

# **Minnesota North College**

Minnesota North College takes advantage of its six campuses in the wilderness of northeastern Minnesota to offer natural learning and research opportunities. Many of Minnesota North's more than 4,000 students specialize in the industrial trades, healthcare, natural sciences, and outdoor recreation. Minnesota North is one of only seven

colleges in the nation to offer an accredited pathway for park rangers. Wildlife research studies are also conducted at Minnesota North College in partnership with the Department of Natural Resources. The college's five campus-based foundations offer numerous scholarships for students including an EMPOWER grant that provides financial assistance and removes barriers for women in non-traditional careers.

#### **Contributing to the Minnesota Economy**

- Minnesota North generates an annual impact of **\$202.5 million**. This includes a direct impact of \$113.4 million and an indirect/induced impact of \$89 million.
- Spending on operations and capital projects generates \$107.5 million of the total impact, and student and visitor spending generates \$95 million.

### Supporting and Sustaining Jobs in the State

Minnesota North supports and sustains 1,512 Minnesota jobs (1,050 direct and 462 indirect/induced). These jobs are at the college and in the community – 449 direct jobs are employees of Minnesota North.

#### **Generating Local and State Tax Revenue**

The combined tax impact of Minnesota North, its suppliers, students and visitors is **\$15 million**. This includes a direct impact of \$9.6 million and indirect/induced impact of \$5.4 million

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\$202.5M in economic

impact annually

in state and \$15M local revenue



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alumni impact generated contributions annually

<sup>\$</sup>109M

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#### Alumni in the State Generate Additional Impact

An estimated 21,231 Minnesota North College alumni living and working in Minnesota are continuing to make a positive economic impact after graduation. These graduates are an integral part of the Minnesota workforce, impacting the economy not only through their spending but also through the extra earning power generated by their Minnesota North College degree.

Each year, Minnesota North College alumni generate \$109 million in economic impact for Minnesota and support and sustain 581 jobs. Over their 40-year career, Minnesota North College alumni will generate \$4.4 billion in the economy. These impacts are based on the added value of earning a degree from Minnesota North College, not alumni full wages. This impact is based upon the total number of alumni in Minnesota 10 years after graduation.

#### Making a Difference in the Community and State

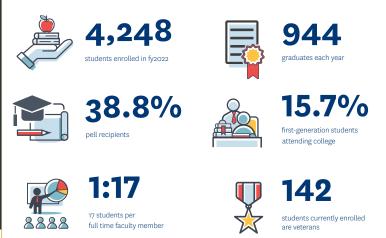
An electrical class at the Hibbing campus of Minnesota North College worked with high school students on the construction of a home for a local

family through Habitat for Humanity. Students collaborated with the family and community partners to build the home, which was finished in July 2022. Most of the labor was completed by the construction class at Hibbing High School, while the electrical class at Minnesota North College provided the electrical work.

Minnesota North College campuses are integral parts of their communities and give back in myriad ways.



## **Minnesota North College** Student Profile



An estimated **\$2,365,925** in charitable donations and volunteer services are generated annually by faculty, staff, and students.

- **\$400,175** donated to local charitable organizations by faculty, staff, and students.
- **\$1,965,750** of volunteer time by faculty, staff, and students.



