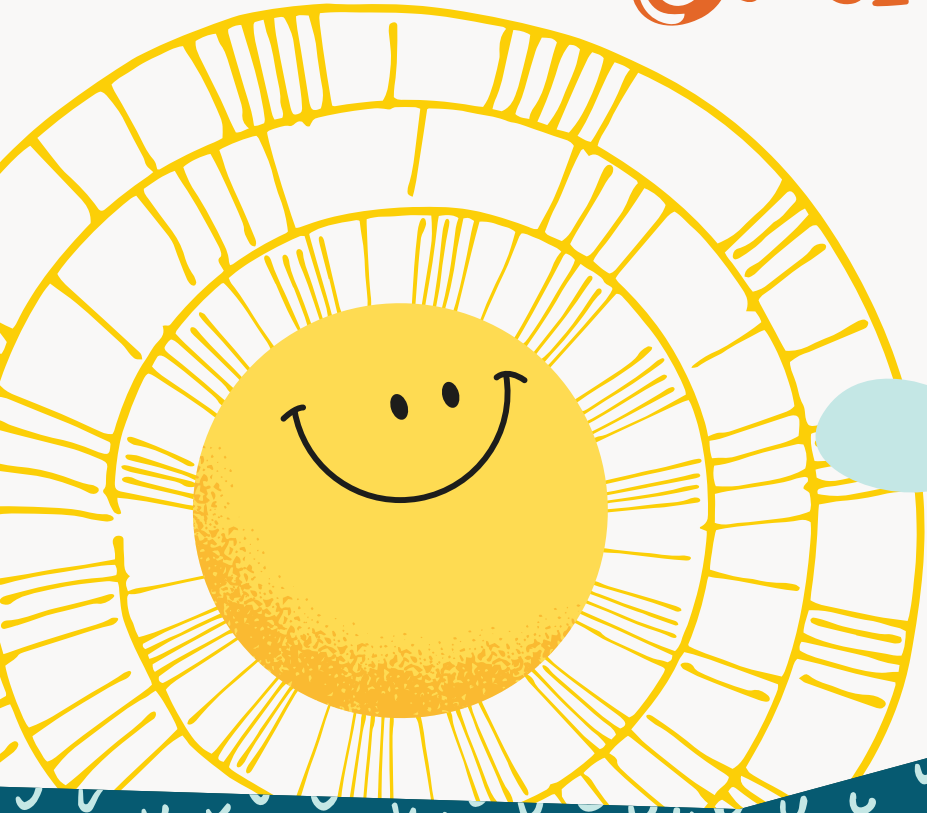


SUMMER FUN & CITY RESOURCES



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2026

AMERICA 250 BIKE PARADE

In partnership with Rochesterfest

Saturday, June 27

10:30 a.m. | Youth Bike Decorating

Free red, white and blue items for the first 250 youth who register!

11:30 a.m. | Bike Parade

Edison Building

Parking Lot

615 7th St. SW



ROCHESTER
OFFICE OF
THE MAYOR



YOUTH LEADERSHIP AND SUCCESS SUMMIT

Wednesday, September 23

Mayo Civic Center



SCAN HERE TO LEARN MORE!

<https://qr1.be/NJKD67>

The summit is for high school students in Olmsted County. There will be speakers, roundtables and an opportunity to network. Topics may include career exploration, advocacy, democratic process, civility, sustainability and more!



Why Choose Rochester?

JOIN OUR TEAM! Your career starts here.

We are dedicated to building a workforce as vibrant and diverse as the community we serve.



Competitive Compensation & Pay:

- Transparent salary ranges
- Comprehensive health insurance: medical, dental and vision
- Employer contributions to your pension plan
- Generous paid time off, including 12 holidays

Make a Difference:

With a wide range of career paths available, your work will directly impact the lives of residents in our growing community.

Collaborative Culture:

Work alongside dedicated professionals committed to finding innovative solutions to community challenges.

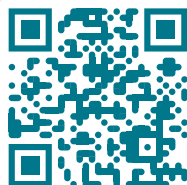
Grow Your Career:

Access professional development, tuition assistance and leadership programs.

