

PLANT CLOSINGS/MASS LAYOFFS – JANUARY – DECEMBER 2016

Layoff Name	City	Industry	Layoff Start	Layoff Status	WARN Act	TAA Related	Affected Workers	Layoff Count
RR Start Date: December 2016 (14 records)							1,335	14
General Mills 2017	Golden Valley	Manufacturing	12/5/2016	New Project	NO	YES	100	
Getinge 2016	Rush City	Manufacturing	7/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	13	
Globe University 2016	Woodbury	Education	12/5/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	50	
H.B. Fuller 2017	Vadnais Heights	Manufacturing	12/9/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	35	
Hennepin County Medical Center (HCMC) 2017	Minneapolis	Health Care/Social Assist	1/16/2017	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	131	
Macy's Nicollet Mall	Minneapolis	Retail	1/27/2017	New Project	YES	NO	379	
Medtronic 2016 - Columbia Heights	Columbia Heights	Manufacturing	9/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	70	
New Partners Teleservice 2016- Eveleth	Eveleth	Admin & Support Services	11/9/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	66	
New Partners Teleservice 2016- Melrose	Melrose	Other Services	11/9/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	23	
Pentair 2016	Anoka	Manufacturing	9/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	10	
Radisson Bloomington Hotel 2017	Bloomington	Accommodation	1/31/2017	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	250	
Seagate Techonlogy 2017	Shakopee	Manufacturing	12/8/2016	New Project	NO	YES	151	
Weather-Rite 2017	Minneapolis	Manufacturing	12/20/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	42	
Wells Fargo 2017	Minneapolis	Finance & Insurance	12/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	15	

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RR Start Date: November 2016 (15 records)

							817	15
Boston Scientific 2016	Arden Hills	Manufacturing	7/6/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	16	
Elite Line Services 2017	St Paul	Accommodation	1/31/2017	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	86	
Frontier Communications 2016	Burnsville	Information	11/15/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	39	
Greatbatch Medical 2017	Plymouth	Manufacturing	2/15/2017	Suspend/Hold	NO	YES	0	
Hutchinson Technology 2016 2nd Layoff	Hutchinson	Manufacturing	11/1/2016	Existing Project	NO	NO	80	
Imperial Plastics 2016	Mankato	Manufacturing	11/29/2016	New Project	YES	YES	86	
Lakeville Motor Express 2016	Roseville	-	11/21/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	101	
Larson Boats 2016	Little Falls	Manufacturing	11/10/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	140	
LSI 2016	Mendota Heights	Wholesale	12/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	12	
Minnesota Industries	Chisholm	Other Services	11/2/2015	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	4	
MN DFL 2016	St Paul	Government	11/15/2016	New Project	NO	NO	70	
MN Senate DFL 2016	St Paul	Government	11/22/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	100	
Molex Copper 2017	St Paul	-	6/15/2017	New Project	NO	NO	76	
RC Fabricators 2016	Hibbing	Manufacturing	1/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	7	
Thomson Reuters 2016	Eagan	Information	11/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	

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RR Start Date: October 2016 (3 records)

							129	3
Enbridge Energy 2016	Duluth	Transportation	10/19/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	25	
Logic PD Closing April 2017	Montevideo	Manufacturing	1/9/2017	New Project	NO	YES	74	
PTC 2016	Blaine	Professional Services	12/12/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	30	

RR Start Date: September 2016 (13 records)

							821	13
Best Buyl..... 2016	Richfield	Retail	6/30/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	45	
Century Link 2016	St Paul	Other Services	10/3/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	1	
Goodwill-Easter 2016	St Paul	Other Services	9/21/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	68	
IBM 2016	Rochester	Manufacturing	8/17/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	3	
ITT Technical College 2016	Eden Prairie	Education	9/7/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	100	
Kmart Moorhead 2016	Moorhead	Retail	9/20/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	30	
Kmart - West St Paul 2016	West St Paul	Retail	9/20/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	30	
McNeilus Truck and Manufacturing 2016	Dodge Center	Manufacturing	10/3/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	111	
PSSI Minneapolis 2016	Minneapolis	Waste Management	9/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	8	
Regency Beauty Corp 2016	St Louis Park	Education	10/12/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	169	

