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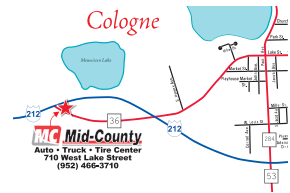
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The Resident's Guide is a compilation of valuable information — one source for local services, names, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses. Keep it handy; use it often.

Our apologies in advance for omissions or for changes that occur after publication. The challenge in publishing this Resident's Guide is not only collecting accurate and important information, but keeping that information current in one of the Twin Cities' fastest-growing areas.

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Carver: Preserving the past, preparing for continued growth

The oldest city in Carver County, Carver's first settler arrived in 1852 and began developing a village. Surveyed and platted in 1857, Carver Township was reorganized in 1859 at the time of statehood and the village was incorporated in 1877.

Carver's core city is on the National Register of Historic Places. It was the first Minnesota city to have a district, rather than individual buildings, so designated. Almost 100 buildings and structures have been designated on the Register, including a stone arch bridge and a wooden railroad tower. It has the most concentrated number of architecturally distinguished buildings in Carver County.

During the early settlement years, particularly before railroad lines were built, the steamboat was an important transportation link to Carver. In recognition of that role, Carver celebrates its heritage with an annual Steamboat Days community festival on the first weekend after Labor Day in September.

Like other Carver County cities, Carver is experiencing significant residential growth. Development activities now occurring or that are in the planning stages have the potential to again double the community's population within the next five to 10 years.

As Carver welcomes hundreds of new people to its community each year, the city is working hard to maintain its small town flavor. Unique businesses line its main street, and residents and visitors alike can't help but enjoy this historic community.



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The mayor and four council members serve as the city council. The position of mayor is elected at large (citywide) every four years. Council members are elected to four-year terms. Two council seats are up for election in each even-numbered year. Council members are elected at large.

Meetings

Carver City Council

Council chambers are in the Church by the River, 109 Main St. E.

Council meets on the first and third Mondays at 6:30 p.m.

Carver Planning Commission

Council chambers, 109 Main St. E. 6:30 p.m.

Meets on the fourth Tuesday.



Dottie Michel and Butch Krohn of Carver, with dogs Bailey and Mack, at the Carver Fun Run.

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Lawn Watering

Homes or businesses with addresses ending in odd numbers (1, 3, 5, etc.) may water the lawn on odd-numbered calendar days; addresses ending in even numbers (0, 2, 4, etc.) may water on even-numbered calendar days. The odd-even schedule is in effect year-round. No lawn watering is permitted between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. A 30-day permit to water newly seeded or sodded lawns is available at City Hall.

City Park Use/Vehicles in City Parks

City parks are closed and must be vacated between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m., unless the user has a prior written permit from the City of Carver authorizing use during that time. No motor vehicle — other than maintenance vehicles operated by the City of Carver personnel or contractors working on its behalf — may be operated in any city park.

Recreational Fires

Recreational fires (used for recreational, ceremonial, food preparation or social purposes) are allowed if they burn no more than three feet in diameter and three feet in height; use dry, clean wood; produce little detectable smoke, odor or soot beyond the property line; be extinguished completely; and respect weather conditions, neighbors, burning bans and air quality so that nuisance, health or safety hazards will not be created. Recreational fires shall not be located closer than 25 feet to any structure.

Snowmobiles

No person shall operated a snowmobile upon any public street, alley, lot, lake or stream within the city between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m. There are exceptions to this ordinance — call City Hall for details.

Snowbound Restrictions/Snowbound Vehicles

It is unlawful to park any vehicle or other object on public streets or alleys any time two inches or more of snow has accumulated (whether due to new snow or drifting/blowing of snow. Due to the limited number of available parking spaces on 3rd Street, "No Parking" restrictions are enforced from 5 to 10 a.m. when two inches or more of snow has accumulated.

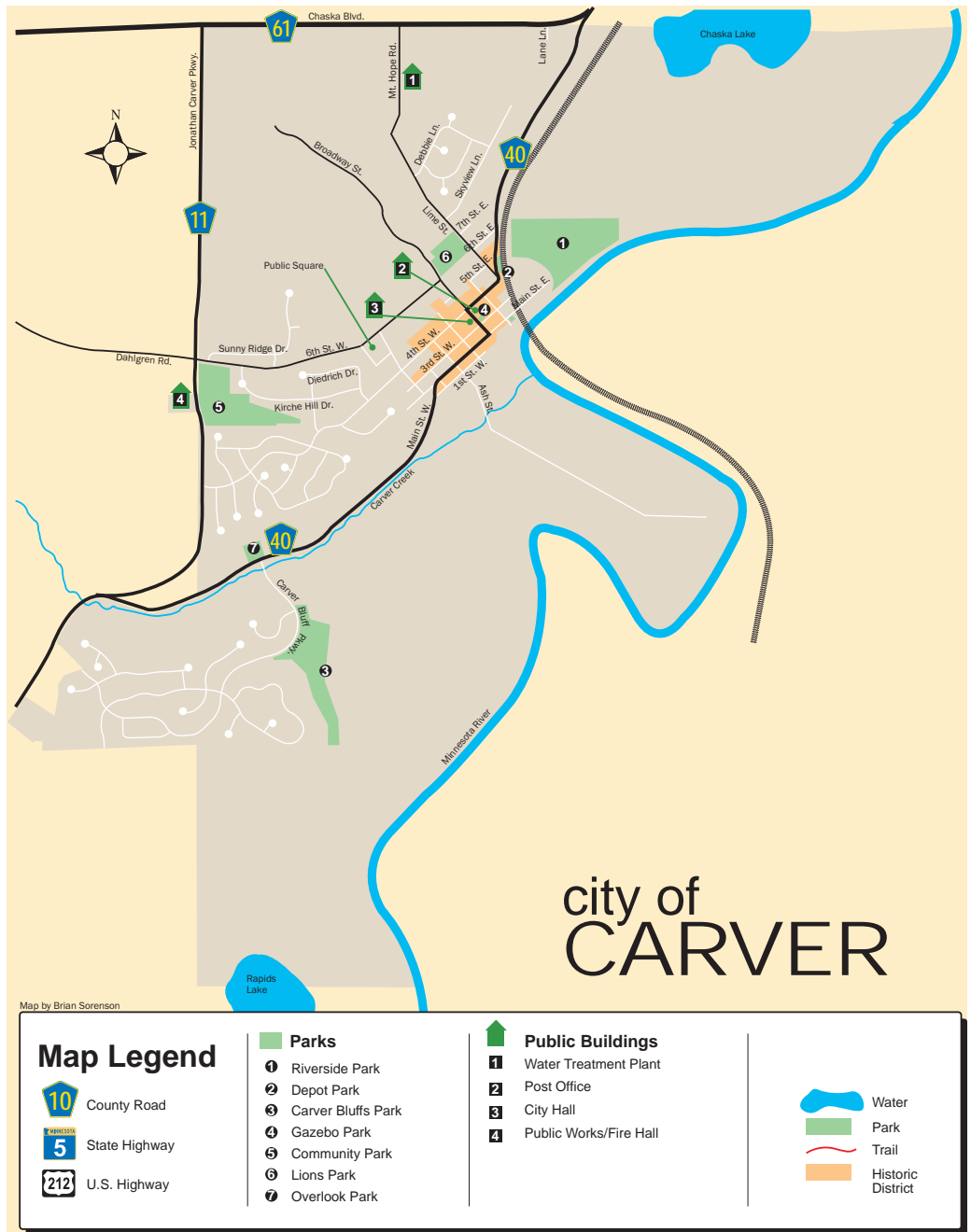
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Dog Licenses

Dogs and cats that live within the city limits must be licensed. Licenses are renewed annually on May 1. Proof of rabies vaccination is required to receive a cat/dog tag. The license fee is \$10 per animal. Residents with more than three animals of one species are required to apply for a kennel license. Pets are not permitted to roam at large. Dogs are allowed in the City of Carver parks (except on ballfields), but only if they are kept on a leash and if owners clean up after their pets. Animal control questions should be directed to City Hall.