Inclusive Workspace:

We're committed to fostering equity, inclusion and belonging.

CHECK OUT OUR
JOB OPENINGS &
APPLY ONLINE!



rochestermn.gov/humanresources





Join your neighbors and the Rochester Police Department for a night of free food and activities!



June 9
Gibbs
Elementary

July 14
Jefferson
Elementary

July 28
Bishop
Elementary

August 11
Franklin
Elementary

Free Fun! 6-8 p.m.



Find more information here:
<https://qr1.be/0FE33X>



CANADIAN HONKER Restaurant



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GALLERIA AT UNIVERSITY SQUARE

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Parks & Recreation Summer Aquatics

Soldiers Field Aquatic Center

244 Soldiers Field Drive SW

- ▶ Lazy River with zero depth entry
- ▶ Three waterslides
- ▶ 50-meter activity and lap pool with a climbing wall, drop slide, basketball hoop and aqua zip
- ▶ Splash Pad with spray features, fountains and multi-level play structure

Hours

- ▶ **Toddler Time, Adult Lazy River Walk Time and Adult Lap Swim**
 Seven Days a Week, 10-11:30 a.m.
- ▶ **Open Swim Time**
 Seven Days a Week, Noon-8 p.m.
- ▶ **Adult Lazy River Walk Time and Adult Lap Swim**
 Monday - Friday, 8-9 p.m.



Silver Lake Swimming Pool

840 7th Street NE

NEW!

- ▶ All new pool house
- ▶ Eight lane lap pool with zero depth entry
- ▶ Aqua zip and climbing wall

Hours

- ▶ **Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat and Sun**
 Noon-8 p.m.
- ▶ **Tues and Thurs**
 Noon-5 p.m.



NEW!
Season Pass

Good at both pools! \$150 per person, discounts for additional family members.

Explore other great, **FREE** outdoor spots to cool off in Rochester this summer, including:

- ▶ Silver Lake Splash Pad: 840 7th Street NE **NEW in 2026!**
- ▶ McQuillan Park Splash Pad: 1655 Marion Road SE **NEW in 2026!**
- ▶ Foster Arend Beach: 4051 E. River Road NE
- ▶ Cascade Lake Beach: 88 23rd Avenue SW
- ▶ Lincolnshire Splash Pad: 5276 Members Parkway NW



Find outdoor pool, beach & summer aquatic info at:
rochestermn.gov/parks

AccessABLE Recreation offers meaningful experiences for children and adults with diverse cognitive abilities to participate in their community.

Learn more at rochestermn.gov/accessablerec or call 507-328-2539.



Summer Day Camps

Designed for ages 6-22, these camps provide small group or one-to-one assistance for campers to participate in typical summer activities such as swimming, games and crafts. Sessions are available June-August with mornings and afternoon options.



A Meaningful Day

A recreational day program for adults 21 and older, featuring engaging activities like arts and crafts, games, service projects, exercise and more! Participants may attend independently or with a support person if needed.



Adaptive Bike Rentals

Enjoy FREE adaptive bike rentals this summer at Cascade Lake Park! Our motorized bikes accommodate riders of different abilities to experience the joy of biking in a beautiful park setting.