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Silgan Containers 2016	Savage	-	11/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	119	
Stepp Manufacturing 2016	North Branch	Manufacturing	9/29/2016	Aversion/Retention	NO	NO	40	
Taylor Communication 2016	North Mankato	Manufacturing	11/14/2016	New Project	YES	NO	97	
RR Start Date: August 2016 (14 records)							874	14
ARYZTA	Chaska	Manufacturing	8/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	31	
Budget Lighting 2016	Hopkins	Retail	8/15/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	33	
Canadian Pacific 2016	Minneapolis	Transportation	4/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	20	
HERE North America 2016	Chicago	Information	8/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	39	
Integra 2016	Golden Valley	Information	8/4/2016	New Project	YES	NO	70	
Magnetation-remaining sites 2016	Grand Rapids	Mining/Oil & Gas Extraction	10/25/2016	Existing Project	YES	YES	198	
MAPE USA 2016	Cambridge	Manufacturing	2/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	24	
Medtronic 2016-Fridley	Fridley	Manufacturing	8/26/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	0	
Northern Industrial Erectors 2016	Grand Rapids	Construction	3/1/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	300	
Office Depot/Max 2016	Boca Raton	Retail	6/3/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	19	
Ruby Tuesday, multi Restaurants.	Maryville	Dining Establishments	8/19/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	50	
Seagate Technology 2016 - Shakopee	Shakopee	Manufacturing	6/15/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	70	

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Sears - Eden Prairie	Eden Prairie	Retail	10/3/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0
Xccent Medical 2016	Wyoming	Manufacturing	8/30/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	20

RR Start Date: July 2016 (5 records)

							125	5
Honeywell-Aerospace-Mpls 2016	Minneapolis	Manufacturing	7/20/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
NCS Pearson 2016	Bloomington	Information	3/3/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	50	
ODC 2016	Thief River Falls	Admin & Support Services	7/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	40	
Polar Tank Corp II Opole, MN	Holdingford	Manufacturing	7/13/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	35	
SmartThings 2016	Minneapolis	Manufacturing	7/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	

RR Start Date: June 2016 (6 records)

							179	6
Community School of Excellence 2016	St Paul	Education	6/13/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	52	
Hunt Electric-Northern 2016	Duluth	Construction	10/5/2015	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	20	
Parsons Electric 2015-16	Fridley	Professional Services	10/3/2015	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	45	
Sodexo-Rochester	Rochester	Dining Establishments	1/14/2017	Aversion/Retention	NO	NO	0	
Sonic Innovations Inc 2016	Eagan	Manufacturing	8/23/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	62	
Whirl Air Flow 2016	Big Lake	Manufacturing	6/20/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	

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							256	13
Barr Engineering 2016	Hibbing	Professional Services	5/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	0	
Blaine Aeropostale 2016	Blaine	Retail	5/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	10	
Compucom 2016	Minneapolis	Professional Services	9/30/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	28	
Coon Rapids Aeropostale 2016	Coon Rapids	Retail	5/4/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	7	
Emerson Process Management 2016	Eden Prairie	Manufacturing	4/17/2015	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	26	
Maplewood Aeropostale 2016	Maplewood	Retail	5/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	6	
Mesabi Academy 2016	Buhl	-	5/19/2016	New Project	YES	NO	120	
Minneapolis Public Schools 2016	Minneapolis	Education	5/4/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	23	
MSU 2016	Mankato	Education	8/8/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	15	
Quadion 2016	Plymouth	Manufacturing	5/24/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	0	
Sports Authority - Rochester	Rochester	Retail	5/2/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	14	
TSA/Sports Authority	Englewood	Retail	-	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
Woodbury Aeropostale 2016	Woodbury	Retail	5/4/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	7	

