

MINNESOTA

(MN)

Capital:

St. Paul

Population:

5,657,342

32nd State

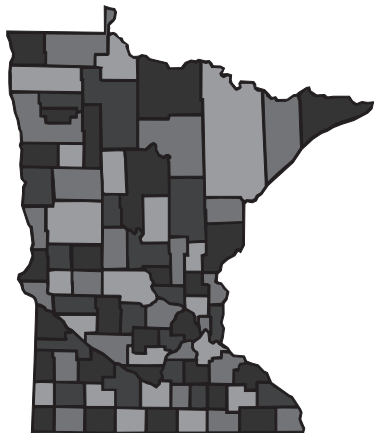
May 11, 1858

Governor:

Tim Walz (Dem.)

Motto:

The North Star



Nicknames: North Star State and Land of 10,000 Lakes

Flower: Lady Slipper

Tree: Red Pine

Bird: Common Loon

Major Industries: Hogs, Oats, Wind Power and Biosciences

Bordering States: Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin and Canada