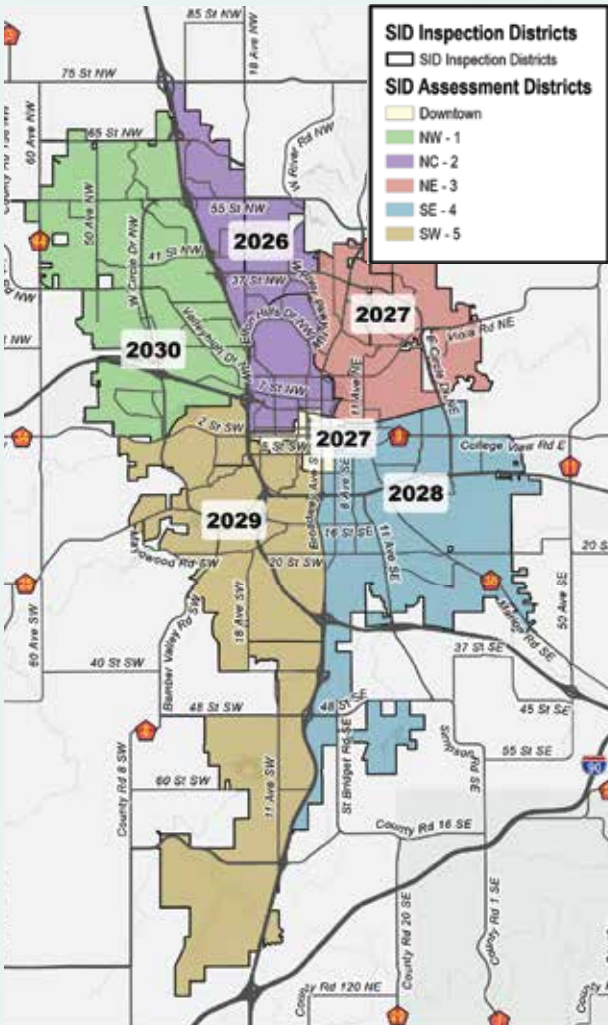


Adaptive Swim Lessons

One-to-one adaptive swim lessons are designed for individuals ages 4-12 and focus on water safety and building independence in the water. Lessons are offered during the school year.



rochestermn.gov/accessablerec



Sidewalk Improvement District (SID) Program

What is the SID program?

- The SID program reassigns the cost of sidewalk repairs and replacement from the adjacent property owner to a distribution among a greater portion of the community, as sidewalks are a benefit to, and are available for use, by all.

What does this mean for me?

- While the exact SID rate is determined by the project needs in one's district, the average residential rate is estimated to be \$57 annually.

- Property owners should maintain the paint markings on sidewalks until the City addresses defects.

How does the SID program work?

- The Sidewalk Improvement District program divides Rochester into 21 project areas within six districts. Each district receives a sidewalk project every five years, ensuring every sidewalk in the city is inspected at least once every 20 years.
- A project occurs in the Downtown district every five years due to high-volume use.



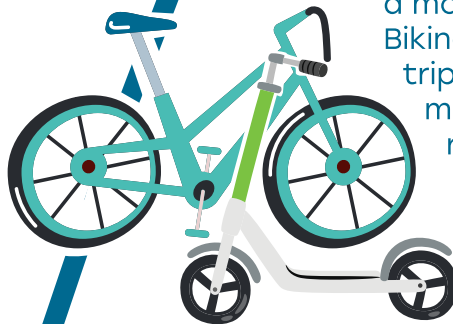
For more info visit:
rochestermn.gov/sidewalks

Going Somewhere?

What's the best way to make your outing today? A quick look at your options can help you find the right fit for your schedule, your budget and your daily impact.

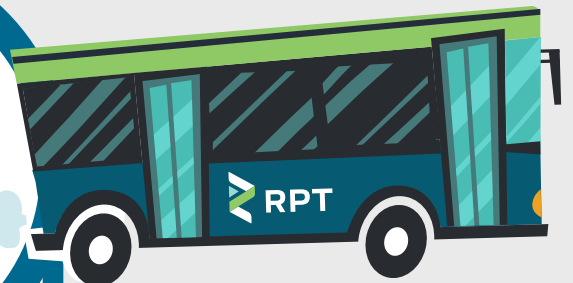
Park & Ride

Don't feel like driving downtown but need to get a little bit closer to the transit system? The Park and Rides may be a viable option. The City of Rochester has Park and Ride locations at the Fairgrounds, North Broadway and 75th Street North with service every 15-30 minutes. Park and Ride information is available at rptrade.com.



Bike & Scooter

Enjoy fresh air and see Rochester at a more comfortable, human pace. Biking or scooting can turn everyday trips into an opportunity for movement—no extra time required. For many short trips, it's a simple, affordable option that skips gas, reduces parking needs and helps you feel more connected to the community.



