2011	
	Third Qtr 2011 Totals (24 projects)	\$374,127,196	1,187	1,256,700			
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	Deerwood-based Magnum Machining plans a 29,000 SF facility in Irondale township. This will open up approximately 15,000 SF of space for heavy				100			
Magnum Machining	manufacturing. Storeworks Technologies, master integrator and single source provider of store-	Crow Wing	\$3,000,000	30	29,000	Announced/Planned	6/30/2011	
Storeworks Technologies LLC	level peripheral solutions, invests \$1.5 million to expand at 34,604 SF in Eden	Hennepin	\$1,500,000	N/A	34,604	Announced/Planned	6/30/2011	

	Lakeville-based Image Trend broke ground on a new 10,000 SF building expansion. It develops software used in the medical field, schools, and human							
mage Trend	resource departments. It now has more than 140 employees.	Dakota	N/A	N/A	10,000	Under Construction	6/28/2011	
	High-end furniture maker Halcon is expanding to accommodate growth and expects	3			-,			
	to finish by October. It plans to add more than 200 people in its workforce and a							
lalcon Corp	new 12,000 SF expansion.	Olmsted	N/A	200	12,000	Under Construction		10/31/2011
·	The City of Waseca is awarded \$100,000 to assist Birds Eye Foods with its							
Birds Eye Foods Inc	expansion. This expansion will result in the creation of 15 jobs.	Waseca	\$8,900,000	15	0	Announced/Planned	40716	
	Marco, a fast-growing technology services company, plans to expand its							
	headquarters to 65,000 SF in St. Cloud. It will sign a 20-year lease for the building							
larco Inc Corp HQ	to be constructed on 7.2.acres. Marco moves in by the spring of 2012.	Sherburne	\$6,000,000	N/A	15,000	Announced/Planned	6/21/2011	
	Radnor, Pennsylvania-based Airgas Inc. started construction in a 18,000-SF plant							
	in Roseville, MN to meet the growing demand for gas cylinders and related products	6						
irgas Inc	in the Minneapolis-St. Paul area.	Ramsey	N/A	35	18,000	Under Construction	6/14/2011	
	Milwaukee-based P&H Mining Equipment, manufacturer of giant truck-loading							
&H Mining Equipment	shovels, will consolidate its Iron Range operations in a new building in Virginia.	St. Louis	\$16,000,000	16	82,000	Announced/Planned	6/9/2011	
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	The U.S. Dept. of Agriculture invests \$4.5 million to build a research greenhouse at							
	the UofM St. Paul campus to study Puccinia graminis or Ug99 (disease discovered							
IS Dept of Agriculture	in Ugandan farm in 1999. The fungus threatens wheat crops.	Ramsey	\$4,500,000	N/A	2,800	Announced/Planned	6/14/2011	
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	Cincinnati-based Procter & Gamble expands its leased office space by 21,000 SF							
	in Minneapolis. The deal continues the "Target effect" where consumer product							
rocter & Gamble	manufacturers lease space within a short distance of Target Corp.'s headquarters.	Hennepin	N/A	N/A	21,000	Completed	6/13/2011	
	UnitedHealth Group's Optum health services division is getting a new HQ that				,			
	merges three businesses under a single roof to better coordinate business							
InitedHealth Group	operations and improve marketing.	Hennepin	\$124,000,000	N/A	450,000	Announced/Planned	6/3/2011	
	The City of Bloomington is awarded \$227,500 of DEED MIF funds to assist in its		· //		,			
lectronic Controlled System	s expansion in Bloomington. The expansion will result in 12 jobs.	Hennepin	\$774,500	12	0	Announced/Planned	6/1/2011	
	Bedford Heights, Ohio-based Olympic Steel plans to open a steel distribution cente		4 ,000				57.77.	