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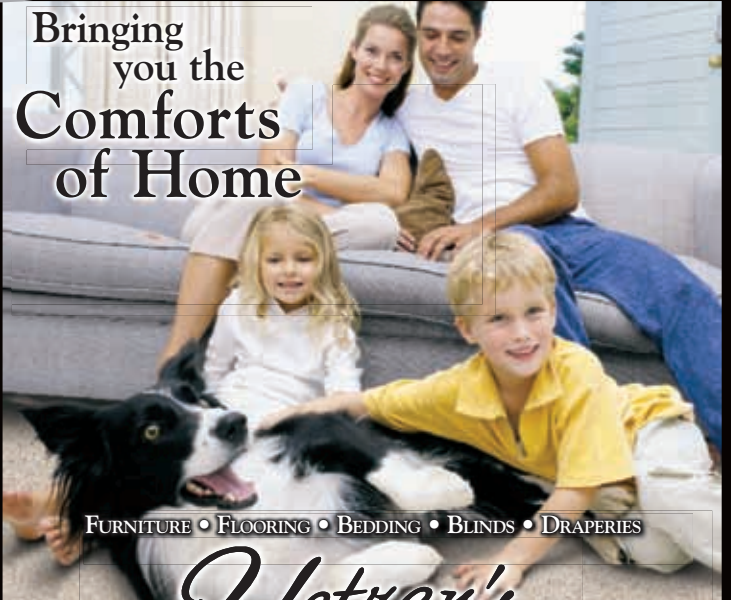
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Many long-time residents are direct descendents of the Village founders, and, more than 125 years later, several of these families have continued to make their homes in and near Cologne. Through the years, the city has also welcomed many new residents — today, more than 1,200 people call Cologne home. New developments will continue to bring additional residential, as well as retail and commercial, growth to Cologne during the next decade.

With this growth comes the opportunity to honor the community's past while preparing for the future, a future filled with new faces and places that will become Cologne. City leaders, volunteers, residents and businesses are committed to preserving the community's heritage and retaining the unique small-town qualities that have been, and will continue to be, important to Cologne.

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Cologne Planning Commission

Meets on the first Monday at Cologne City Hall at 6 p.m.

Cologne Park Board

Meets on the first Wednesday at Cologne City Hall at 7 p.m.

Cologne Fire Department

Cologne and parts of the surrounding rural area are served by a volunteer fire department. The department is in need of additional members to help serve the growing community.

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City Ordinances

Note: Following is an overview of some of the City of Cologne ordinances about which residents most often have questions. For a complete copy of these ordinances or for information about all City of Cologne ordinances, license and permit requirements,



Map by Brian Sorenson

Map Legend

- County Road
- State Highway
- U.S. Highway
- Water
- Park
- Trail



Cologne City Council, from left (back row): Bernie Shambour, Scott Williams, Don Meyer; (front row): Jill Skaaland, Mayor Barbara Swanson.

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- Depositing garbage or refuse, including grass clippings and leaves, on the public right of way other than placing garbage out for collection.
- Allowing a well, hole, open ditch or other excavation to remain uncovered.

Lawn Sprinkling

Watering is allowed between the hours of 5 p.m. and 10 a.m. as follows:
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Winter Parking Restrictions

Cologne prohibits parking of any vehicle on public streets or alleys — including overnight parking — when two or more inches of snow have accumulated. Once the streets are cleared, street and alley parking may resume.

Outside Storage of Recreational Equipment

No more than two of the following may be stored outside of a house or garage in residential districts: boat (must be on a trailer); camper; motor home; snowmobile (up to two are allowed and count as one if both are stored on the same trailer); personal watercraft (up to two are allowed and count as one if both are stored on one trailer); motorcycle; and trailer. Storage means leaving the object outside for more than 24 continuous hours. Storage must occur on a bituminous, concrete or gravel driveway.

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Weed Control

Any noxious weeds are a public nuisance and must be cut and removed. If weeds are not removed and non-removal continues after the city has given seven days written notice, the city (its agents or employees) may enter the property to cut or remove such weeds at the cost and expense of the owner, lessee or occupant.

City Parks

- Hours: 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.
- Loud and disturbing behavior is prohibited.
- Animals must be on a leash.
- Motorized vehicles are allowed only on designated roads and trails. The speed limit is 10 mph.
- No parking of vehicles is allowed in the city parks between the hours of 2 and 6 a.m.
- Alcohol — No person shall transport, possess, offer for sale or consume any alcoholic beverages except those permitted by the City Council.

Licenses & Permits

Building Permits/Utility Sheds

Permits are required for new construction (including utility sheds), remodeling, re-roofing, re-siding, excavating, etc., and must be obtained from the City of Cologne before any work begins. Call City Hall at 952-466-2064.

Fences

Permits are required for all fences. The height of any fence constructed in city limits cannot exceed three feet in the front or side yard.

Dog/Cat Licenses

Dogs, cats and all pets that live within the city limits must be licensed. Tags are purchased at the City of Cologne and licenses are renewed in March of each year (license effective from March through February). Fees: \$10 if not spayed or neutered; \$5 if spayed or neutered. Licenses

are limited to two animals (dogs/cats). Kennel licenses are required for more than two animals (over six months of age). Animals cannot run at large.

Peddlers

A permit is required for any door-to-door solicitation and peddling.

Sump Pumps

Sump pumps are required for buildings constructed after July 2001. Sump pumps cannot be discharged into the sanitary sewer system.

Cologne Community Center

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 E-mail..... dhemze@co.carver.mn.us

Population

Carver County is a fast growing county and has been for several years. More people are choosing to live in Carver County than ever before. If current trends continue, Carver County is projected to have a population of 194,730 by the year 2030 — that's more than double the current population estimate of 86,000.

Year	Population
1980	37,046
1990	47,915
2000	70,205
Metropolitan Council Estimates	
2002	75,620
2003	78,960
2004	81,618
2005	84,284
2006	86,236

Sources: Metropolitan Council, U.S. Census

Elected Officials

County Board of Commissioners

The Carver County Board of Commissioners is composed of five members, each of whom is elected from a geographic district. Terms are four years and they are staggered. The County Board meets every Tuesday at 9 a.m., with the exception of the fifth Tuesday of the month when there is no Board meeting. Meetings are held in the County Board Room, 2nd floor Human Services Building.

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- Tim Lynch, 4th District**
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The new Highway 212 opened to Carver in July. Pictured at the ribbon-cutting are (left to right): Bob Lindall, city councilor and Southwest Corridor Transportation Coalition president; Dwayne Wilson, Industrial & Infrastructure Group Fluor president; Thomas Sorel, MnDOT commissioner; Lt. Gov. Carol Molnau; Chaska Mayor Gary Van Eyll; Carver County Commissioner Jim Ische; and Scott Risley, ZRC project manager.

