

# COMMUNITY RELATIONS MANAGERS

INFORMATION SHEET  
MINNESOTA

HELPING OUR BUSINESS AND COMMUNITIES WORK TOWARD  
POSITIVE OUTCOMES TOGETHER



We're strongly committed to the communities we serve and our relationship with them is of the utmost importance. Right here in Minnesota, there's a team of community relations managers whose primary purpose is to work with local governments and community leaders. Our relationship work is extensive — from negotiating franchise agreements and doing community-level outage communications, to working on complex permitting approvals and spurring growth. We're here to help advocate for positive outcomes that work well for both our company and the communities we serve.

## Here are examples of our team's involvement:

- Maintain relationships and advocate for company initiatives and policies with community stakeholders, including local elected officials
- Lead outreach to local government officials about company projects
- Spur company growth and economic development opportunities
- Facilitate complex permit approvals for company assets, including generation, transmission and distribution facilities for electric and natural gas
- Promote our products and services to both business and residential customers
- Maintain and negotiate franchise agreements with communities
- Oversee neighborhood-level outage inquiries and resolutions
- Support community events and volunteer opportunities



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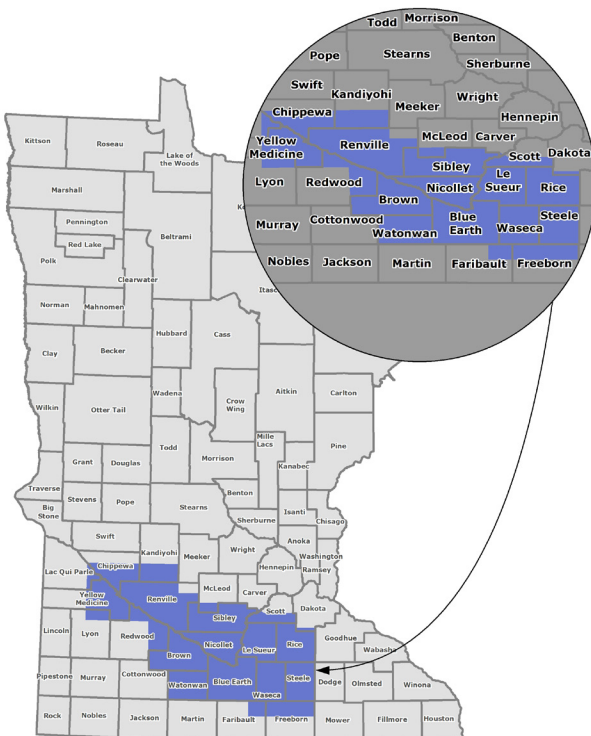
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## Major Company Assets:

- Wilmarth RDF Plant
- Cap X
- Huntley Wilmarth 345kV
- Freeborn Wind Farm



Managed cities	74			
	Belle Plaine	Market	Madelia	Pemberton
	Belview	Elysian	Madison Lake	Prinsburg
	Bird Island	Evan	Manchester	Raymond
	Blomkest	Faribault	Mankato	Renville
	Buffalo Lake	Franklin	Mapleton	Roseland
	Butterfield	Gaylord	Maynard	Sacred Heart
	Clara City	Gibbon	Medford	Skyline
	Clarkfield	Good Thunder	Minnesota Lake	St. Clair
	Clarks Grove	Granite Falls	Montevideo	Waldorf
	Clements	Green Isle	Morgan	Waseca
	Cleveland	Hanley Falls	Morristown	Waterville
	Cobden	Hartland	Morton	Watson
	Cottonwood	Hazel Run	New Auburn	Wegdahl
	Courtland	Hector	New Prague	Wood Lake
	Danube	Henderson	New Richland	
	Delhi	Janesville	Nicollet	
	Dundas	Kilkenny	North Mankato	
	Eagle Lake	Lafayette	Northfield	
	Echo	Lake Lillian	Olivia	
	Elko New	Lonsdale	Owatonna	
Managed counties	17			
	Blue Earth County			
	Brown County			
	Chippewa County			
	Cottonwood County			
	Faribault County			
	Freeborn County			
	LeSeuer County			
	Lyon County			
	Nicollet County			
	Redwood County			
	Renville County			
	Rice County			
	Sibley County			
	Steele County			
	Waseca County			
	Watonwan County			
	Yellow Medicine County			

See a full listing of Minnesota community relations managers and the areas they serve at [xcelenergy.com/Community](https://www.xcelenergy.com/Community).

