

**Table 5**  
**Ranking of County Current Highways and Streets Expenditures**  
**For the Year Ended December 31, 1996**

Highways and streets expenditures are for the maintenance and repair of local highways, streets, bridges, and street equipment. Common expenditures include patching, seal coating, and snow removal. Highways and streets expenditures cover expenditures on all county highways, including county state-aid highways. Expenditures for road construction are not included in current expenditures, but are accounted for as capital outlay.

County	Population	Expenditures
ST. LOUIS	199,103	\$22,217,388
HENNEPIN	1,070,709	\$18,394,893
RAMSEY	496,068	\$12,260,925
ITASCA	42,763	\$8,047,242
STEARNS	128,522	\$4,896,797
WASHINGTON	181,741	\$4,469,148
OLMSTED	115,169	\$4,306,371
ANOKA	278,531	\$4,144,259
DAKOTA	325,079	\$4,007,114
CASS	24,107	\$3,632,396
OTTER TAIL	53,552	\$3,571,224
WRIGHT	79,984	\$3,505,583
BLUE EARTH	55,335	\$3,265,520
CROW WING	49,560	\$3,192,824
CARLTON	30,776	\$3,006,183
KANDIYOHI	41,502	\$2,983,922
DOUGLAS	30,927	\$2,978,335
BELTRAMI	36,972	\$2,866,503
MARSHALL	10,716	\$2,810,032
RENVILLE	17,567	\$2,714,906
POLK	32,885	\$2,711,673
CLAY	52,895	\$2,694,211
CARVER	59,183	\$2,605,848
MOWER	37,674	\$2,593,860
MARTIN	22,872	\$2,593,202
BECKER	29,247	\$2,590,832
SCOTT	71,547	\$2,530,893
MEEKER	21,509	\$2,480,918
GOODHUE	42,742	\$2,451,102
PINE	23,323	\$2,270,033
WINONA	49,223	\$2,237,259
FILLMORE	20,916	\$2,204,948
CHISAGO	37,269	\$2,176,438
REDWOOD	17,325	\$2,162,001
HUBBARD	16,440	\$2,124,537
LYON	25,284	\$2,102,454
LAKE	10,558	\$2,077,992
MCLEOD	34,197	\$2,077,264
TODD	23,931	\$2,048,931
MORRISON	31,041	\$2,041,385
ROSEAU	16,230	\$2,036,823

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**For the Year Ended December 31, 1996**

County	Population	Expenditures
SHERBURNE	53,772	\$2,017,594
WABASHA	20,581	\$1,907,785
STEELE	32,018	\$1,904,235
HOUSTON	19,245	\$1,895,937
JACKSON	11,757	\$1,875,326
AITKIN	13,739	\$1,833,511
POPE	10,956	\$1,806,463
RICE	52,821	\$1,790,147
FREEBORN	32,698	\$1,783,181
LE SUEUR	24,739	\$1,776,965
WILKIN	7,387	\$1,775,740
CLEARWATER	8,482	\$1,763,213
SWIFT	11,142	\$1,738,347
NICOLLET	29,721	\$1,724,771
COTTONWOOD	12,793	\$1,710,400
FARIBAULT	16,614	\$1,704,065
PENNINGTON	13,586	\$1,690,226
YELLOW MEDICINE	11,629	\$1,683,333
WATONWAN	11,750	\$1,676,777
LAKE OF THE WOODS	4,430	\$1,655,071
KOOCHICHING	15,947	\$1,653,525
BROWN	27,895	\$1,645,459
SIBLEY	14,785	\$1,637,622
NOBLES	20,578	\$1,511,625
KITTSOON	5,535	\$1,505,853
KANABEC	13,815	\$1,493,808
NORMAN	7,876	\$1,492,047
BENTON	33,707	\$1,482,333
DODGE	16,926	\$1,480,912
GRANT	6,220	\$1,477,643
WASECA	18,274	\$1,440,670
MILLE LACS	20,212	\$1,427,179
CHIPPEWA	13,155	\$1,426,711
LINCOLN	6,769	\$1,406,277
COOK	4,313	\$1,403,494
TRAVERSE	4,374	\$1,402,909
STEVENS	10,637	\$1,368,225
LAC QUI PARLE	8,704	\$1,359,463
MURRAY	9,637	\$1,353,694
ROCK	9,943	\$1,235,907
BIG STONE	5,941	\$1,232,539
PIPESTONE	10,468	\$1,228,498
ISANTI	29,110	\$1,166,626
MAHNOMEN	5,241	\$1,109,506
RED LAKE	4,455	\$1,062,186
WADENA	13,397	\$880,113