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							1,046	14
Anoka Hennepin School District 2016	Anoka	Education	3/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	196	
Cardiovascular Systems Inc. 2016	New Brighton	Manufacturing	4/4/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
Honeywell MN 2016	Golden Valley	Manufacturing	4/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	10	
Jasper Engineering 2016	Hibbing	Manufacturing	-	Aversion/Retention	NO	YES	0	
Merrill Corp. 2016	St Cloud	Manufacturing	7/31/2016	New Project	YES	NO	103	
Nelson Global/Cambridge Metals &Plastic	Cambridge	Manufacturing	4/13/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	43	
Packaging Corp of America - Fridley	Minneapolis	Manufacturing	4/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	30	
Parker Hannifin 2016	Deerwood	Manufacturing	4/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	31	
Petro Choice 2015	Chisholm	Manufacturing	-	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	0	
Pioneer Finishing Minneapolis 2016	New Hope	Manufacturing	5/9/2016	Aversion/Retention	NO	NO	0	
Ramada 2016	Bloomington	Accommodation	4/5/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	110	
Sandvik 2016	Brooklyn Center	Manufacturing	4/21/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	95	
Sodexo St Cloud 2016	St Cloud	Manufacturing	4/26/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	284	
Wells Concrete Products - Maple Grove 2016	Albany	Manufacturing	4/12/2016	New Project	YES	NO	144	

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							481	13
Aramark Education Services Marshall 2016	Marshall	Dining Establishments	3/28/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	30	
Astora Women's Health	Eden Prairie	Health Care/Social Assist	3/3/2016	New Project	YES	NO	86	
CJ Duffey Paper Company 2016	Minneapolis	Wholesale	4/14/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
Dyno Nobel 2016	Biwabik	Manufacturing	3/11/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	13	
Hancock Fabrics 2016	Baldwyn	Retail	3/2/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
Hutchinson Technology Inc. 2016	Hutchinson	Manufacturing	3/4/2016	New Project	YES	YES	86	
McKesson-Golden Valley Layoff	Golden Valley	Health Care/Social Assist	4/15/2016	Existing Project	YES	NO	180	
QBE 2016	Eden Prairie	Finance & Insurance	3/9/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	5	
Range Steel Fabricators 2016	Hibbing	Manufacturing	3/15/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	3	
Rembrandt - Renville	Renville	Agriculture	3/23/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	46	
SLMTI	Montevideo	Manufacturing	-	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	0	
Upsher Smith 2016	Maple Grove	Manufacturing	3/2/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	20	
Ziegler Inc- 2016	Buhl	Retail	3/11/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	12	

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							643	23
American Family Insurance Medalia	Medalia	Finance & Insurance	2/12/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	4	
Best Buy Co Inc 2016	Richfield	Retail	3/25/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
Culligan Water Conditioning, Medalia	Medalia	Utilities	2/12/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	7	
Cummins Power 2016	Fridley	Manufacturing	3/24/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	33	
Edmonton Trailer Sartell 2016	Sartell	Manufacturing	2/19/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	26	
El Progresso Market, Medalia	Medalia	Retail	2/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	2	
EZ Medical Wraps Medalia	Medalia	Retail	2/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	1	
Ferrara Candy Co. 2016	Winona	Manufacturing	2/29/2016	New Project	YES	NO	255	
Hope & Faith Floral & Gifts	Medalia	Other Services	2/12/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	2	
Industrial Lubricant 2016	Grand Rapids	Wholesale	2/4/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	12	
Kays Upholstery, Medalia	Medalia	Professional Services	2/12/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	2	
Lunds & Byerlys	St Paul	Retail	2/17/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	65	
Minact 2016	Jackson	Professional Services	2/23/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0	
Old Country Buffet 2016	Eagan	Dining Establishments	2/5/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	50	

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Paideia Academy Closing	Apple Valley	Education	3/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	43
Periscope 2016	Minneapolis	Professional Services	3/22/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	15
Plaza Moreno Restaurant Medalia	Madelia	Retail	2/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	10
Polar Tank 2016	Holdingford	Manufacturing	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	33
Reed Gethmann DDS	Madelia	Health Care/Social Assist	2/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	1
Russ Davis Produce 2016	Wadena	Warehousing	2/19/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	39
Taconite Harbor 2016	Schroeder	Professional Services	-	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	0
Teresa Veona Salon	Madelia	Retail	2/16/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	3
Wells Fargo Home Mortgage 2016	St Louis Park	Finance & Insurance	2/23/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	40