Take the Bus

With service seven days a week, transit can become a viable options to move around the city for \$2/ride! For more information on when the wheels on the bus will be rolling by you to bring you to where you want to go visit rptrade.com

Learn more:
rptrade.com



Driving & Parking

Driving works well when you need flexibility or have more to transport than you can comfortably carry. With over 5,500 parking spaces downtown on the street, in six parking ramps and seven parking lots, there is a parking spot in the area if you need it. Some spaces cost as little as \$0.50/hour and parking is always free on nights and weekends!



Learn more:
rochestermn.gov/parking

Primary Election: August 11

Polls are open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Absentee In-Person (Olmsted County Elections Office):

- 2122 Campus Dr. SE, Suite 300, Rochester
 - June 26 to August 10: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Early Voting (Olmsted County Elections Office):

- 2122 Campus Dr. SE, Suite 300, Rochester
 - July 24 to August 10: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 - August 8: Saturday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Early Voting (City Hall):

- 201 4th St SE, Rochester (Entrance E, Conference Room 104)
 - August 4 to 10: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 - August 8: Saturday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

General Election: November 3

Polls are open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Absentee In-Person (Olmsted County Elections Office):

- 2122 Campus Drive SE, Suite 300, Rochester
 - September 18 to November 2: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Early Voting (Olmsted County Elections Office):

- 2122 Campus Drive SE, Suite 300, Rochester
 - October 16 to November 2: Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 - October 24 and 31: Saturday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 - November 1: Sunday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 - Extended hours: October 27: Tuesday, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Early Voting (City Hall):

- 201 4th St SE, Rochester (Entrance E, Conference Room 104)
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<https://qr1.be/DI54SH>

WHO REPRESENTS ME?

WHERE DO I VOTE?

You can use the Election District Finder tool to find your representatives, polling places and more!

Questions?
Call 507-328-7650

2026

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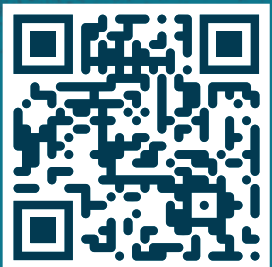
FREE MUSIC

MAYO PARK | 7PM

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**LIVE MUSIC.
BIG NAMES.
NO TICKETS.**

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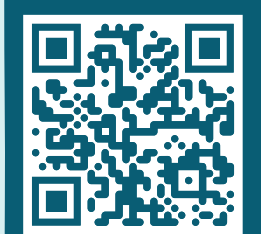
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LOCAL PARKS.
LOCAL MUSIC.



FREE TO ATTEND 5:30PM-8:00PM
FOOD TRUCKS AND FAMILY ACTIVITIES

LOCAL MUSIC. LOCAL PARKS.  ROCHESTER PUBLIC MUSIC



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This activity is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through grants from the Minnesota State Arts Board thanks to a legislative appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund.



YOUR EASY CONNECTION TO THE CITY



WHAT IS 311?

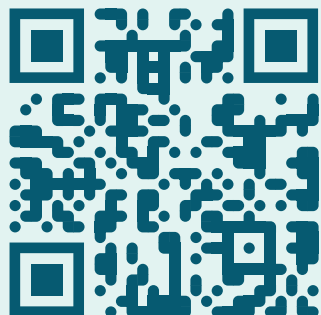
311 is your direct non-emergency line to report an issue, ask a question or request a municipal service in Rochester. Whether you're a resident, business owner or visitor, 311 simplifies access, helping you connect with the resources you need quickly and efficiently.

HOW CAN 311 HELP?

Through 311, you can request services, report non-urgent issues and stay informed on a variety of topics. Here are just a few examples of how 311 can assist you:

- * Schedule building inspections
- * Report concerns such as:
 - Tall grass & weeds
 - Potholes
 - Parking meter issues
 - Boulevard tree concerns
 - Rental tenant complaints
 - Other community concerns

Find more information here:
rochestermn.gov/311



WHY CREATE A 311 ACCOUNT?

Registering for a FREE account allows you to submit, track and manage your service requests conveniently. You'll also stay updated on the progress of your reports and receive notifications when issues are resolved.

