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<u>Name of City</u>	<u>Population *</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Per Capita</u>
EDEN PRAIRIE	49,287	7,705,365	\$156
WAYZATA	4,099	618,163	\$151
CHASKA	14,817	2,003,655	\$135
MINNEAPOLIS	362,090	48,324,000	\$133
PINE CITY	2,789	369,178	\$132
DULUTH	85,225	11,135,650	\$131
DELANO	3,274	423,649	\$129
MOUNTAIN IRON	3,336	431,061	\$129
BELLE PLAINE	3,411	439,842	\$129
MELROSE	2,741	351,746	\$128
ELY	3,891	497,091	\$128
OAK PARK HEIGHTS	4,033	507,902	\$126
MONTICELLO	6,749	837,906	\$124
AFTON	2,899	353,434	\$122
INTERNATIONAL FALLS	7,751	940,874	\$121
JACKSON	3,546	428,101	\$121
SHOREWOOD	6,955	807,892	\$116
PARK RAPIDS	3,020	348,436	\$115
GRANITE FALLS	3,081	355,076	\$115
ROSEMOUNT	12,772	1,440,733	\$113
BAYPORT	3,134	352,766	\$113
MINNETRISTA	4,000	442,275	\$111
CAMBRIDGE	5,337	586,944	\$110
GRAND RAPIDS	8,434	911,427	\$108
NEWPORT	3,713	390,415	\$105
PROCTOR	3,023	313,790	\$104
JORDAN	3,142	318,790	\$101
LITCHFIELD	6,278	634,525	\$101
ORONO	7,671	764,875	\$100
FARMINGTON	9,763	972,838	\$100
BENSON	3,319	327,740	\$99
ST. PAUL	269,636	26,388,055	\$98
ALEXANDRIA	8,405	817,981	\$97
CROOKSTON	8,116	780,700	\$96
SHAKOPEE	15,311	1,470,113	\$96
TWO HARBORS	3,565	340,276	\$95
BRECKENRIDGE	3,714	350,657	\$94
REDWOOD FALLS	5,197	489,412	\$94
DEEPHAVEN	3,695	347,116	\$94
OSSEO	2,625	242,186	\$92

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MAHTOMEDI	7,097	653,923	\$92
EVELETH	3,983	362,505	\$91
NEW ULM	14,001	1,269,374	\$91
GLENWOOD	2,630	238,242	\$91
BLOOMINGTON	87,370	7,908,179	\$91
MEDINA	3,800	343,579	\$90
PRINCETON	3,900	349,271	\$90
MARSHALL	12,542	1,121,215	\$89
PLAINVIEW	2,927	261,111	\$89
OTSEGO	6,448	573,677	\$89
LAKE CITY	4,544	403,482	\$89
RED WING	15,792	1,401,343	\$89
HUGO	5,820	515,171	\$89
STAPLES	2,999	260,485	\$87
NORTH BRANCH	6,079	525,298	\$86
BLUE EARTH	3,697	319,301	\$86
PRIOR LAKE	14,319	1,234,084	\$86
DAYTON	5,122	438,897	\$86
NEW PRAGUE	4,152	354,770	\$85
OLIVIA	2,613	219,769	\$84
CALEDONIA	2,957	247,699	\$84
BEMIDJI	11,682	968,906	\$83
GLENCOE	5,247	433,910	\$83
GOLDEN VALLEY	20,986	1,724,512	\$82
CHISHOLM	5,141	417,384	\$81
NORTHFIELD	16,051	1,296,242	\$81
LAKE ELMO	6,328	510,744	\$81
MINNETONKA	52,176	4,194,305	\$80
STILLWATER	16,069	1,286,850	\$80
NORWOOD-YOUNG AMERICA	2,981	238,650	\$80
HOPKINS	16,559	1,311,596	\$79
WORTHINGTON	10,461	827,957	\$79
CANNON FALLS	3,557	276,302	\$78
MAPLEWOOD	34,771	2,693,633	\$77
SAUK CENTRE	3,828	295,193	\$77
WACONIA	4,898	377,204	\$77
FRIDLEY	28,419	2,164,722	\$76
FERGUS FALLS	13,217	1,004,013	\$76
BAXTER	5,021	380,011	\$76
MONTEVIDEO	5,516	411,594	\$75

