

2008 MN Business Expansion Report

Company	City	Industry Type	Product Description	New Building	Expansion or Renovation	New Jobs	Added Square Feet	Investment \$	Stage of Development
3M - Abrasive Systems Div	Alexandria	Manufacturing	abrasives		X	90	60,000	48,850,000	Completed
Accellent Inc	Brooklyn Park	Medical Device	cardiology medical devices	X		100	100,000	8,500,000	Announced/Planned
Acist Medical Systems Inc	Eden Prairie	Medical Device	medical device	X			75,000		Completed
AGSI Recycling	Savage	Environmental	feedbag/film recycling		X	300	0	5,000,000	Announced/Planned
Artesian Fresh Inc	LeRoy	Manufacturing	bottled water	X			21,000		Under Construction
Asset Resources	Ramsey	Communications	call center/satellite installation	X		10	15,000	1,500,000	Completed
Austin Mutual Insurance Co	Maple Grove	Insurance	Personal insurance	X			50,000		Announced/Planned
Bigos Management Inc	Golden Valley	Construction	construction	X			26,000		Announced/Planned
Boelter Industries Inc	Winona	Warehouse/Distribution	folding box distributor		X		28,000	500,000	Completed
Bridgewater Quality Meats	Luverne	Manufacturing	wholesale meat		X	46		3,580,000	Completed
BTD Manufacturing Inc	Otsego	Wind	metal stamping	X			96,000		Announced/Planned
Building Fasteners	North Mankato	Manufacturing	nuts and bolts	X		30	25,000	1,650,000	Under Construction
Business Impact Group	Chanhausen	Media	promotional service	X			50,000	2,250,000	Under Construction
Cambria	Belle Plaine	Other	quartz building materials		X	100		5,700,000	Announced/Planned
Cameron's Coffee & Dstrbtng Co	Shakopee	Food & Beverage	coffee	X		25	65,000		Announced/Planned
Cargill Inc	Plymouth	Food & Beverage	food applications	X			21,000		Completed
Cargill Inc - Corp HQ	Hopkins	Food & Beverage	food products	X			268,000		Under Construction
Cleveland Cliffs Inc	Orr	Biofuels	biomass fuel	X		25	100,000	15,000,000	Announced/Planned
Comcast - Woodbury	Woodbury	Communications	cable tv provider	X			31,900		Completed
Coopeative Response Center Inc	Austin	Telecommunications	alarm monitoring call center		X	50	11,000	1,400,000	Announced/Planned
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Cross Tech Mfg & Welding	Crosslake	Machinery	metal work and engineering		X	5	24,000	1,500,000	Announced/Planned
CTT Properties	Ramsey	Manufacturing	precision machining	X		10	26,000	1,800,000	Under Construction
Diamond Graphics Inc	Ramsey	Printing/Publishing	printing, graphics	X		12	55,000	3,500,000	Completed
Diversified Manufacturing Corp	Newport	Manufacturing	toiletries bottling		X		23,000	1,400,000	Completed
Duke Realty Corp	Otsego	Warehouse/Distribution	warehouse office	X			153,600		Completed
Duluth Metals	Ely	Mining	Mining		X	1,000		916,000,000	Announced/Planned
Econar Energy Systems	Appleton	Energy	geothermal pumps		X	25	17,000	2,300,000	Under Construction
Essar Steel Minnesota LLC	Nashwauk	Mining	Steel production	X		700		1,650,000,000	Under Construction
Film Tec Corporation	Edina	Manufacturing	Water purification systems		X	100	630,000	88,000,000	Announced/Planned
French Meadow Bakery	Eagan	Food & Beverage	bakery	X			61,000	1,100,000	Under Construction
Gopher Sport - Owatonna	Owatonna	Manufacturing	sports equipment	X			156,586	8,357,000	Under Construction
Hawkins Inc	Minneapolis	Biotechnology	drug compounding	X		20	20,000		Announced/Planned