KNOWLEDGE BASED ARTICLES:

Did you know that there are over 600 Knowledge Based Articles (KBA)? A KBA is just like a Frequently Asked Questions area and it offers answers to a variety of questions. Each day, the 311 team is adding more KBAs based on the questions that get asked over the phone and through the app. From how many chickens you can have to how far away an outdoor fire pit should be from your house, there is an answer to just about any question!

**FOR NON-EMERGENCY
POLICE ASSISTANCE,
CALL 507-328-6800**

**FOR EMERGENCIES
REQUIRING IMMEDIATE
ATTENTION ALWAYS
CALL 911.**



Download the
311 ROCH MN
app today!



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App Store

GET IT ON
Google Play

HOW TO REACH 311:



AI Chatbot “Chester”: Access support anytime via the 311 website. Chester communicates in **75+ languages** for better accessibility.



Phone: Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Dial **311** or **507-328-2311**

Web: Available 24/7 at
rochestermn.gov/311

App: Download the 311 ROCH MN app in Google Play or the Apple App Store to submit and track requests on the go.



TWO HOURS OF FREE PARKING!

Two hours of free parking means more time for stories, learning and fun!



Starting June 1, bring your library card and parking receipt to the public service desk for an extra hour of parking (up to a \$3 value).
<https://qr1.be/VXBRRW>



DIGITAL LIBRARY CARDS!

Getting a library card just got easier!



You can now sign up for a fully digital library card from any device and have instant access to library materials.
<https://qr1.be/6F869Z>



Summer PLAYLIST

Summer Playlist starts June 1.



Pick up your log, track your reading and activities, and collect this year's Summer Playlist bag!
<https://qr1.be/FG8UQ6>



DOWNTOWN EVENTS

THIS SUMMER!

JUN 11-AUG 13

**THURSDAYS
DOWNTOWN**

JUNE 12

**WORLD CUP
WATCH
PARTY**

Peace Plaza

JUL 25

**UTSAV
FESTIVAL OF
COLORS**

Peace Plaza

AUG 14-16

CASTLE CON

Historic Chateau Theatre

AUG 21

**MED CITY
ART FESTIVAL**

Peace Plaza

AUG 20

ART WALK

Throughout Downtown

EVERY WEEK

EVERY DAY

MUSIC DOWNTOWN



SUNDAYS

SALSA RUEDA



MONDAYS

DANCING DOWNTOWN



THURSDAYS

THURSDAYS DOWNTOWN
starting June 11



SATURDAYS

FRESH AIR FITNESS



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Start your summer planning at downtownrochester.mn.com



HEALTHY HOME HELPERS

Healthy Home Helpers is a FREE City of Rochester program that helps residents improve indoor air quality, reduce energy costs and create healthier living spaces, starting with a simple home visit and FREE kit.

SCAN HERE TO SIGN UP!



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Why It Matters

Many Rochester homes have hidden issues like poor ventilation, radon, moisture, and energy loss that impact health, comfort and costs. Small changes through Healthy Home Helpers can make a big difference for renters and homeowners alike.

Healthy Home Helpers is led by the City of Rochester Sustainability Division with partnership with local health and energy organizations.



How It Works

- Sign up for a FREE visit
- Meet with a Healthy Home Helper
- Receive your first kit. Over \$120 value!
- Get connected to additional programs and rebates to take the next step



A FREE In-Home Consultation

A trained Healthy Home Helper will visit your home and:

- Identify simple ways to improve comfort and efficiency
- Connect you to rebates and weatherization programs
- Answer your questions about indoor air and energy use



A FREE Healthy Home Kit (Over \$120 value)

Each participating household receives items to help you take action right away. Kit includes:

- LED bulbs & energy-saving products
- Draft-sealing weatherization materials
- Water-saving shower head & faucet aerators
- Radon test kit & carbon monoxide detector



SCAN HERE TO SIGN UP FOR THE QUARTLY SUSTAINABILITY E-NEWSLETTER!

rochestermn.gov/healthyhomes



PFAS: Shop smart to protect yourself and the environment.

Perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) are man-made chemicals that do not break down easily and can build up in the environment and human body over time. Because wastewater and drinking water systems are not designed to remove them, the most effective way to reduce exposure is to avoid products that contain PFAS.