Nympic Steel Inc	in Roseville and add 60 jobs this year.	Ramsey	N/A	60	60,000	Announced/Planned	5/20/2011	
.,	Eden Prairie-based ExoStat Medical has closed on \$1.87 million in equity financing						5/25/25 1	
	Its product consists of a probe that measures carbon dioxide level, a good indicator							
xoStat Medical Inc	that a person may go into shock.	Hennepin	\$1,870,000	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	5/16/2011	
Acetat medical me	Austin-based Hormel Foods Corp. broke ground for a 28,000 square foot expansion		ψ.,σ. σ,σσσ	,, .	147.1	,caca,aca	0/10/2011	
	to its corporate headquarters. Construction to be completed by the beginning of							
ormel Foods Corp	2012.	Mower	N/A	N/A	28,000	Under Construction	5/19/2011	
оппол госао селр	Mayo Clinic plans to build a 60,000 square foot computer data center onto its Mayo			,, .	20,000	0.1.001 00.1.011.001.011	0/10/2011	
layo Clinic	Support Center in northwest Rochester next fall.	Olmsted	N/A	N/A	60,000	Announced/Planned	5/6/2011	
	New York-based PricewaterhouseCoopers expands Capella Tower office and adds				33,030		3,3,2011	
riceWaterhouseCoopers	employees.	Hennepin	N/A	50	8,000	Completed	5/6/2011	
noov atomodocoopers	Fast-growing Milestone AV Technologies, manufacturer of wall-mounting brackets	Поппорш	1471		0,000	Completed	0/0/2011	
	for flat-screen TVs and projectors, plans to buy a 73,951 SF building in Eden Prairie)						
lilestone AV Technologies	for its new headquarters.	Hennepin	\$5,100,000	N/A	73,951	Announced/Planned	4/8/2011	
	Visi Inc. spends \$10 million investment in power and cooling equipment to expand	omiopin	ψο, 100,000	14//1	70,001	,ouriood/r idiliiod	1/0/2011	
isi Inc	data center in Eden Prairie.	Hennepin	\$10,000,000	15	6,000	Announced/Planned		11/30/2011
IOI IIIU	Philadelphia-based Comcast plans to add 450 new jobs in the Twin Cities at a	: .cop	4.0,000,000	10	0,000		-	, 00, 20
Comcast - Minnetonka	renovated state-of-the art call center in Minnetonka	Hennepin	\$3,750,000	450	98,000	Under Construction	3/31/2012	
Vollicast Willingtonika		Пеннери			,	Officer Construction	0/01/2012	
	Second Qtr 2011 Totals (20 projects)	\$185,394,500	883	1,008,355			
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	AGCO, a tractor manufacturer in Jackson, Minnesota, is expanding and expects to	·						
	generate 150 new jobs. It produces Massey Ferguson and Challenger high-							
GCO Corporation	horsepower row crop tractors.	Jackson	\$14,000,000	150	75,000	Announced/Planned		12/31/2011
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	A \$10 million expansion of Gary-New Duluth foundry will add 30 permanent jobs. ME Elecmetal produced high quality iron and steel castings in North America, Sout	h							
ME Elecmetal	America, Australia, Africa, Indonesia and Egypt.	St. Louis	\$10,000,000	30	N/A	Under Construction		10/31/2011	Chile
	St. Louis, Missouri-based Graybar Electric leases 24,000 SF in Brooklyn Park as it								
	expands. It specializes in supply chain management services and distribution of								
	high-quality components, equipment and materials for the electrical and								
Graybar Electric Co	telecommunications industries for over 80 years.	Hennepin	N/A	N/A	24,000	Announced/Planned	3/31/2011		
	Veit Companies LLC, a business that does specialty contracting and waste								
Veit Companies	management, expands by 24,484 SF at a cost of \$1,650,000 in Rogers.	Hennepin	\$1,650,000	N/A	24,484	Announced/Planned	3/31/2011		
	Burnsville-based LCH Packaging, manufacturer of paper tubes and cores, expands	;							
LCH Packaging Corporation	in Burnsville by 36,900 SF at a cost of \$1,393,800.	Dakota	\$1,393,800	N/A	36,900	Announced/Planned	3/31/2011		
	San Jose, California-based Cypress Semiconductor Corp., plans to triple production	n							
	of chips at its Bloomington plant. The chips are used in the company's TrueTouch								
Cypress Semiconductor Corp	oo controllers for touchscreens and other products.	Hennepin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned		9/30/2011	
	Rogers-based Metro Mold & Design plans to transfer 40 workers by late summer to								
	a 100,000 SF building in Brooklyn Park. It also promises to create 40 more jobs at								
Metro Mold & Design	the new site in the near future.	Hennepin	N/A	40	100,000	Announced/Planned	3/31/2011		
	Baldinger Bakery will open its new 145,000 SF bakery in St. Paul with the help of								
Baldinger Bakery	New Market Tax Credits from the St. Paul Port Authority.	Ramsey	\$9,230,000	80	145,000	Under Construction	3/28/2011		
	St. Paul-based Cima NanoTech raised \$15 million in equity financing. The funds	,	. , ,		,				
	will be used to expand into new markets such as touchscreen displays, solar panels	S							
Cima Nanotech Inc	and other products.	Ramsey	\$15,000,000	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	3/25/2011		
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	Social e-commerce startup 8thBridge Inc., which helps businesses set up								
	storefronts within Facebook, has raised \$10 million in venture capital. The funds will	II							
