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## THE ST. PAUL DISTRICT

covers **139K** SQUARE MILES contains **4** MAJOR RIVER BASINS  
▶ Mississippi  
▶ Red River of the North  
▶ Souris ▶ Rainy

operates in **5** STATES  
▶ Minnesota ▶ Wisconsin  
▶ North Dakota ▶ Iowa  
▶ South Dakota manages **13** LOCKS & DAMS

maintains **9-ft.** NAVIGATION CHANNEL along **284** RIVER MILES in the Upper Mississippi River System

operates **16** FLOOD RISK REDUCTION RESERVOIRS **25** FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED TRIBES within district

operates out of **41** LOCATIONS REGIONAL WORKFORCE employs **~700** people **30%** veterans

missions **6**  
▶ Emergency Operations & Disaster Response  
▶ Navigation ▶ Environmental Management & Engineering  
▶ Flood Response & Risk Management ▶ Recreation

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- district boundaries
- district headquarters
- field office
- lock and dam
- campgrounds
- reservoir

*\*For regulatory boundaries and field sites, see reverse.*

**INTERNATIONAL JOINT COMMISSION** — The St. Paul District supports and participates in three IJC boards: Souris River, Red River and Rainy River-Lake of the Woods.



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Driven to be a world-class district that delivers for our workforce, region, enterprise and nation by **BUILDING STRONG** and *Taking Care of People!*

## NAVIGATION

Providing safe, reliable, cost-effective & environmentally sustainable waterborne transportation on the Upper Mississippi River

Maintaining a 9-ft. navigation channel and 13 locks and dams allows:

on average  
**10M** tons of commodities to travel past Lock and Dam 10 in Guttenberg, Iowa, per year

saving  
**\$430M** to shipping industries using inland waterways instead of overland shipping

**90% less** greenhouse gas emissions by using barges instead of semis

dredged material  
**1M** cubic yards of sand dredged each year to maintain 9-ft. channel enough to fill the Capitol rotunda 21 times

the Mississippi River

**25%** of all waterborne commerce in the U.S. depends on the Mississippi River

**4th** largest watershed in the world

**60%** of the nation's agriculture exports travel on the Mississippi



used for  
▶ highways  
▶ beaches  
▶ habitat projects

**1** 15-BARGETOW = **216** RAIL CARS = **1,050** LARGE SEMIS

## SUPPORT TO OTHERS

Providing world-class engineering solutions our engineering customers include



- ▶ Veterans Administration
- ▶ US Customs and Border Patrol
- ▶ Native American Tribes
- ▶ International Joint Commission
- ▶ FEMA
- ▶ Department of Energy
- ▶ US Army
- ▶ US Air Force
- ▶ NASA

## DISASTER RESPONSE

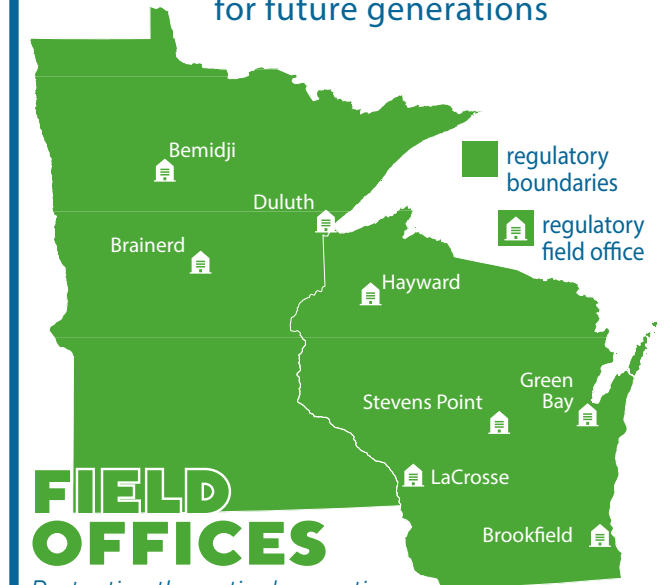
completed **8 MISSIONS** **SINCE 2017**

supported **166** disaster response or recovery response DEPLOYMENTS in **2024**



## REGULATORY

Helping to sustain aquatic resources for future generations



## FIELD OFFICES

Protecting the nation's aquatic resources and navigation while enabling reasonable development through fair and balanced permit decisions.

evaluates **3K** REQUESTS PER YEAR

helped more than **50K** acres of wetlands to be RESTORED & ENHANCED

## RECREATION

Supplying healthy, accessible outdoor recreational activities

**2.3M** visitors per year to our recreation sites

spend **\$137M** in LOCAL & REGIONAL ECONOMIES



**650** CAMPSITES | **27** BOAT LAUNCH RAMPS | **10** BEACHES | **49** RECREATION AREAS

## FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT

Reducing flood risk to communities in the Upper Midwest

every **dollar** invested in the Corps' flood risk management program saves **\$12** Americans

**95** LEVEE SYSTEMS ~165 MILES participate in our **FEDERAL LEVEE** inspection program

### Examples of Projects REDUCING RISK

- ▶ Grand Forks/East Grand Forks
- ▶ Mankato
- ▶ Rochester
- ▶ St. Paul

On average, in the last 10 years, the St. Paul District flood risk management and emergency response activities

SAVE **\$248M** per year

## ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Restoring and protecting habitat for fish and wildlife

Stewardship of Public Land manage more than **77K** acres of public land responsible for grassland, fisheries, forest and wetland management

Environmental Infrastructure Program assisted more than **50** communities with **75** water infrastructure projects

### Upper Mississippi River Restoration Program

completed **30** restoration projects | improving more than **50K** acres of river and floodplain habitat