Non-stick cookware

Replace traditional non-stick pots and pans with stainless steel, ceramic, stoneware, glass or cast metal cookware.



Microwave popcorn bags

Avoid microwave popcorn bags. Instead make popcorn on the stove using PFAS free cookware or microwave safe containers designed for popcorn.



Single-use food contact materials

Paper plates and disposable containers can contain PFAS. Instead, use reusable dishes and storage containers.



Water-resistant cosmetics

Mascara, foundation and lipstick that resist moisture may contain PFAS. Look for PFAS free labels. Search Skin Deep ewg.org/skindeep to find products.



Food packaging

Choose groceries with minimal or no packaging when possible. Cut back on fast food or takeout, as wrappers often contain PFAS.



Fluoridated care/cleaning

PFAS can be found in products like shampoo, contact lenses, dental floss and household cleaners. Avoid products with “fluoro” or “fluorinated” ingredients.



Stain & water-resistant textiles

Clothing, furniture and carpets treated for stain and water resistance can release PFAS into the house. Shop for untreated or PFAS free options.



rochestermn.gov/wastewater



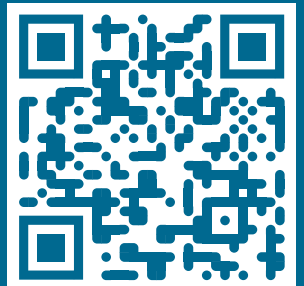
Please report spills, leaks and illegal disposal of pollutants.



To make a report:

- Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Dial 311 if you are within Rochester city limits or 507-328-2311.
- Evenings and weekends - Call the Police Non-Emergency line at 507-328-6800.

Learn more:



[rochestermn.gov/
stormwater](https://rochestermn.gov/stormwater)

The City of Rochester looks into any suspected cases of illegal dumping. It is illegal for substances other than rainwater to flow into storm drains, ditches or natural water bodies like the Zumbro River—whether by accident or on purpose. Examples include pouring motor oil or antifreeze down a drain, dumping chemical cleaners or industrial waste, or not properly managing stormwater runoff at construction sites. These actions are against the law and are regulated by the City's rules under Chapter 6-4 of the Rochester Code of Ordinances.

Navigate Construction Downtown

See closures, lane reductions and travel impacts for drivers, bicyclists and pedestrians.



DowntownRochesterConstruction.org

Detours LEAD TO Discoveries

- Mayo Clinic
- University of Minnesota Rochester
- Hotels Restaurants

Find your best route! Scan to see current detours

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Detours Lead To Discoveries

Look out for these signs in Downtown Rochester to find your best route to retail, restaurants, hotels and more!



IT'S SEVERE WEATHER SEASON

REMEMBER, outdoor warning sirens are **NOT** just for tornadoes! They are activated in Rochester for:

RADAR-INDICATED OR VISUALLY CONFIRMED TORNADOES

HAIL 2" OR LARGER

WIND 70 MPH OR HIGHER

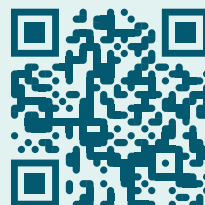


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SIRENS ARE
NOT
MEANT TO:

- Sound for the entire event
- Alert people who are inside
- Wake people who are sleeping

When you hear a siren, always move indoors and check a trusted weather forecasting source for more details.



<https://qr1.be/5GIPDG>





Three Reasons to **Flocal**[®] (or "Fly Local")

1.

You Floaled. United *listened*.

United Airlines is launching daily flights to Chicago, proof that Flocaling makes a difference!

2.

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We need to *keep* showing airlines that people in Rochester and southeast Minnesota want to fly out of RST. Continuing to use RST will encourage airlines to give us even *more* flights and improve the schedule we have!

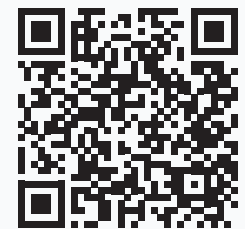
3.

