



MnDOT District 6 – Rochester

District Offices: Rochester (HQ), Owatonna, Winona
2016 District Fact Sheet



Demographics		Number in District	Pct. of State	Total # Statewide
Number of counties (by ATP)		11	12.6%	87
Dodge, Fillmore, Freeborn, Goodhue, Hosuton, Mower, Olmsted, Rice, Steele, Wabasha and Winona				
Number of cities greater than 5,000 (by ATP)		13	8.8%	148
Rochester, Winona, Owatonna, Austin, Faribault, Northfield, Albert Lea, Red Wing, Stewartville, Kasson, Byron, La Crescent, Lake City				
2014 population estimate (by ATP)		500,966	9.2%	5,453,218
Land area in square miles (by ATP)		6,801	8.5%	79,619
Population density (people per square mile, by ATP)		74		69
Metropolitan Planning Organizations		2	25%	8
Roadways				
Trunk highway	Centerline miles	1,414	12.0%	11,814
	Lane miles	3,668	12.5%	29,264
Interstate system	Centerline miles	206	22.5%	915
	Lane miles	825	20.4%	4,035
Number of bridges (10' or greater)		880	18.2%	4,830
Traffic Safety				
Roundabouts		9	16.4%	55
Reduced Conflict Intersections (RCIs)		0	0.0%	33
Road Weather Information System (RWIS)		13	13.4%	97
Dynamic variable message signs		22	3.6%	615
Traffic cameras		55	6.8%	806
Snowfences (permanent, native prairie, temp snowfence in miles)		33.41	28.6%	116.73
<p>TZD - the Mission of TZD is to move Minnesota toward zero deaths on our roads using education, enforcement, engineering and EMS. The new incremental goal is set for 2020: 300 or fewer traffic-related deaths and 850 or fewer serious injuries. What's the goal for your family?</p>				
Budget & Economics				
Operations budget FY 2015 (in millions of \$)		37.6	10.2%	370.4
Operations budget FY 2016 (in millions of \$)		39.1	10.2%	384.3
Avg. construction program (2016-19, in millions of \$)		108.5	12.7%	848
Avg. number of projects (2016-19)		20		160



Non-Auto Modes			
PUBLIC TRANSIT			
Coverage area per district (counties)		11	86
Ridership totals	Fixed	1,730,677	103,579,702
	Dial-a-Ride	747,035	6,122,497
Usage of system: Vehicle Miles Traveled		3,034,160	64,330,955
RIVERS	Navigable miles	87	37.7% 231
AIRPORTS		11	8.1% 135
RAILROADS			
Miles of rail line		433	9.7% 4,469
Number of signalized/non-signalized crossings		180/249	1,551/2,479
Speed of trains	http://www.dot.state.mn.us/ofrw/maps/MNFreightRailroadMapJan2015Large.pdf		
Commodities shipped statewide: Inbound: 70.3M tons; 38.9 metallic ores (55.3% of nation total, 1st in country); 5.2M tons farm products (3.7%, 7th); Outbound: 90.3M tons; 51.9 tons metallic ores (73.8%, 1st); 13.9M tons farm products (10.4%, 3rd)			
Workforce & Facilities		Number in District	Pct. of State Total # Statewide
Fulltime employees (Districts)		386	12.1% 3,185
Regional offices/headquarters/maintenance sites		3	20
Total building square footage		828,355	13.6% 6,105,011
Rest areas (Class 1)		12	23.5% 51
Maintenance			
Snow & Ice delivery cost (in thousands of \$)		9,465	12.2% 30,546
Bare lane performance (frequency within targeted # of hours)		89%	87%
Snow & Ice lane miles (2014-15)		3,759	12.3% 30,632
Average route length (in miles, 2014-15)		12	20
Light vehicles (pickups, van, and cars)		116	8.8% 1,315
Snow removal trucks		122	12.5% 974
Average # Snow & Ice events (2011-15)		37	34
Average snow accumulation (# of inches, 2011-15)		45.4	57.3
Material Use (five-year average; FY 11-15)			
Rock salt (tons)		37,330	15.9% 235,288
Liquid salt brine (gallons)		540,982	21.8% 2,478,289
Sand usage (tons; includes sand/salt mix)		8,379	17.2% 48,840
Salt/Sand storage capacity (tons)		35,014	10.4% 337,458
Fuel usage all types (gallons) CY 2015		528,534	12.8% 4,130,305
District Items of Note			
Amish Buggy Way Transportation Operations Command Center Ports: Red Wing, Winona			