Other Officials

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 Office952-361-1400
- Mark Lundgren, Division Director,
 Property Records and Taxpayer Services**
 Office952-361-1905
 E-mail mlundgren@co.carver.mn.us
- Carl "Kelly" Hanson, Jr., Property Records Manager**
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 E-mail khanson@co.carver.mn.us
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 Office952-361-1204
 E-mail bolson@co.carver.mn.us
- Tom Kerber, Investment Manager**
 Office952-361-1984

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- Administration**952-361-1510
- Commissioners**.....952-361-1510
- Assessor**952-361-1960
 E-mail ajohnson@co.carver.mn.us
- Taxpayer Services**952-361-1910
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- Information Services**.....952-361-1550
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 602 4th St. E., Chaska952-361-1600
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Emergency Services	952-361-1528
E-mail	..kcarlson@co.carver.mn.us
Encore: Carver County Adult Day Services	952-442-7660
Environmental Services	952-361-1800
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Facilities	952-361-1512
E-mail	..bdarnell@co.carver.mn.us
Highway Department	952-466-5200
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555 W. 1st St., Waconia	952-442-4234
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License Center	952-361-1900
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First Street Center	952-442-4437
Parks	952-466-5250
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TIP Line	952-361-1224
Civil Process	952-361-1267
Jail Division	952-361-1278
Surveyor	952-361-1014
U of M Extension – Carver County	952-466-5300
E-mail	..mnext-carver@umn.edu
Veterans Services	952-442-2323
E-mail	..vetservice@co.carver.mn.us

Libraries

Carver County Library System

4 City Hall Plaza, Chaska	952-448-9395
Fax	952-448-9392
Web site	www.carverlib.org

The Carver County Library System has facilities in Chanhassen, Chaska, Waconia, Watertown and Norwood Young America. The Chanhassen facility serves as the countywide reference library. Carver County Library System is a member of the Metropolitan Library Service Agency (MELSA), which provides cooperative services between the seven county metropolitan area with over a hundred libraries. Library customers may borrow and return items to any public library in the area.

Chaska Public Library

3 City Hall Plaza, Chaska	952-448-3886
24-hour automated renewal	952-279-5244

Chanhassen Library

7711 Kerber Blvd., Chanhassen	952-227-1500
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Norwood Young America Library

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Waconia Library

101 Elm St. S., Waconia	952-442-4714
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Watertown Library

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Historical Research

Carver County Historical Society

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Chaska Historical Society

112 4th St. W., Chaska	952-448-6077
Web site	www.chaskahistory.org

Law Library

Carver County Law Library

600 4th St. E., Chaska	952-361-156
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Utilities

Before You Dig

Gopher State One Call	651-454-0002
Web site	www.gopherstateonecall.org

Electricity

Minnesota Valley Electric Cooperative

Electric outage	952-492-8255
Web site	www.mvec.net

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Web site	www.xcelenergy.com

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Recycling — General

Carver County Environmental Center
 116 Peavey Circle, Chaska..... 952-361-1835

Household Items

CAP Agency Thrift Shop..... 952-402-9878

Salvation Army 612-332-5855

Goodwill

1210 Shakopee Town Square, Shakopee 952-233-8897

Goodwill Store

1025 Hill St., Hopkins 952-935-2760

Carver County Environmental Center 952-361-1835

Compost Sites

Leaves and grass clippings cannot be thrown into the garbage. They must be handled separately, either in a backyard compost pile or at a special site. Privately operated compost sites, which charge for their services, includes:

RRT Process Solutions

Hwy. 169 at County Rd. 14, Shakopee 952-445-2139

Tree Waste Sites

Eklund Tree Service

4220 County Rd. 10, Watertown 952-955-1136

Household Hazardous Waste

Disposal Information

Carver County Environmental Center 952-361-1835

MN Pollution Control Agency 651-296-6300

Household hazardous waste must be disposed of properly to avoid endangering health and contaminating ground water. These wastes include: solvents, household cleaners, pesticides, paint, wood preservatives, aerosols, batteries, automotive oil and antifreeze. The best way to handle the waste—except those that are banned—is to use it or give it to someone who will. If these options are not available to you, please contact the county for collection information. Sellers of automotive products may take used automotive wastes, perhaps for a fee. Check before bringing the waste in.

Metropolitan Council

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Fax 651-602-1464

Regional Data Center (Info., reports) 651-602-1140

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E-mail data.center@metc.state.mn.us

Peter Bell, Council Chairman 651-602-1453

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The Metropolitan Council is the regional planning organization for the seven-county Twin Cities area. The council advocates for vital communities and a competitive region. It runs the regional bus system, collects and treats wastewater and manages water resources preservation, plans regional parks and administers funds that provide housing opportunities for low- and moderate-income individuals and families.

The council serves the metropolitan counties of Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott and Washington. The region encompasses 189 cities and townships and a population of 2.6 million. It is divided into 16 districts. The governor appoints a representative for each, as well as the council chairperson.

The council's Web site provides information about the region and regional services. The Data Center has current data on aviation, demographics, the economy, housing, land use, parks and open space, transportation, and water quality and supply. Forecasts of population, employment and households are available, as are city and township data,

regional plans and water resources, and transportation information. Visit www.metrocouncil.org or contact the data center via e-mail at data.center@metc.state.mn.us.

District 4

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Watersheds

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Carver County Water Resource Management Area

Paul Moline, Watershed Administrator 952-361-1825

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Web site www.co.carver.mn.us/water

Carver County is the watershed authority for Bevens, Carver, Pioneer, East Chaska and West Chaska Creeks and the Crow River.

Lower Minnesota River Watershed District

Terry Schwalbe, administrator 952-227-1037

Fax 952-227-1039

E-mail info@watersheddistrict.org

Web site www.watersheddistrict.org

Meetings are the third Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Chaska City Hall, 1 City Hall Plaza, Chaska.

Elections

Voter registration

You must be registered to vote — it can be done up to 20 days before the election date or at your polling place with proper verification of your residence. If you have changed your name or address since registering, you must complete a new registration card. By registering prior to election day, your name and address will appear on the polling place roster.

An individual may register any time before the 20th day preceding any election, on election day at the polling locations or when submitting an absentee ballot. Registration cards are available at the Carver County Government Center. If you changed your address, you may register to vote when you change your driver's license. To register on election day you must have a State of Minnesota recognized identification showing your present address on it.

Poll Locations

Primary & General Elections

Carver

Carver City Hall 316 Broadway, Carver

Cologne

Louis Hall 110 W. Louis St., Cologne

Benton Township

Benton Town Hall 13235 County Rd. 51, Norwood Young America

Dahlgren Township

Dahlgren Town Hall Call 952-448-5219.

Hancock Township

Hancock Town Hall 16610 Otis Ave., Norwood Young America

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Laketown Town Hall 9530 Laketown Rd., Chaska

San Francisco Township

San Francisco Town Hall 17380 Homestead Rd., Carver

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Minnesota

Agencies

MN Department of Employment and Economic Development Minnesota WorkForce Center

752 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee 952-445-7087
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Carver County Workforce Service Center

HS Bldg., 602 E. 4th St., Chaska..... 952-361-1711

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219 Frontage Rd. E., Waconia 952-442-5101

Soil & Water Conservation Service (SWCD)

219 Frontage Rd. E., Waconia 952-442-5101

Legislature

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Independent School District 112 is a rapidly growing school system currently serving approximately 8,700 students in Chaska, Chanhassen, Carver and Victoria. The district includes a Kindergarten Center, seven elementary schools (1-5), two middle schools (6-8), a 9th grade center and a high school (10-12). All-day kindergarten is available in four elementary schools. A second high school, located in Chanhassen, is currently under construction and scheduled to open in the fall of 2009.

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Frank Heiland, of rural Cologne, has delivered pumpkins to Cologne and Waconia for the past eight years. He is posing with his 1953 Allis Chalmers tractor, used to haul the pumpkins.

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Frequently Called Numbers/Facilities

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 655 7th St. S.W., P.O. Box 367, Norwood Young America 952-467-7300
 Bob Iverson, Principal 952-467-7301
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School District 716

District 716 Offices

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School board meetings are conducted once a month. Workshop meetings are held on the 2nd Monday as needed, and business meetings are held on the 4th Monday of the month at 6 p.m. Meetings are held in the District Center at 130 S. Willow St.