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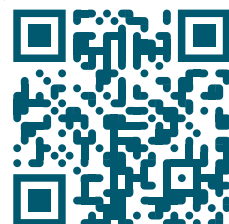
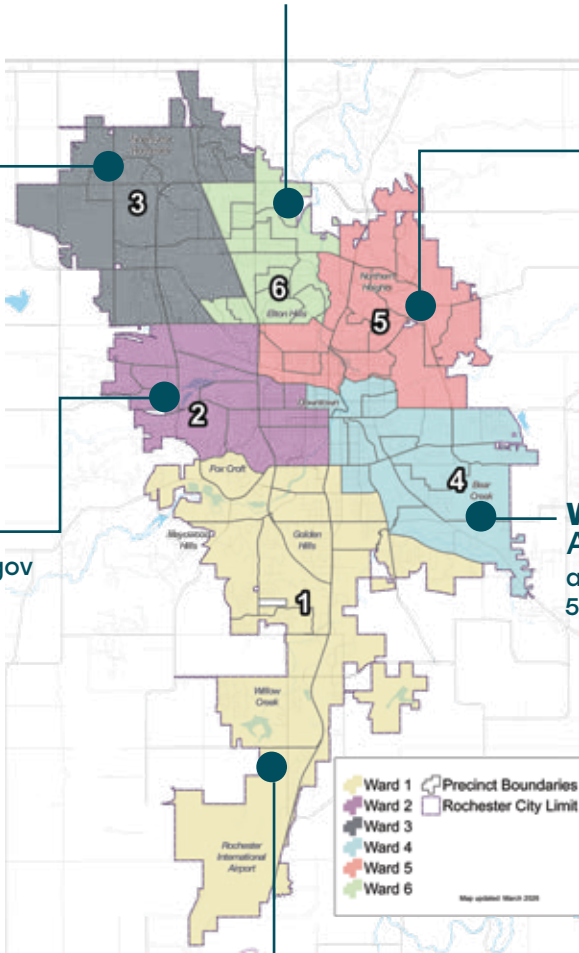
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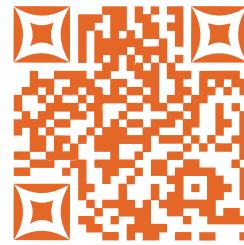


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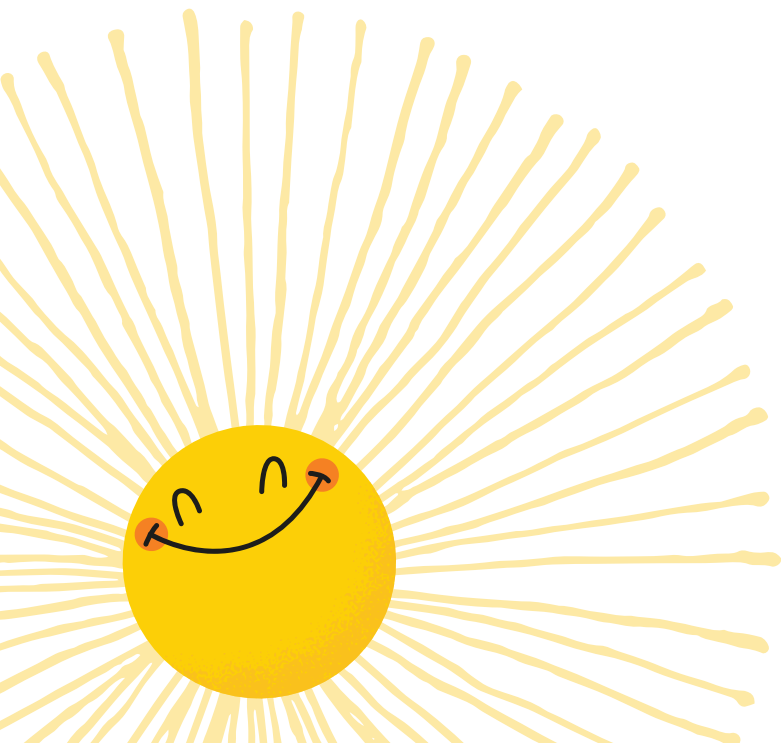
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WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!
Take a brief survey about this summer mailer.



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