



Minneapolis/Plymouth, Minnesota

Community Profile

INTRODUCTION

This community profile was created by the UAW-Chrysler National Training Center to help acquaint you with the Minneapolis Metropolitan area. It's designed to make your transition to the communities of Minneapolis/Plymouth as easy as possible.

Each section provides information about the essential services you'll need to be familiar with when you relocate, and some of the attractions that make Minneapolis special. Although the profile includes many telephone numbers, Web sites and addresses, we recommend that for more detailed information you consult both the white and yellow pages directories for the Minneapolis/Plymouth area. Local libraries have these directories, and access to them is free. Please note that all telephone numbers in this directory are in the 763 area code unless shown otherwise.

Recent changes in our economy are affecting many people. Many people have lost jobs or having to transfer or relocate to other places for employment. If you have recently found yourself in this situation, this information is for you and your family.

Unexpected job changes can become unsettling to say the least, however, it is not the end of the world. In addition to financial gains, employment gives us a sense of purpose and is a part of our identity.

Talk to Your Family

Transferring/Relocation is tough on the whole family. Your spouse and children may feel left out and helpless. Talk out your problems and plan together. Explain your situation to them and include them in developing your plans to deal with it.

It helps to give each family member some positive steps that they can take. Pull together , share the steps that need to be taken and draw strength from one another.

Your Best Resource Is Your Union

Your union representative, Community Services Committee, Local United Way Community Services Labor Liaison and EAP Representatives have the information on assistance programs and services available in your community.

As you go through the process of continuing your employment through transferring and having to relocate, you may need help. This information offers resources for you to use during your journey.

This directory list general information for UAW members who are impacted by the transfer or relocation to the Minneapolis area. Please be aware that the programs and services may vary from surrounding areas.

The mission of this directory is to provide resource information for individuals and families. Listings and descriptions of the information in this directory do not imply endorsements nor does exclusion imply withheld endorsement by the UAW-Chrysler National Training Center. Readers should evaluate organizations, programs and services before relying on them.

EAP Representative Dan Manuel
Benefits Representative Michael Pelzek



Minneapolis PDC
UAW Local 125

UAW Chairman	Joe Marrin
UAW Vice-Chair / Committee Person	Loren Lee
UAW Committee Person	Patty Ruedebusch
UAW Benefits Representative	Mike Pelzek
UAW EAP / Attendance Representative	Dan Manuel
UAW Health & Safety Representative	Dave Carlson
UAW NTC Facilitator	Lisa Yarke
UAW PQI Facilitator	Kevin Mandler

Minneapolis Safety Statement

In an effort to provide a safe, clean environment, we have established a safety policy to maintain the Minneapolis PDC with the highest regard to the safety and health of all its employees and visitors.



When visiting, please be advised that this is a non-smoking environment.

Note the evacuation drawings posted throughout the facility. In case of emergency, please locate the nearest emergency exit and evacuate the building.

Tornado shelters are marked and located in all restrooms.

While touring the warehouse, exercise caution and be aware of motorized vehicles.

The in plant emergency phone number is extension 575

No open toed shoes are allowed in the warehouse.

Individuals, whose job requires the use of mobile communication devices, must stop in a safe place (away from PIV traffic) before and while using their mobile communication device.

The Minneapolis PDC

- Built in 1965
- Expanded in 1970
- Number of hourly UAW employees 45
- Number of office employees 6
- 2 shift operation (multiple starting times)
- Square footage 150,000
- Annex square footage 50,000
- Sales \$111,514,000
- 40,000 part numbers
- Number of Routes 13
- 298 Dealers serviced
- \$5, 300,000 Inventory
- Inventory turns over 8 times per year
- Excel - DDS Carrier
- Inbound Lines 4000 per week
- Outbound Lines 35,000 per week
- Serving MN,WI,ND,SD,IA,NEand MI (upper peninsula)
- DView Warehouse Management System
- Lean Operating Principles



Chrysler LLC

Minneapolis PDC

13005 Highway 55
Plymouth, MN 55441
(763) 553-2502
(763) 553-2586 Fax



MINNEAPOLIS PDC

Mopar Parts Quality Policy

It is the policy of Mopar to drive continuous improvement in the process of having the RIGHT PART, at the RIGHT PLACE, at the RIGHT TIME.



Training



In the summer of 2005 the Minneapolis PDC set up a specialized training facility for all of its employees training needs. With its modern training capabilities, employees are trained on Health & Safety Issues, Hazmat and DOT requirements as well as the latest warehouse management systems, which include Dview and the Lean Process.

MOPAR ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY





PDC Manager – Rolf “Pete” Peterson

Operations Manager -Ken Hembre

UAW Local 125 Chairman – Joe Marrin

UAW Local 125 Vice Chairman – Loren Lee

The History of Chrysler LLC

Walter P. Chrysler started the company in 1925 from the Maxwell Motor Company. In 1928 the Plymouth brand is launched and Chrysler acquires Dodge Brothers, Inc. In 1929 Chrysler joins the "big Three". 1936 Chrysler output reaches a million vehicles per year. 1949-famed designer Virgil Exner joins Chrysler. 1951 Chrysler engineers design the famous "Hemi" V8 engine. 1954 Lee Petty drives a Hemi-powered Chrysler to seven wins in NASCAR racing. 1955 Chrysler introduces the "letter series" cars. 1987 Chrysler acquires AMC. 1992 Chrysler introduces the Dodge VIPER. 1996 Chrysler introduces the Plymouth Prowler. 1998 Chrysler introduces the Chrysler LHS and 300M and agrees to combine their business with Daimler-Benz. 2007 Cerberus acquires 80.1% equity interest in the new company Chrysler Holding LLC; Daimler AG retains 19.9%

SAFETY **QUALITY**

DELIVERY

COST **MORALE**

ENVIRONMENTAL



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National Recognition: Money Magazine Names Plymouth Best Place to Live



For years, lots of people have thought life is good in Plymouth - and now a lot more people are in on the secret. When Money magazine unveiled its annual 2008 -2009 Best Places to Live list, Plymouth was ranked number one among the top 100 cities.

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- [Vicksburg Crossing](#), the Plymouth Housing and Redevelopment Authority's new senior apartment building; and
- Many other areas of interest to Plymouth residents.

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[Mas vale prevenir que lamentar. \(Spanish\)](#)

[Noloshu waxay ku jirtaa ammaanka. \(Somali\)](#)

[Public Safety Information \(Russian\)](#)



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3400 Plymouth Blvd.
Plymouth, MN 55447-1482
Main Switchboard: 763-...
TDD: 763-509-5065
Fax (General Offices):
76...
Job Line: 763-509-5072
web@ci.plymouth.mn.us

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[Air pollution advisory issued for the metro area for Jan. 27 and 28](#) (1/28)

[Minneapolis seeks public input on bicycle sharing program](#) (1/27)

[Fire Department honors Minneapolis police officers who helped save 21 lives](#) (1/27)



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Report issues online and a customer service agent will address them.

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