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Lt. Gov. Carol Molnau was back in her hometown of Cologne for the grand opening of the Cologne Academy in August. The charter school serves grades K-5, with a goal of ultimately being a K-8 school. Behind Molnau, left to right, are Shawn Hogan, director of the academy; and academy board members Becca Rausenberger and Scott Pelletier.



Kelsey Allen and Josh Sutherland, are students in the Passages program at the Carver-Scott Educational Cooperative.

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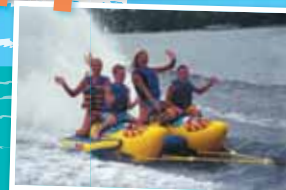
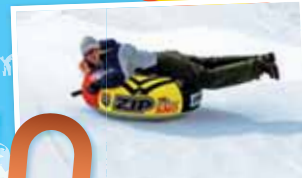


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Key: Preschool (P), Child Care Center (C), School Age (S)

Alphabet Junction (P, C)
 1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska (also has site in Waconia)..... 952-227-7754

Christ Victorious Preschool
 9860 Shady Oak Dr., Chaska 952-443-2993 ext. 225

District 110 Kids Company (S) 952-442-0610

District 112 Preschools (P)
 11 Peavey Rd., Chaska..... 952-556-6224

District 112 School Age Care Programs (S)
 Registration information or program questions 952-556-6212

Bluff Creek Elementary Club Care
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 7600 Laredo Dr., Chanhassen

Chaska Elementary Club Care
 1800 Chestnut St., Chaska

Clover Ridge Elementary Club Care
 114000 Hundertmark Rd., Chaska

East Union Elementary Club Care
 15655 County Rd. 43, Carver

Jonathan Elementary Club Care
 110300 Pioneer Tr. W., Chaska

Kindergarten Center Club Care
 110600 Village Rd., Chaska

Victoria Elementary Club Care
 9300 Red Fox Dr., Victoria

Extreme Kids (S)
 Chaska Community Center, 1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska... 952-448-3176, ext. 7742

Fit & Fun Preschool & Daycare (P, C)
 1141 Cardinal St., Chaska 952-361-4223

Jonathan Montessori House of Children (P)
 112050 Hundertmark Rd., Chaska..... 952-448-5232

Kurious Kids & Kids Co. (District 108) (P, S)
 Norwood Young America (also has Cologne preschool site) 952-467-7391

Ladybug Childcare Center (P, C, S)
 306 Lake Hazeltine Dr., Chaska 952-448-7202

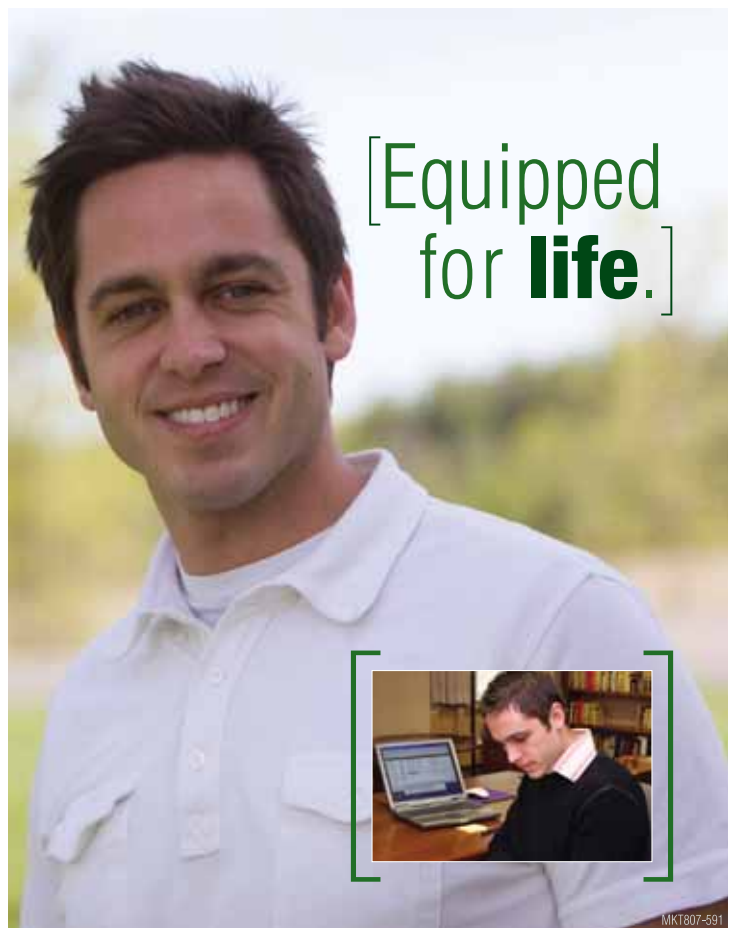
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Patty's Playhouse (C)
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More than 225 people enjoyed an afternoon of baseball, food, games, prize drawings and community fun at the first-ever “Fill the Hill” event in Cologne in June.

- Step by Step Montessori School of Chaska (P, C, S)**
 1485 White Oaks Dr., Chaska952-368-4456
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 Chaska Community Center, 1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska....952-448-2009
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Parks

Carver City Parks

There are six Carver City Parks located throughout the community, including: Bluff Park (multi-use field, covered shelter, picnic tables, restrooms, electrical outlet and paved parking); Gazebo Park (downtown gazebo, benches); Community Park (softball and baseball fields, covered shelter with picnic tables and restrooms, electrical outlet, grill available upon request, batting cages, two playgrounds, paved parking lot); Depot Park (covered picnic tables, grills, caboose next to historic railroad water tower); Lions (park shelter, ballfield, playground equipment, electrical outlets); Overlook Park (scenic view). Walking trails throughout the city. Contact the Park and Recreation Department for information about park shelter rental, activities and programs at 952-448-2290, ext. 2.

Cologne City Parks

Cologne has six city parks: Marion Fields (baseball/softball fields, playground equipment); Meadow Park (new play structure, basketball hoops); VFW Park (playground equipment, tennis courts, covered shelter, picnic tables); Fritz Field (baseball fields, outdoor stadium seats, picnic tables, restrooms, City Square Park under water tower); Lions Park (baseball/softball field, play equipment, restrooms, kitchen, covered shelter with picnic tables, electrical); Village at Cologne Park (playground equipment). Call the City of Cologne at 952-466-2064 for more information.

Regional Parks

- Carver County Parks**.....952-466-5250
 Web site.....www.co.carver.mn.us/parks
 Carver Parks operates the following regional parks:

Baylor Regional Park

- Co. Rd. 33 (Off Hwy. 5), Norwood Young America952-466-5250

A 200-acre park, Baylor is also home to the Onan Observatory operated by the Minnesota Astronomical Society. The Observatory has several telescopes for public viewing at scheduled events. Additional facilities at Baylor include campgrounds, a beach, fishing pier, playgrounds, restrooms, picnic shelters and trails.

Lake Minnewashta Regional Park

- Hwy. 41, Chanhassen.....952-466-5250

Lake Minnewashta is a 350-acre park with a boat launch, picnic shelters, swimming beach with lifeguards, creative children’s play structure, hiking trails, cross country skiing, volleyball courts, restrooms and fishing pier.

Lake Waconia Regional Park

- Off Hwy. 5, east of Waconia952-466-5250

This recently expanded park and beach area has a children’s play area, picnic grounds, picnic shelter and restrooms. A large sliding hill, featuring an 80-foot plunge, offers sledding enthusiasts a scenic view of Lake Waconia and Coney Island.

