

CHISAGO COUNTY — HRA-EDA —

A Natural Resource for Business

Transportation

Rail

Chisago County is served by the St. Croix Valley Railroad, a private short line railroad that has a local industrial customer base. The short line connects to the BNSF. Both North Branch and Rush City Industrial Parks are located on the rail.

Highway System

Interstate 35 traverses the county south and north connecting to Minneapolis St. Paul and the Duluth Markets. There are a number of industrial parks and commercial sites located just off of the freeway. In the southern portion of the county, Highway 8 crosses east and west from I-35 to Wisconsin. State Highway 95 also crosses the county east and west providing access to St. Cloud and Wisconsin markets. MNDot's Average Daily Traffic Counts for Chisago County may be found here.

Airports

The Minneapolis/St. Paul International (MSP) Airport serves the region with both passenger and cargo services. There is also a regional Airport located in Rush City. The airport features the longest paved and lighted runway between Anoka County and Cloquet. The runway is 4400 feet long with paved parallel taxiway. Click here to visit their website.

Chisago County Largest Employers

Andersen Windows	235	Website
Branch Manufacturing	54	Website
Chisago County	503	<u>Website</u>
Dennis Kirk	170	<u>Website</u>
Hallberg Marine	52	<u>Website</u>
Hazelden Betty Ford Foundation	799	<u>Website</u>
I.S.D. No. 138 (North Branch)	415	<u>Website</u>
I.S.D. No. 2144 (Chisago Lakes)	779	<u>Website</u>
Kendell Howard	89	Website
MHealth Fairview Lakes Services	1,117	Website
Minnesota Correctional Facility	361	<u>Website</u>
Plastech Corporation	285	<u>Website</u>
Plastic Products/Smith Metal	188	<u>Website</u>
Polaris Industries	861	<u>Website</u>
Promotion Management Center (PMC)	54	<u>Website</u>
Rinker Materials	177	<u>Website</u>
Rosenbauer Minnesota	510	<u>Website</u>
Shafer Contracting	235	<u>Website</u>
Wyoming Elementary	68	<u>Website</u>
Wyoming Machine	46	<u>Website</u>
Zinpro	54	<u>Website</u>
Total Employed	7,052	