

## PLANT CLOSINGS/MASS LAYOFFS/WARN REPORT – DECEMBER 2024

Layoff Name	City	Industry	**Layoff Start	WARN Act	WARN Received	Layoff Type	Layoff Status	TAA Related	*Affected Workers	Layoff Count
RR Start Date: December 2024 (24	records)								566	24
CareHealth America 2024	Blue Earth	Manufacturing	11/27/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	15	
Black Sheep Pizza Mpls 2024	Minneapolis	Dining	11/30/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Cargill 2025	Minnetonka	Agriculture	2/5/25	YES	12/3/24	Workforce Reduction	RR in Progress	NO	475	
Sonny + Dot Mankato 2024	Mankato	Retail	12/23/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Vivian Rose Boutique	Mankato	Retail	1/1/25	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Maurices MOA 2024	Bloomington	Retail	12/31/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Maurices Blaine 2024	Duluth	Retail	12/20/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Forever 21 - 2025	Bloomington	Retail	1/31/25	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	31	
Red Dragon Restaurant	Minneapolis	Dining	12/31/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Apple Valley Foods 2024	Chaska	Manufacturing	6/14/24	YES	12/5/24	<b>Workforce Reduction</b>	Small Layoff Services	NO	22	
Chinese Phoenix Express St Cloud	St Cloud	Dining	11/24/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Brooklyn Restaurant and Bar	Brooklyn Park	Dining	12/21/24	NO	-	Closing	Aversion/Retention	NO	0	
Country Pleasures Cafe 2024	Kasson	Dining	12/31/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Walgreens Mankato 2024	Mankato	Retail	1/30/25	NO	-	Closing	Aversion/Retention	NO	0	
Chaotic Good Brewing 2024	Kasson	Dining	12/23/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Morning Glory's Bakery Cafe	Rosemount	Dining	11/30/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	
Daily Dose Cafe Brooklyn Park	Brooklyn Park	Dining	12/31/24	NO	-	Closing	Aversion/Retention	NO	0	
Minnesota Makers Excelsior 2024	Excelsior	Retail	12/23/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	0	
OfficeMax Savage 2024	Savage	Retail	12/15/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	5	
Walgreens Savage 2024	Deerfield	Retail	1/22/25	NO	-	Closing	Aversion/Retention	NO	0	
Artic Cat/Textron-St Cloud 2025	St Cloud	Manufacturing	-	NO	-	Closing	RR in Progress	NO	TBD	
Artic Cat/Textron-TRF 2025	Thief River Falls	Manufacturing	-	NO	-	Closing	RR in Progress	NO	TBD	
La Vie Boutique Woodbury 2024	Woodbury	Retail	1/15/25	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	7	
Alamo Annies Brownsdale 2024	Brownsdale	Dining	12/19/24	NO	-	Closing	Small Layoff Services	NO	1	

**Grand Totals (24 records)** 



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- \*\*\* The Plant Closings/Mass Layoffs Report is a summary of the activities on which the State Rapid Response Team (SRRT) started working in that month. The reports are run at the beginning of the month for the previous month's activities.
- \*\* The Layoff Start is our best guess based on information obtained from the employer, media or individual workers who have contacted the state.
- \* The number of Affected Workers is our best guess based on information we obtained from the employer, media or individual workers. It may not reflect the actual number of affected workers from a given dislocation event.

Layoff Status: Please refer to terms below for further clarification of Layoff Status:

- **Needs Assessment:** The SRRT has become aware of the possibility of a layoff or closing and is working to uncover more details (i.e., size, timing, location(s), and point of contact).
- Aversion/Retention: Company sought out opportunities to be proactive and avert or minimize layoffs and retain employees.
- Existing Project: There is a current Dislocated Worker (DW) grant in place for a specific company. That company has another wave of layoffs and we decided to bundle that new round of layoffs into the existing DW grant.
- New Project: A company-specific grant set up to help workers affected by mass layoffs or closings, typically affecting 50 or more workers.
- Small Layoff Services: Workers interested in enrolling in DW can go to any of the state's Workforce Centers or independent service providers. .
- **Suspend/Hold:** The layoff/closure is on hold or has been suspended.