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COLUMBIA HEIGHTS	18,699	1,391,358	\$74
INDEPENDENCE	3,145	233,075	\$74
WILLMAR	18,831	1,391,167	\$74
NEW BRIGHTON	22,768	1,675,480	\$74
MOORHEAD	33,812	2,480,316	\$73
WASECA	8,740	639,870	\$73
SLEEPY EYE	3,726	272,179	\$73
HUTCHINSON	12,710	924,297	\$73
EAST GRAND FORKS	9,048	656,396	\$73
LONG PRAIRIE	2,837	204,701	\$72
OAKDALE	25,419	1,825,282	\$72
MENDOTA HEIGHTS	10,991	785,217	\$71
OAK GROVE	6,436	457,378	\$71
MOUNDS VIEW	12,854	913,203	\$71
ST. PAUL PARK	5,024	355,070	\$71
ROBBINSDALE	14,179	999,194	\$70
CHANHASSEN	16,917	1,181,036	\$70
MAPLE GROVE	46,181	3,210,018	\$70
MORRIS	5,739	398,333	\$69
MOUND	9,742	674,246	\$69
DETROIT LAKES	7,316	505,249	\$69
ELK RIVER	14,667	1,010,307	\$69
EAGAN	59,021	3,986,537	\$68
SPRING LAKE PARK	7,061	471,871	\$67
LE SUEUR	3,848	255,265	\$66
PIPESTONE	4,522	299,619	\$66
LAUDERDALE	2,716	176,195	\$65
HERMANTOWN	7,182	465,508	\$65
LA CRESCENT	4,632	297,393	\$64
ST. CLOUD	59,202	3,789,373	\$64
ST. ANTHONY	8,425	538,612	\$64
ST. LOUIS PARK	43,967	2,808,004	\$64
HIBBING	17,783	1,127,344	\$63
DILWORTH	3,006	190,542	\$63
MORA	2,999	189,000	\$63
CLOQUET	11,180	701,966	\$63
GOODVIEW	3,280	205,174	\$63
WINDOM	4,591	284,168	\$62
FALCON HEIGHTS	5,389	332,063	\$62
LUVERNE	4,625	284,640	\$62

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FOREST LAKE	6,691	410,638	\$61
WINONA	26,683	1,637,227	\$61
THIEF RIVER FALLS	8,333	510,177	\$61
BIG LAKE	4,349	265,596	\$61
BUFFALO	9,324	568,390	\$61
BROOKLYN PARK	62,499	3,788,647	\$61
COTTAGE GROVE	30,094	1,802,190	\$60
LINO LAKES	14,560	860,319	\$59
ROSEVILLE	34,194	2,009,795	\$59
ROCKFORD	3,252	190,577	\$59
SAVAGE	16,002	937,161	\$59
LITTLE FALLS	7,653	440,149	\$58
HASTINGS	17,268	987,739	\$57
KASSON	4,211	240,201	\$57
CRYSTAL	23,651	1,341,120	\$57
NORTH OAKS	3,798	215,122	\$57
WEST ST. PAUL	19,496	1,103,508	\$57
NORTH MANKATO	11,680	660,330	\$57
NEW HOPE	21,658	1,222,740	\$56
BROOKLYN CENTER	28,515	1,590,187	\$56
ARDEN HILLS	9,692	529,055	\$55
ALBERT LEA	18,009	981,316	\$54
ANOKA	17,831	964,165	\$54
VIRGINIA	9,126	483,110	\$53
BURNSVILLE	57,578	3,040,520	\$53
ST. PETER	9,788	515,680	\$53
BRAINERD	13,160	690,472	\$52
FAIRMONT	11,339	592,756	\$52
INVER GROVE HEIGHTS	27,917	1,458,097	\$52
VADNAIS HEIGHTS	13,069	679,793	\$52
ST. MICHAEL	7,262	377,657	\$52
PLYMOUTH	61,620	3,161,077	\$51
SOUTH ST. PAUL	20,284	1,039,002	\$51
CHAMPLIN	20,307	1,034,203	\$51
ST. JAMES	4,436	225,198	\$51
CORCORAN	5,698	288,858	\$51
ANDOVER	22,369	1,126,883	\$50
FARIBAULT	19,016	955,439	\$50
RAMSEY	17,372	866,061	\$50
SAUK RAPIDS	9,458	469,955	\$50

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WADENA	4,267	211,544	\$50
RICHFIELD	34,470	1,706,508	\$50
CIRCLE PINES	4,772	235,075	\$49
WOODBURY	35,720	1,753,720	\$49
BLAINE	43,847	2,118,819	\$48
OWATONNA	20,920	1,010,253	\$48
ST. JOSEPH	4,475	215,471	\$48
MANKATO	31,850	1,524,839	\$48
EDINA	47,113	2,247,040	\$48
SHOREVIEW	26,378	1,240,136	\$47
ST. CHARLES	3,036	142,075	\$47
APPLE VALLEY	42,617	1,925,297	\$45
AUSTIN	22,008	990,224	\$45
WHITE BEAR LAKE	26,152	1,137,507	\$43
ROCHESTER	78,276	3,333,404	\$43
HAM LAKE	11,567	480,437	\$42
SARTELL	8,077	317,064	\$39
WAITE PARK	6,087	231,157	\$38
LITTLE CANADA	9,564	357,471	\$37
STEWARTVILLE	5,111	189,388	\$37
COON RAPIDS	61,260	2,266,043	\$37
LAKEVILLE	37,303	1,366,308	\$37
NORTH ST. PAUL	12,780	443,086	\$35
EAST BETHEL	9,723	299,939	\$31
GRANT	4,118	118,821	\$29
Average for Cities Over 2,500 in Population	3,323,487	260,087,120	\$78

* Source: "1997 City and Township Population Estimates", State Demographic Center.