RR Start Date: January 2016 (30 records)

							1,093	30
Baldwin Supply 2015	Hibbing	Wholesale	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	5	
Bard Medical 2016	Stewartville	Manufacturing	1/13/2016	New Project	YES	YES	287	
Champion Charter 2016	Hibbing	-	1/14/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	4	
Essar Steel 2016	Hibbing	Mining/Oil & Gas Extraction	1/14/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	60	
Furin & Shea 2016	Hibbing	Manufacturing	1/6/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	11	

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Gerdau 2016	St Paul	Manufacturing	1/13/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	11
GSSC 2015	Bloomington	Other Services	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	14
Hydralift/NOV 2016	St Paul	Manufacturing	1/19/2016	New Project	YES	YES	85
IraCore 2016	Hibbing	Manufacturing	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	10
Jamar 2016	Duluth	Construction	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	50
K Building Components	Hibbing	Construction	1/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	2
Kmart Virginia 2016	Virginia	Retail	2/4/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	NO	45
Lakehead Constructors 2016	Virginia	Construction	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	200
Magnetation Plant 4-2016	Grand Rapids	Mining/Oil & Gas Extraction	2/24/2016	Existing Project	YES	YES	20
Malton Electric 2016	Virginia	-	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	4
McKesson 2016 - Little Canada	Little Canada	Health Care/Social Assist	1/19/2016	New Project	YES	NO	74
ME Global 2015	Duluth	Manufacturing	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	39
Motion Industries 2016	Mountain Iron	Manufacturing	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	2
Nelson Williams Linings 2016	Mountain Iron	Manufacturing	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	10
Noramco Engineering 2016	Hibbing	Professional Services	1/20/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	7
Polaris Industries - Medina 2016	Medina	Manufacturing	1/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	YES	NO	56

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Primary Sensors & Controls 2016	Hibbing	Mining/Oil & Gas Extraction	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	1
Rapid Process Equipment 2015	Cohasset	Other Services	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	2
Schawk 2016	Minneapolis	Professional Services	1/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	3
Schwartz Redi Mix 2016	La Prairie	Retail	1/27/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	28
Tritec 2015	Virginia	Manufacturing	1/6/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	15
VanHouse Construction 2016	Silver Bay	Construction	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	30
Viking Explosives 2016	Hibbing	Manufacturing	1/5/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	2
WP & RS Mars 2016	Hibbing	Retail	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	3
Zup's 2016	Ely	Retail	2/29/2016	Small Layoff Services	NO	YES	13

Grand Totals (163 records)

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*** The Plant Closings/Mass Layoffs Report is a summary of the activities on which the State Rapid Response Team (SRRT) started working in that month. The reports are run at the beginning of the month for the previous month's activities.

** The Layoff Start is our best guess based on information obtained from the employer, media or individual workers who have contacted the state.

* The number of Affected Workers is our best guess based on information we obtained from the employer, media or individual workers. It may not reflect the actual number of affected workers from a given dislocation event.

Layoff Status: Please refer to terms below for further clarification of Layoff Status:

- **Needs Assessment:** The SRRT has become aware of the possibility of a layoff or closing and is working to uncover more details (i.e., size, timing, location(s), and point of contact).
- **Aversion/Retention:** Company sought out opportunities to be proactive and avert or minimize layoffs and retain employees.
- **Existing Project:** There is a current Dislocated Worker (DW) grant in place for a specific company. That company has another wave of layoffs and we decided to bundle that new round of layoffs into the existing DW grant.
- **New Project:** A company-specific grant set up to help workers affected by mass layoffs or closings, typically affecting 50 or more workers.
- **Small Layoff Services:** Workers interested in enrolling in DW can go to any of the state's Workforce Centers or independent service providers. .
- **Suspend/Hold:** The layoff/closure is on hold or has been suspended.