- Three Rivers Park District**763-559-9000

Web site.....www.threeriversparkdistrict.org

Three Rivers operates the following:

Carver Park Reserve

- 7025 Victoria Dr., Victoria763-559-6700
 Lake Auburn Campground reservations.....763-694-7650
 Lowry Nature Center.....763-694-7650

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Wildlife Refuge

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3815 American Blvd., E., Bloomington.....952-854-5900

Education and Visitor Center

15865 Carver Highlands Dr., Carver

Web site www.fws.gov/midwest/Minnesotavalley

Made up of eight separate units, the 14,000-acre Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge runs from Bloomington to Jordan, along both sides of the Minnesota River. Nearby Chaska, Rapids Lake and Louisville Swamp Units combine to provide 4,700 acres of outdoor opportunities such as hiking, bicycling, cross-country skiing, wildlife observation and photography as posted on Refuge interpretive signs.

Recreation

City of Carver Recreation Programs

801 Jonathan Carver Parkway (County Rd. 11), Carver 952-448-2290, ext. 2
 Web site www.cityofcarver.com

The City of Carver has a full-time athletic director who coordinates recreation programs for residents of all ages and who schedules the use of city fields, shelters and other facilities. The City of Carver also offers recreation programs for youth, adults and seniors.

Cologne Community Center

1211 S. Village Parkway, P.O. Box 120, Cologne 952-466-2064

Web site www.ci.cologne.mn.us

This community gathering facility includes a multi-use gym (with seating up to 350), 24/7 fitness center, council chambers, kitchen, meeting rooms and more.

Chaska Community Center

1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska 952-448-5633

Web site www.chaskacommunitycenter.com

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Safari Island Community Center
1600 Community Dr., Waconia 952-442-0695
Web site www.safariisland.net/

Safari Island has zero-depth swimming pool, an elevated walking path, fitness center, gyms, preschool "ball" play area, meeting rooms and more.

Area Golf Courses

- Bluff Creek**
1025 Creekwood, Chanhassen 952-445-5685
- Chaska Par 30**
1207 Hazeltine Blvd., Chaska..... 952-448-7454
- Chaska Town Course**
3000 Town Course Dr., Chaska 952-443-3748
- Dahlgreen Golf Club**
6940 Dahlgren Rd., Chaska 952-448-7463
- Deer Run Golf Club**
8661 Deer Run Dr., Victoria..... 952-443-2351
- Hazeltine National Golf Club (Private)**
1900 Hazeltine Blvd., Chaska..... 952-448-4500
- Island View Golf Club**
7795 County Rd. 30, Waconia 952-442-2956
- Ridges at Sand Creek**
21775 Ridges Dr., Jordan 952-492-2644
- Stonebrooke Golf Club**
2693 County Rd. 79, Shakopee..... 952-496-3171
- Valley View Golf Club**
23795 Laredo, Belle Plaine 952-873-4653

Swimming Pools

- Chaska Community Center (also has splash pad)**
1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska 952-448-5633
- Safari Island Community Center**
1600 Community Dr., Waconia 952-442-0695
- West Carver Pool (outdoor)**
501 Reform St., Norwood Young America 952-467-1888

Campgrounds

- Baylor Park**
10775 County Rd. 33, Norwood Young America 952-466-5250
- Carver Park Reserve**
7025 Victoria Dr., Victoria..... 763-559-9000
- Dakotah Meadows**
2341 Park Pl., Prior Lake..... 1-800-653-CAMP or 952-445-8800
- Fish Lake Acres Campground**
3000 210th St. E., Prior Lake 952-492-3393
- Minneapolis S.W. KOA**
3315 166th St. W., Jordan 952-492-6440
- MN Valley Trail State Park/Rec Area**
19825 Park Blvd., Jordan..... 952-492-6400
- Shakopee Valley RV Park**
1245 Bluff Ave. E., Shakopee 952-445-7313
- Town & Country Campground**
12630 Boone Ave. S., Savage 952-445-1756
- Will's Riverview RV Park**
1705 3rd Ave. W., Shakopee..... 952-445-5323

Sports

Adult Sports/Recreation

The Chaska Park and Recreation Department coordinates adult athletic leagues for Chaska and Carver-area residents. Call Parks and Recreation at 952-448-3176 for more information about league play. For information about adult athletic leagues in the Cologne area, call District

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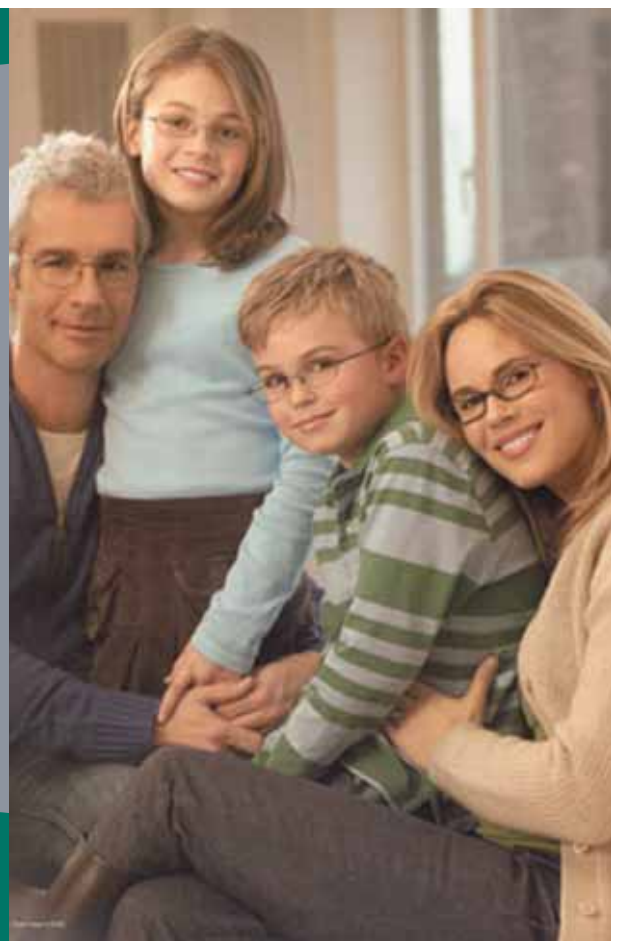
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108 Community Education at 952-467-7390. In Waconia, call the Parks & Recreation Department at 952-442-5802.

Additional Adult Sports

Baseball

Carver Black Sox Baseball

Michael Sparrow 952-556-0172

Chaska Cubs Baseball

Web site www.chaskacubs.com

Cologne Hollanders

Jason Kuerschner 1-320-864-5798

Cycling - Cycling Club

Mike Ludvik 952-448-9911

Running

Renegade Running Club

Web site www.renegaderunclub.com

Snowmobiling

Carver County Snow Runners

Duane Schrupp 952-467-3905

Chaska Sno Hawks

Mark LaBaw 952-448-6295

Youth Sports/Recreation

There are number of recreational activities and programs available to Carver and Cologne-area youth. For information, contact:

Chaska Parks and Recreation

1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska 952-448-5633

District 108 (Central Schools) Community Education

Norwood Young America 952-467-7390

District 110 (Waconia Schools) Community Education

516 Industrial Blvd., Waconia 952-442-0610

Waconia Parks & Recreation

201 Vine St., Waconia 952-442-5802

Carver Youth Baseball

Jane Thon 952-492-2907

Chaska Area Football Association

Web site www.chaskafootball.com

Chaska Area Youth Basketball Association

Web site www.caybba.com

Chaska Area Youth Volleyball Association

Web site www.cayva.org

Chaska Community Hockey Association

Kelli Mark

Web site www.chaskahockey.org

Chaska Area Youth Baseball Association

Mike Mattson www.chaskaareayouthbaseball.com

Chaska Figure Skating Club

Vicki Shurson 952-906-0815

Web site www.chaskafsc.com

Chaska Gymnastics

Martha Althus 952-448-5633, ext. 7757

Chaska School of Dance

Mary Pieper 952-873-6781

Chaska Stallions Wrestling Club

Web site <http://www.eteamz.com/chaska-chanwrestling/>

Chaska Youth Softball Association

Laura Passe www.eteamz.com/chaska/

CC United Soccer Club

Neil Wartenburg www.ccunitedsoccer.com

C3 Hawks Youth Lacrosse Association

Web site www.hawksyouthlacrosse.org

Waconia Wrestling Club

D.J. Teeselink 952-442-6202

Web site www.waconiawrestling.com

West Express Swim Team

Web site www.westexpress.ussswim.net

Senior Citizens

Throughout this guide there are many programs and activities open to all area residents, including senior citizens. This list, however, is a reminder of some specific programs senior citizens may need or use.