**Table 6**  
**Ranking of County Per Capita Current Highways and Streets Expenditures**  
**For the Year Ended December 31, 1996**

County	Population	Expenditures
LAKE OF THE WOODS	4,430	\$374
COOK	4,313	\$325
TRAVERSE	4,374	\$321
KITTSOON	5,535	\$272
MARSHALL	10,716	\$262
WILKIN	7,387	\$240
GRANT	6,220	\$238
RED LAKE	4,455	\$238
MAHNOMEN	5,241	\$212
LINCOLN	6,769	\$208
CLEARWATER	8,482	\$208
BIG STONE	5,941	\$207
LAKE	10,558	\$197
NORMAN	7,876	\$189
ITASCA	42,763	\$188
POPE	10,956	\$165
JACKSON	11,757	\$160
LAC QUI PARLE	8,704	\$156
SWIFT	11,142	\$156
RENVILLE	17,567	\$155
CASS	24,107	\$151
YELLOW MEDICINE	11,629	\$145
WATONWAN	11,750	\$143
MURRAY	9,637	\$140
COTTONWOOD	12,793	\$134
AITKIN	13,739	\$133
HUBBARD	16,440	\$129
STEVENS	10,637	\$129
REDWOOD	17,325	\$125
ROSEAU	16,230	\$125
ROCK	9,943	\$124
PENNINGTON	13,586	\$124
PIPESTONE	10,468	\$117
MEEKER	21,509	\$115
MARTIN	22,872	\$113
ST. LOUIS	199,103	\$112
SIBLEY	14,785	\$111
KANABEC	13,815	\$108
CHIPPEWA	13,155	\$108
FILLMORE	20,916	\$105
KOOCHICHING	15,947	\$104
FARIBAULT	16,614	\$103
HOUSTON	19,245	\$99
CARLTON	30,776	\$98
PINE	23,323	\$97
DOUGLAS	30,927	\$96
WABASHA	20,581	\$93

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**For the Year Ended December 31, 1996**

County	Population	Expenditures
BECKER	29,247	\$89
DODGE	16,926	\$87
TODD	23,931	\$86
LYON	25,284	\$83
POLK	32,885	\$82
WASECA	18,274	\$79
BELTRAMI	36,972	\$78
NOBLES	20,578	\$73
KANDIYOHI	41,502	\$72
LE SUEUR	24,739	\$72
MILLE LACS	20,212	\$71
MOWER	37,674	\$69
OTTER TAIL	53,552	\$67
MORRISON	31,041	\$66
WADENA	13,397	\$66
CROW WING	49,560	\$64
MCLEOD	34,197	\$61
BROWN	27,895	\$59
BLUE EARTH	55,335	\$59
STEELE	32,018	\$59
CHISAGO	37,269	\$58
NICOLLET	29,721	\$58
GOODHUE	42,742	\$57
FREEBORN	32,698	\$55
CLAY	52,895	\$51
WINONA	49,223	\$45
BENTON	33,707	\$44
WRIGHT	79,984	\$44
CARVER	59,183	\$44
ISANTI	29,110	\$40
SHERBURNE	53,772	\$38
STEARNS	128,522	\$38
OLMSTED	115,169	\$37
SCOTT	71,547	\$35
RICE	52,821	\$34
RAMSEY	496,068	\$25
WASHINGTON	181,741	\$25
HENNEPIN	1,070,709	\$17
ANOKA	278,531	\$15
DAKOTA	325,079	\$12