Homecrest Industries	Wadena	Manufacturing	Patio Furniture		X	57			Under Construction
Hormel Foods Intl	Austin	Food & Beverage	meat processing		X	200		150,000,000	Under Construction
Incentis	Edina	Telecommunications	telecommunications		X	70		8,000,000	Completed
IDI Distributors	Chanhassen	Warehouse/Distribution	insulation	X			48,000	2,100,000	Under Construction
Ikonics Corp - Chromaline Div	Duluth	Manufacturing	photochemical etching	X		25	35,000		Under Construction
IWCO Direct	Chanhassen	Call Centers	direct mail		X	250			Announced/Planned
Kato Cable LLC	Mankato	Other	cable & wire assembly	X		13	14,000	1,640,000	Under Construction
King Solutions Inc	Dayton	Shipping	mass mailings	X			120,000	7,000,000	Completed
Kurt Manufacturing	Minneapolis	Manufacturing	Industrial Vise & Machine Tools		X	100	100,000	10,000,000	Under Construction
Liberty Property Trust	Eden Prairie	Construction	office warehouse	X			120,000		Under Construction
Magnetation Inc	Duluth	Manufacturing	iron ore tailings processing	X				6,000,000	Announced/Planned
Mahnomen Baked Chips	Mahnomen	Food & Beverage	baked potato crisps	X		38	29,000	8,500,000	Under Construction
Mamac Systems Inc	Chanhassen	Manufacturing	HVAC controls		X		34,618	1,653,000	Completed
McQuay International - HQ	Plymouth	Manufacturing	HVAC controls	X				50,000,000	Under Construction
Mesaba Airlines - Eagan	Eagan	Transportation	airline HQ		X		16,140	1,100,000	Under Construction
Metal Craft Machine & Engrng	Elk River	Manufacturing	precision machining	X		26	78,000	5,000,000	Under Construction
Moventas - Chanhassen	Faribault	Wind	wind turbine gears / assemblies	X		100	200,000	40,000,000	Announced/Planned
MRG Tool & Die	Faribault	Manufacturing	tool and die		X	20	30,000		Announced/Planned
National Dentex	North Mankato	Manufacturing	dental supplies	X		20	10,000	1,500,000	Under Construction
National Vision	St. Cloud	Other	lens mfg	X		15	42,808	6,000,000	Under Construction
Nestle Medical Nutrition Corp	Minnnetonka	Biotechnology	Medical Nutrition Products		X	100	100,000	2,000,000	Under Construction
New Vision Co-op - Worthington	Brewster	Agriculture	fertilizer terminal and storage	X		18	65,340	7,798,000	Under Construction
Newport St Paul Cold Storage	Newport	Food & Beverage	cold storage		X		51,000		Announced/Planned
Northshore Mining Co - Silver Bay	Silver Bay	Mining	ore pellets	X		30		40,000,000	Announced/Planned
Norwood Promotional Products	Redwing	Manufacturing	promotional products		X	100			Announced/Planned
Nuvex Ingredients Inc	Blue Earth	Other	health food products		X			10,800,000	Under Construction
Opus Corp HQ - Hopkins	Hopkins	Construction	corporate HQ office	X			150,000	6,700,000	Announced/Planned
P&H Mine Pro Svc - Virginia	Virginia	Mining	refurbish mining equipment	X		4	37,000		Announced/Planned
Pfeninger Trucking Inc	Villard	Warehouse/Distribution	Trucking / warehousing	X		7	50,000	2,500,000	Under Construction
Proliant Health Systems	Melrose	Food & Beverage	health products		X	20	1,600	18,000,000	Announced/Planned
PSI Group Inc - Pitney Bowes	Minneapolis	Shipping	Bulk Mail Distribution		X	100	70,000		Completed
R&M Manufacturing Co LLC	Buffalo	Manufacturing	water conditioning systems		X	25		1,400,000	Announced/Planned
Rayven Inc	Owatonna	Manufacturing	coating/laminating	X		12	30,000	1,188,060	Under Construction
Remote Technologies Inc	Shakopee	Manufacturing	control systems	X			30,000		Completed
Rotochopper	St. Martin	Manufacturing	wood waste grinding equipment		X	20	14,500	1,250,000	Under Construction
Select Foods	Albert Lea	Food & Beverage	meat processing		X	100	7,200	1,500,000	Under Construction
SpecSys Inc - Granite Falls	Granite Falls	Manufacturing	engineering design		X	15	30,000	1,500,000	Announced/Planned

StartUSA	Maple Grove	Manufacturing	machine tool		X	73		2,300,000	Completed
St Jude Medical - Corp HQ	Little Canada	Medical Device	Atrial Fibrulation Devices	X		150	350,000	30,000,000	Under Construction
Syngenta	Minnetonka	Biotechnology	crop solutions	X		50	110,000		Announced/Planned
T O Plastics Inc	Clearwater	Manufacturing	medical packaging	X			57,600		Announced/Planned
Tundra Particle Technologies	Hoyt Lakes	Manufacturing	metal processing		X			9,710,000	Announced/Planned
United Prairie Bank - Mankato	Mankato	Banking	bank headquarters	X			30,000	5,000,000	Completed
Uponor NA	Lakeville	Manufacturing	heating & cooling systems	X			285,000		Under Construction
Upper Lakes Foods - Northfield	Northfield	Food & Beverage	food distribution		X			5,100,000	Announced/Planned
US Steel Corporation	Keewatin	Mining	mining		X	75		300,000,000	Announced/Planned
Visi Com	Duluth	Data Center	data center	X		10	50,000	18,000,000	Announced/Planned
White House Custom Colour	Eagan	Other	photo processing		X		31,000	2,000,000	Under Construction
Xccent	Wyoming	Manufacturing	outdoor furniture	X		100			Under Construction
Yeager Machine	Norwood Young America	Manufacturing	precision machining	X		14	21,000	1,200,000	Completed
Grand Totals (83 records)				49	34	4,635	4,638,992	\$3,538,326,060	

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