Programs

AARP - American Association of Retired Persons

Information Center-Mall of America 952-858-9040

CAP Agency

Ask for Senior Programs 952-496-2125

Carver County Social Services 952-361-1600

Immunizations for Seniors (Carver County) 952-361-1329

MN Senior Federation

1885 University Ave. W., St. Paul 651-645-0261

Canadian Drug Re-importation Program Ext. 124

RSVP - Retired & Senior Volunteer Program 612-617-7833

Senior Companion (Carver County) 952-361-1722

Senior Linkage Line 1-800-333-2433

Senior Life Transitions 952-239-9631

Social Security Administration 1-800-772-1213

See also CAP Agency programs.

Services

The Lodge (at the Chaska Community Center)

1661 Park Ridge Dr., Chaska 952-448-5633

Located next to the Community Center is The Lodge, which opened in 2007 to serve Active Older Adults (AOA) ages 55 and older. The Lodge is designed with areas that encourage socializing, and also includes a kitchen, multi-purpose room, library/computer kiosk, pool table, an enclosed deck overlooking the Minnesota River Valley, an outdoor terrace and garden and more.

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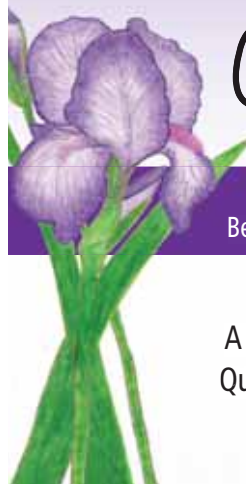
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- River Gables**
110 E. 1st St., Chaska 952-448-9201
- Talheim Apartments**
407 Oak St., Chaska 952-361-0310
- Waybury Apartments**
110340 Geske Rd., Chaska 952-448-5022
- Centennial Hills**
820 Santa Vera Dr., Chanhassen 952-474-4060
- SummerWood of Chanhassen**
525 Lake Dr., Chanhassen 952-975-9955
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16355 Wagner Way, Eden Prairie 952-949-0804
- Summit Place**
8625 Flying Cloud Dr., Eden Prairie 952-914-1000
- Schule Haus**
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- Peace Villa Apartments**
308 Faxon Rd., Norwood Young America 952-467-3692
- 200 Levee Drive Apartments**
200 Levee Dr., Shakopee 952-445-2001
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205 1st Ave. E., Shakopee 952-445-5107
- Crossings, The**
200 S. Olive St., Waconia 952-442-8232
- Evergreen Apartments**
100 W. 3rd St., Waconia 952-442-5276
- Westview Acres Apartments**
433 5th St. W., Waconia 952-442-5459
- Assisted Living/Memory Care**
Auburn Courts
501 Oak St. N., Chaska 952-448-9303
- Carric Cottages**
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- SummerWood of Chanhassen**
525 Lake Dr., Chanhassen 952-975-9955
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- Becky's Place**
6391 Duck Lake Rd., Eden Prairie 952-906-9181



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Summit Place	
8625 Flying Cloud Dr., Eden Prairie	952-914-1000
Valleyview Assisted Living/Memory Care Unit	
4061 W. 173rd St., Jordan	952-492-6160
Sunrise Assisted Living of Minnetonka	
18605 Old Excelsior Rd., Minnetonka.....	952-474-9155
Peace Village	
300 N. Faxon Rd., Norwood Young America	952-467-3692
Emerald Crest of Shakopee	
1855 10th Ave. W., Shakopee	952-233-8811
The Gardens at St. Gertrude’s	
1850 Sarazin St., Shakopee.....	952-233-4400
Emerald Crest of Victoria	
8150 Bavaria Rd., Victoria	952-908-2215
Victoria Care Center	
1885 Stieger Lake Ln., Victoria	952-443-2735
Lighthouse at Waconia	
500 S. Cherry St., Waconia.....	952-442-1261
Westview Acres Personal Care	
433 5th St., Waconia.....	952-442-5459
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Auburn West	
232 S. Elm St., Waconia	952-442-2546
Elim Home	
409 Jefferson Ave. S.W., Watertown.....	952-955-2691
1340 3rd Ave. W., Shakopee.....	952-445-4155
Friendship Manor Health Care Center	
1340 Third Ave. W., Shakopee	952-445-4155
St. Gertrude’s Health & Rehabilitation Center	
1850 Sarazin St., Shakopee.....	952-233-4400
Waconia Good Samaritan Center	
333 5th St. W., Waconia.....	952-442-5111



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Long-Term Care Consultations

Does assessments to determine long-term care needs. Recommends home and community based services and discusses nursing facility placement if needed. Can arrange to provide home care services for eligible persons. To learn more and make a referral for a LTCC assessment, call 952-442-7671.

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Carver County Social Services

Many social service programs are provided by government. In most cases, federal, state and local funds are administered through county agencies. The following programs — many mandated, some locally initiated — are offered by Carver County Social Services, a department of the County of Carver. Many are available only to people who meet income criteria, but others are available on a sliding fee scale, while still others are available to any county resident. The programs are separated into four categories: Social Services; Mental Health Services; Financial Assistance; and Employment/Training.

Web site www.co.carver.mn.us

I. Social Services 952-361-1600

Teen Parents

Serves pregnant teenagers and their families.

Transportation

Arranges necessary transportation for the elderly, handicapped and others through county CART bus service and individual volunteer drivers. Call 952-466-5250 to arrange transportation.

Encore: Carver County Adult Day Services

Located in Waconia, it provides adult day services for older adults who need daily support. Call 952-442-7660 for more information.

Family-Based, In-Home Services

Includes intense family therapy provided in the family’s home to prevent the out-of-home placement of one or more children, as well as teaching parenting techniques, budgeting or other skills.



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Central Intake

Provides information about, and makes referrals to, services. Determines what services are needed.

Adult Protection Services

Provides adult protection assessments and evaluates need for services. Facilitates civil commitment for persons who are mentally ill or chemically dependent and at risk of serious harm.

Children’s Services

Protects abused or neglected children. Helps strengthen families so they can stay together.

Chemical Dependency

Provides assessment, information and referral to needed services and funding for eligible persons.

Developmental Disabilities

Provides case management to persons with developmental disabilities and assists in gaining access to services and funding.

Licensing

Provides training and licensing for foster parents and day care providers.

Adoption

Does home studies for children with special needs.

II. Mental Health Services

First Street Center

540 E. 1st St., Waconia 952-442-4437
Emergency after hours 651-291-4680

First Street Center, Carver County Mental Health Program, provides individual, couples, family, and group counseling/psychotherapy, psychological testing, and psychiatric evaluation and medication management. The Community Support Program serves individuals with serious and persistent mental illness through case management, housing

support, social and recreational activities, and related supportive services.

Carver-Scott Mental Health Crisis Program

24-hour phone 952-442-7601
Mobile and telephone, in-person intervention, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

III. Financial Assistance 952-361-1600

Emergency Assistance

Emergency help to adults and families.

MFIP - General Assistance

Gives temporary help to adults and families with children in need of food, clothing and shelter.

Food Support

Provides funding to help buy food.

Medical Assistance

Helps adults and families with children who do not have money for medical care.