8thBridge Inc	be used to expand its operations and improve its technology, StoreCast.	Hennepin	\$10,000,000	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	3/21/2011		
	Midwest's largest solar thermal project atop the River Centre convention center was		* -,,						
	announced. The District Energy's \$2 million project will produced 1 megawatt of								
District Energy	energy annually, enough to power about 50 homes per year.	Ramsev	\$2.000.000	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	3/18/2011		
g,	Canada-based Buhler Industries, maker of Versatile tractors, is buying the building		+ =,000,000				3,10,2011		
	that houses Willmar Fabrication. The 54 to 60 local manufacturing jobs will be								
Buhler Industries	retained.	Kandiyohi	N/A	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	3/14/2011		Canada
Dame: madeines	Germany-based Heraeus Medical Components is building a 28,400 SF addition in	rtariary or ii		1471		7111104110047114111104	3/11/2011		Carrada
	White Bear Township. It has 350 employees and it manufactures complex								
Heraeus Medical Component	s components for a wide variety of medical devices.	Ramsey	\$1,600,000	N/A	28,400	Under Construction	3/10/2011		Germany
Total and The angle of the post of the	Greeley, Colorado-based road maintenance firm, EnviroTech, has opened a new		ψ.,σσσ,σσσ	1471	20,100	0.1.40. 00.10.1.40.10.1	3, 13, 23		G C uy
	facility in Randolph and purchased Dustcoating Inc. of Savage. The facility will be								
	used for the production, storage and distribution of summer and winter safety								
EnviroTech Services Inc	products.	Dakota	N/A	N/A	N/A	Completed	3/2/2011		
Environ con convicco inc	San Mateo, California-based DemandTec, Inc. will open an office in downtown	Danota	1471	14/71	14/1	Completed	3/2/2011		
	Minneapolis to help better serve local customers like Best Buy, Target, General								
DemandTec Inc	Mills and Advanced Auto Parts.	Hennepin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	2/25/2011		
Demand rec inc	Columbus, Indiana-based Cummins Inc. invests nearly \$14 million facility and 90	Пеннерин	14/71	14/71	14/71	/ intodriced/ familed	2/20/2011		
	employees into its headquarters at Fridley. It has an extended agreement with the								
Cummins Power Generation	U.S. Army to produce a line of mobile power generators.	Anoka	\$14,000,000	200	N/A	Announced/Planned	2/25/2011		
Cullillins Fower Generation	Intectural and its sister companies, Loll Designs and Epicurean, plan a \$1.2 million	Alloka	\$14,000,000	200	IV/A	Allifouriced/Flarified	2/23/2011		
	addition to its Duluth building. This will allow them to grow a third business: a								
	distributor of green architectural materials. Contingent on a DEED grant for further								
Intestural	contamination cleanup.	St. Louis	¢4 200 000	N/A	0.200	Announced/Dlanned	2/18/2011		
Intectural	contamination ordinap.	Ji. LUUIS	\$1,200,000	IN/A	9,200	Announced/Planned	2/18/2011		
US Stool Corporation Mount	ta U.S. Steel has informed DNR that it plans to expand its Minntac mine in Mt. Iron.	St. Louis	N/A	N/A	N/A	Announced/Planned	2/16/2011		
03 Steel Corporation - Mount	de 0.0. Gloot had informed Britt that it plane to expand the minima in this inch.	St. Louis	IN/A	IN/A	IV/A	Announced/Fianned	2/10/2011		
Bluestone Energy Services	Norwell, Massachusetts-based Bluestone Energy Services expands in Minnesota.	Dakota	N/A	N/A	N/A	Completed	2/10/2011		
Didestone Literary Services	Surly Brewing, a Brooklyn Center-based beer maker plans to build a \$20 million	Dakula	IN/A	IN/A	IN/A	Completed	2/10/2011		
	brewery, complete with a restaurant and event center. It needs the state to change								
Surly Brewing Co	a law.	Hennepin	\$20,000,000	235	\$60,000	Announced/Planned	2/8/2011		
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United Healthcare	United healthcare is transferring its call center operations from Waterloo, lowa to Duluth. This means 10 to 15 more full-time customer service jobs.	St. Louis	N/A	15	N/A	Announced/Planned	1/25/2011	
Offica Ficallicate	Milwaukee, Wisconsin-based Northwestern Mutual plans to add 90 financial	Ot. Louis	IV/A	10	IN/A	/ initiounioca/i latinea	1/23/2011	
	representatives and 175 financial representative interns at two of its local offices-							
Northwestern Mutual Life	nsur the Columns Resource Group and the Bohannon Group in 2011.	Hennepin	N/A	265	N/A	Announced/Planned	1/26/2011	Spring 2011
	The bank cooperative, AgriBank, will relocate 185 employees into 70,000 SF on floors 1,7, and 14-16 of Wells Fargo Place. It signed a 10-year lease in late							
Agri Bank FCB	December.	Ramsey	N/A	N/A	70,000	Under Construction	1/7/2011	
Michael Foods Egg Produ	Michael Foods, a southern Minnesota producer of egg and potato products, spen cts Ir nearly \$1.5 million for a building and 13 acres in Gaylord.	Sibley	\$1,500,000	N/A	N/A	Completed	1/5/2011	
	First Qtr 2011 Totals (24 projec	ts)	\$101,573,800	1,015	572,984			
	2011 Grand Totals (89 projec	ts)	\$1,215,711,746	4,601	3,794,881			

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