Minnesota Supplemental Aid

Gives financial aid to the aged, blind or disabled.

Child Support

Helps single parents collect support from their child’s non-custodial parent.

County Funeral

Provides burial expenses for the poor.

Fraud

Prevents people from obtaining assistance for which they are not eligible.

IV. Employment & Training 952-361-1711

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Summer Youth Program

Arranges summer jobs for youths, ages 14 to 21.

Senior Employment

Arranges part-time jobs for people over age 55.

Dislocated Workers

This program offers job opportunities for people who have been laid-off from their employment.

MFIP

This provides training and job placement for families receiving MFIP.

Child Care

Offers help in paying for child care.

CAP Agency

Scott-Carver-Dakota CAP Agency, Inc.
Valley Green Center for Workforce Development

712 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee 952-496-2125
110650 Village Rd., Chaska..... 952-960-9700
E-mail info@capagency.org
Web site www.capagency.org

The CAP Agency is a private, non-profit human service organization serving a three-county area. The following is a list of its services, along with a short description and the phone number for each program. To reach a program, call the number listed above, unless otherwise indicated.

Children & Family Services

Child Care Resource and Referral..... 952-496-2125

Supports the development and maintenance of high quality childcare opportunities. Assists prospective providers in establishing their business and provides ongoing information to parents, providers and the community about current and emerging trends and issues in the area of early childhood care and education.

For child care referrals, call 651-641-0332

Crisis Nursery 763-591-0100

Provides parents in crisis with short-term day and overnight childcare. Also offers parents counseling, support and referral services. Telephone calls are answered 24 hours a day.

Head Start

Provides a family-oriented child development program providing education, social services and health and nutrition services for 3- to 5-year-olds from income-eligible families. Head Start also serves children with disabilities.

Food & Nutrition Services

Food Shelf..... 952-496-2125

Offers a nutritionally balanced food package to individuals and families who do not have adequate resources to meet their nutritional needs. The Food Shelf has two locations: 712 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee and 110650 Village Rd., Chaska.

WIC (Women, Infants and Children) 952-402-9869

Provides nutrition education and food vouchers to qualifying women who are pregnant, breast-feeding or postpartum, and families with infants and children to age 5.

Meals on Wheels 952-402-9855

Provides weekday delivery of nutritious meals to homebound citizens age 60 and over. The Meals on Wheels service is available on a short-term or long-term basis.

Senior Dining 952-402-9855

Provides appetizing, nutritious meals and fellowship in a community setting, Monday-Friday, except holidays. Participants must be 60 years of age, or the spouse of a senior. A minimum contribution of \$3 per meal is suggested. Reservations are required two days in advance.

Housing & Energy Services

Energy Assistance Program

Provides eligible households with grants to help with cost of heating bills and energy-related repairs.

Homeless Prevention

Helps people who are at risk of becoming homeless to maintain current housing. Assistance includes supportive services intended to

help clients stabilize their situation and become self-reliant.

Transitional Housing

Provides homeless families and individuals with special needs safe, affordable housing for up to two years while they work toward self-reliance.

River Valley Nursing Center (RVNC)..... 952-496-8669

752 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee and 110650 Village Rd., Chaska
The RVNC assesses, educates and refers available services as a health care and community resource for community members in Scott and Carver counties.

Weatherization

Helps eligible homeowners and renters reduce their heating and cooling costs by providing insulation and caulking and making minor repairs.

Community-Based Services

Emergency Services

Provides funds for rent, prescriptions, automobile fuel, car repairs and other necessities to people in emergency situations when other options are not available. Assistance is given in the form of grants and no-interest loans.

Thrift Shop 952-402-9878

Provides a comfortable and upbeat department store atmosphere where gently used clothing and small household items can be purchased at very affordable prices. Located at 712 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee, the store is open to the public from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Saturday. Volunteers contribute their time to assist in the operation of the Thrift Shop, and all the items on the sales floor are donated.


Hope for the Holidays..... 952-496-2125

"Adopt-a-family" holiday gift sponsorship program that provides families with gifts for the December holidays. Sponsors often include businesses, civic groups, faith communities, schools and individuals.

Chore Services..... 952-496-2125

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Provides senior citizens with indoor and outdoor maintenance services to help enable older adults to continue to live independently in their own homes for as long as possible.

Getting There 651-322-3544

This program enables individuals or families to obtain low-interest bank financing to purchase affordable transportation for work. The CAP Agency accepts 100 percent tax-deductible donations of cars, trucks, vans, RVs, boats and snowmobiles in support of its vehicle program.

Help & Support

AARP – American Association of Retired Persons
Information Center – Mall of America 952-858-9040

Adoption Services for Waiting Children
Bobbie Traxler..... 952-361-1637

Alanon/Alateen
7204 W. 27th St., #101, St. Louis Park 952-920-3961
Web site www.al-anon-alateen-msp.org

Alcoholics Anonymous
7204 W. 27th St., #113, St. Louis Park 952-922-0880
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American Heart Association – Greater Twin Cities
4701 W. 77th St., Edina 952-835-3300
Web site www.americanheart.org

American Lung Association of MN
490 Concordia Ave., St. Paul, 55103..... 651-227-8014
Web site www.alamn.org

American Red Cross – Carver County
315 W. Elm St., Box 686, Norwood Young America 952-467-4449

ARC Hennepin-Carver County
2446 University Ave. W., St. Paul 952-920-0855

- Big Brothers, Big Sisters of the Greater Twin Cities Area**..... 651-789-2400
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- Birthright of Waconia**..... 952-442-4026
- Bridging, Inc.**
201 W. 87th St., Bloomington..... 952-888-1105
Web site www.bridging.org
- Blessed Bee Thrift Store**
960 E. Hwy. 212, Chaska..... 952-448-7794
- CAP Agency (see separate listing in Table of Contents)**
- Carver County Community Foundation** 952-250-5138
Web site www.carvercountyfoundation.org
- Carver County Emergency Medical Services (EMS)**
Work Group Information/Carolyn Schmidt..... 952-361-1329
- Carver County Library Volunteer Services**
Tari Clay 952-227-7609
- Carver County Mental Health Center /First Street Center**
540 E. 1st St., Waconia 952-442-4437
24-hour crisis line 952-442-7601
- Carver County Work Force Services**
602 E. 4th St., Chaska 952-361-1711
- Carver Lifelines**
Sally Beckendorf 952-467-3481
- Carver-Scott Educational Cooperative**
401 4th St. E, Chaska 952-368-8800
- Carver-Scott Humane Society**..... 952-368-3553
Web site www.carverscotths.org
- Carver-Scott Mental Health Crisis Program**
24-hour phone 952-442-7601
(See also Carver County Social Services)
- Child Care Resource & Referral**
CAP Agency, 712 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee..... 952-496-2125
Web site www.capagency.org
- Christmas in May – Chaska**..... 952-448-7715
- Chrysalis: A Center for Women**
4432 Chicago Ave., Minneapolis 612-871-0118
Web site www.chrysaliswomen.org
- Community Development Agency (CDA)**
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- Crisis Connection (24-hour counseling)** 612-379-6363
- Crisis Nursery Hotline (24-hour phone)** 763-591-0100
- First Step – Carver/Scott counties** 952-368-0160
- Five Stars Recovery Center**
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- Food Shelf (CAP Agency)** 952-496-2125
- The i’M oK Children’s Visitation Center**
551 E. Park St., Belle Plaine..... 952-873-4214
E-mail svabw@frontiernet.net
Web site www.southernvalleyalliance.org
- Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – MN Chapter**
Web site www.leukeumia.org
- Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota** 651-642-5990
Web site www.lssmn.org
- MADD – Mothers Against Drunk Driving**
Web site www.maddmn.org
- MN Problem Gambling Hotline** 1-800-333-HOPE
- MN Job Service**
MN Dept. of Employment & Economic Development
752 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee 952-445-7087
Web site www.mnworks.org
- MN Friends of the Orphans**..... 651-482-1703
Web site www.friendsoftheorphans.org
- MN Literacy Council**..... 651-645-2277
Hotline & to volunteer 1-800-225-READ
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MN Rehabilitation Services

MN Dept. of Employment & Economic Development
 752 Canterbury Rd. S., Shakopee 952-402-9804
 Web site www.deed.state.mn.us

MN Relay Service

TTY/Voice/ASCII..... 1-800-627-3529

Minnesotans for Safe Driving 952-238-0970

Web site www.minnesotansforsafedriving.com

MRCI - Mankato

5272 Valley Industrial Blvd. S., Shakopee 952-465-0455

NAMI/MN Carver County

Jan Check..... 952-470-1743

Narcotics Anonymous 952-939-3939

New Beginnings 952-368-0150

Rainbow Animal Rescue 952-440-3824

Retired Senior & Volunteer Program (RSVP) 612-617-7833

E-mail rhalloum@voamn.com

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Caregivers' Memory Loss Support Group 952-856-4702

Grief Support Group: Rebuilding Hope 952-442-2191, ext. 6190

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Breast Cancer Support Group for Women 952-442-2191, ext. 6111

Look Good, Feel Better 952-442-2191, ext. 6111

Sleep Disorders Education 952-442-2191, ext. 8080

River Ridge Treatment Center 952-936-0304

St. Francis Regional Medical Center, Shakopee

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Grief Support Group 952-403-2002

Child Loss Support Group 952-403-2402

Heart Support Group 952-403-2080

Infant Loss Support Group 952-403-2002

Look Good-Feel Better (ACS) 1-800-ACS-2345

Low Vision Support Group 952-403-2002

Smoking Cessation 1-888-354-PLAN

Women's Connection (Cancer) 952-403-2700

Scott-Carver Affordable Housing Coalition 952-496-2125

Sexual Violence Center-Carver/Scott Counties

510 Chestnut St. N., Ste. 204 Chaska 952-448-5425

Web site www.sexualviolencecenter.org

Social Security Administration 1-800-772-1213

Web site www.ssa.gov

Southwest Metro Animal Rescue and Adoption Society

Web site www.swmetroanimalrescue.org

SVABW - Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women

Mary Ann Bigaouette, Director 952-873-4214

Web site www.southernvalleyalliance.org

Tree House Youth Outreach

3740 N. Chestnut St., Chaska 952-368-2813

United Way 651-291-0211

Web site www.211unitedway.org

Veteran's Resource Center

2480 University Ave. W., St. Paul 651-644-4022

Welcome Neighbor 952-446-9000

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Health & Wellness

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Ridgeview Medical Center

500 S. Maple St. Waconia 952-442-2191

Web site www.ridgeviewmedical.org

St. Francis Regional Medical Center

1455 St. Francis Ave., Shakopee 952-403-3000

Web site www.stfrancis-shakopee.com

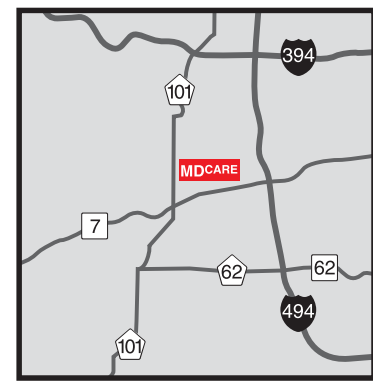
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Northland Counseling Services 7945 Stone Creek Dr., Chanhassen.....	952-974-3999
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Ridgeview Medical Center Ridgeview Physician Referral	952-442-8083
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Web site	www.chaskaareachamber.org
Chaska Sno Hawks Mark LaBaw.....	952-448-6295
Cologne Fire Relief Association	952-466-2586
District 112 Foundation District Office	952-556-6100
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League of Women Voters of Eastern Carver Co. Sally Bruggeman.....	952-448-5931
Web site	www.lwvwmn.org
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Lions International – Chaska Lions Tim O'Hara	952-448-7540
Lions International – Cologne Lions Mark Stacken.....	952-466-3349
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MN Deer Hunters Association Barb Breeggemann	952-445-4396
Web site	www.mndeerhunters.com
MN DNR Conservation Officer Jackie Glaser	952-442-6423
Web site	www.dnr.state.mn.us
MN Landscape Arboretum Auxiliary Chaska.....	952-443-1400, ext. 7052
Web site	www.arboretum.umn.edu
MN Valley National Wildlife Refuge 3815 E. American Blvd., Bloomington.....	952-854-5900
Web site	midwest.fws.gov/minnesotavalley

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MN Water Fowl Association

State office..... 763-553-2977
 Web site www.mnwaterfowl.com

National Wild Turkey Federation

Tom Redman..... 952-448-3572

Newcomers Club of the Southwest Suburbs

Web site www.NewcomersMN.com

Pheasants Forever of Carver County 877-773-2070

Web site www.pheasantsforever.org

Relay For Life

American Cancer Society..... 1-800-ACS-2345
 Web site www.cancer.org

Rotary International - Chaska

Peter Ivy..... 952-361-1403

Scott-Carver Threshers..... 952-492-2062

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David Culbert 952-944-1598

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Dean Anderson..... 952-466-3808

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Lynne John 952-446-2623
 Web site http://carver.county.freetoasthost.us/index.html

Univ. of MN Extension - Carver County..... 952-466-5300

Web site www.extension.umn.edu

V.F.W. Post 1791

620 Creek Rd., Chaska..... 952-448-4126

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Chaska Moravian Church
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Christ Victorious Lutheran Church (LCMS)
9860 Shady Oak Dr., Chaska 952-443-2993
Web site www.christvictorious.org

Cologne Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses
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1141 Cardinal St., Chaska 952-448-3230
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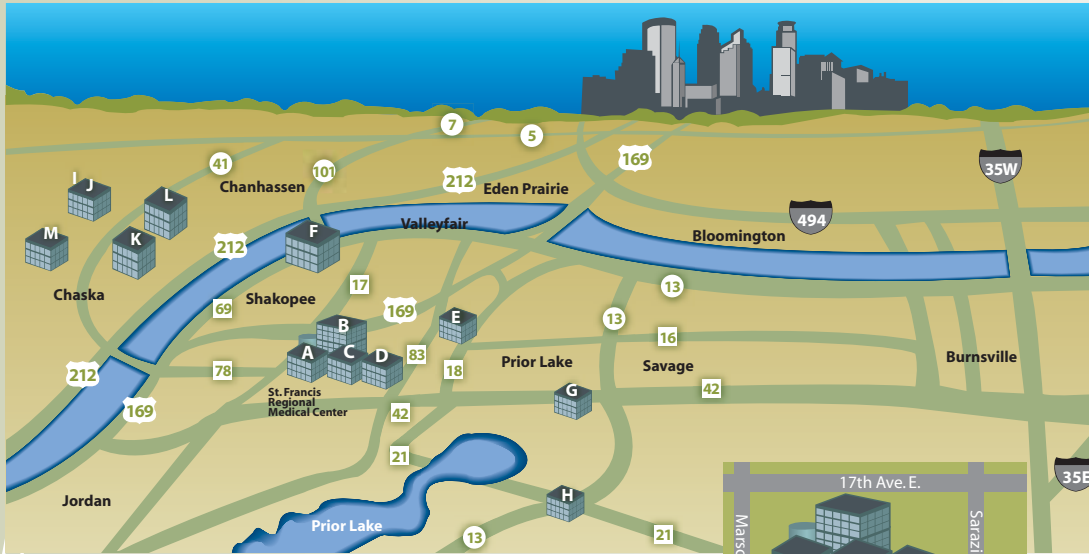


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