

CITY OF ROCKFORD

ADMINISTRATIVE

City Manager.....Michael Young
 Finance Director.....Jeff Dood
 Utilities Director.....Dick Johnston
 Clerk.....Chris Bedford
 Treasurer.....Kim McKay
 Assessor.....Clyde Kimball
 Community Development.....Jody Greco
 Department of Public Service Supervisor.....Mike Bouwkamp
 Police Chief.....Dave Jones
 Fire Chief.....Mike Reus

COUNCIL

Mayor.....Steven Jazweic
 Mayor Pro-Temp.....Richard Moll
 Council Member.....Neil Blakeslee
 Council Member.....Janiece Rogers
 Council Member.....Mary Eadie



ROCKFORD FARM MARKET

“Come discover the charm of Rockford’s special events.”

- Rockford Farm Market:** Saturday mornings, June–October
- Rogue River Blues Series:** Every Tuesday in June
- Start of Summer Celebration:** Second Weekend in June
- Celtic Festival:** Second Saturday in August
- Art in the Park:** First Saturday after Labor Day
- Harvest Festival:** Three Weekends, September and October
- Santa Claus Parade:** First Saturday in December
- Sweetheart Splash:** Valentine Celebration in February

CITY OF ROCKFORD PARKS

Memorial Park. Rockford’s largest, this 17-acre park provides access to Rum Creek Nature Trail and is home to the Community Cabin. The park also provides a large lawn area for picnicking and sporting activities.

Rotary Park. This park offers not only a playground and a full basketball court, but also an open field area and picnic tables.

Richardson-Sowerby Park. Located on both sides of the Rogue River, the east side of Richardson-Sowerby Park has a covered pavilion with barbeque grills, a new playground and fishing opportunities. A pedestrian bridge leads to a nature trail with a softball diamond and access to the White Pine Trail State Park.

Pickett Park. One of Rockford’s newest, Pickett Park provides the family with picnic tables, an extensive playground and access to the White Pine Trail State Park.

Garden Park. A great spot to relax after walking or riding the White Pine Trail, Garden park offers a great view of the Rogue River and the Rockford Dam. From here, the relaxing Dam Overlook area can be reached. During June, this is location of Rockford’s Rogue River Blues Series.

Peppler Park. Granting excellent access to the Rogue River for fishing, Peppler Park is located on the west side of the Rockford Dam and opens the way into the Rogue River Nature Trail.

Rogue River Nature Trail. This rustic trail takes a trip along the banks of the Rogue River and delivers the beautiful sights and sounds of a more natural side of Rockford.

White Pine Trail State Park. This park, which extends from Grand Rapids to Cadillac, provides access to many sites throughout the area. The White Pine Trail is paved, making it ideal for walking, running, in-line skating and bicycling.



GARDEN PARK



RUM CREEK NATURE TRAIL



ROTARY PARK



WHITE PINE TRAIL STATE PARK



RICHARDSON-SOWERBY PARK

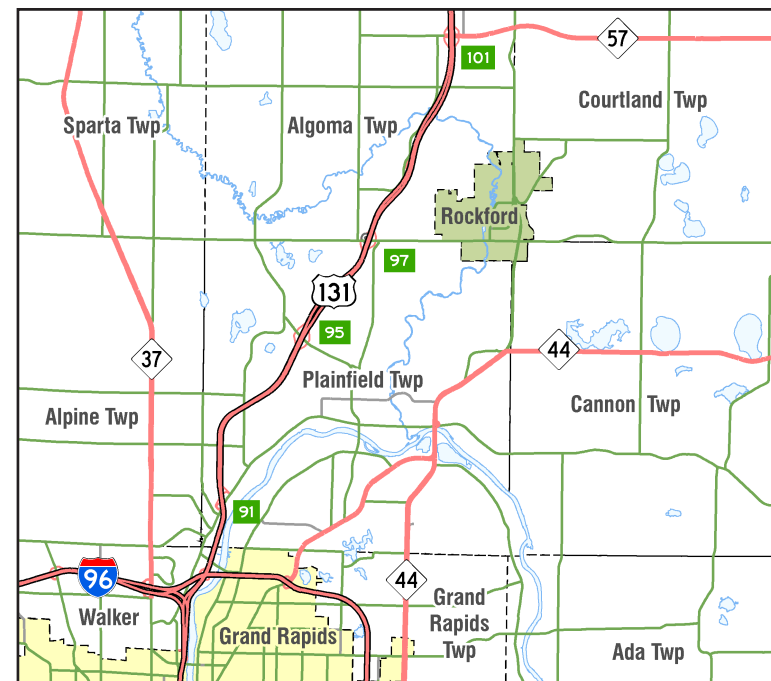


DAM OVERLOOK



ROCKFORD COMMUNITY CABIN

The Rockford Community Cabin offers residents and non-residents a location on North Monroe St. next to Memorial Park in downtown Rockford. The Cabin has capacity for up to 100 people, a fully equipped kitchen and other amenities. Contact the City of Rockford at (616) 866-1537 for availability and rental rates.



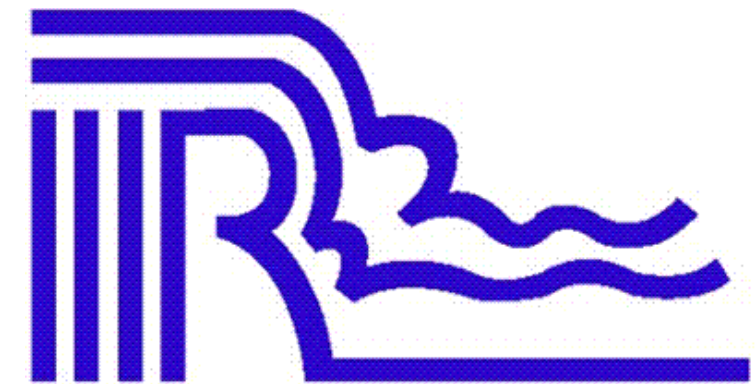
ROCKFORD AND VICINITY

Beautiful downtown Rockford is home to a variety of unique shops, excellent dining establishments, beautiful parks and all around fun for the whole family. With over 60 specialty shops in the downtown area, there is something for everyone. While taking a break from shopping, enjoy the sights and sounds of Rockford’s dam, parks and nature trails. Rockford is located only 15 minutes north of Grand Rapids, east off US-131 at Exit 97.

MAP INFORMATION

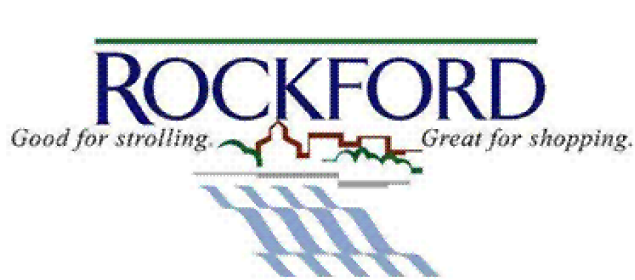
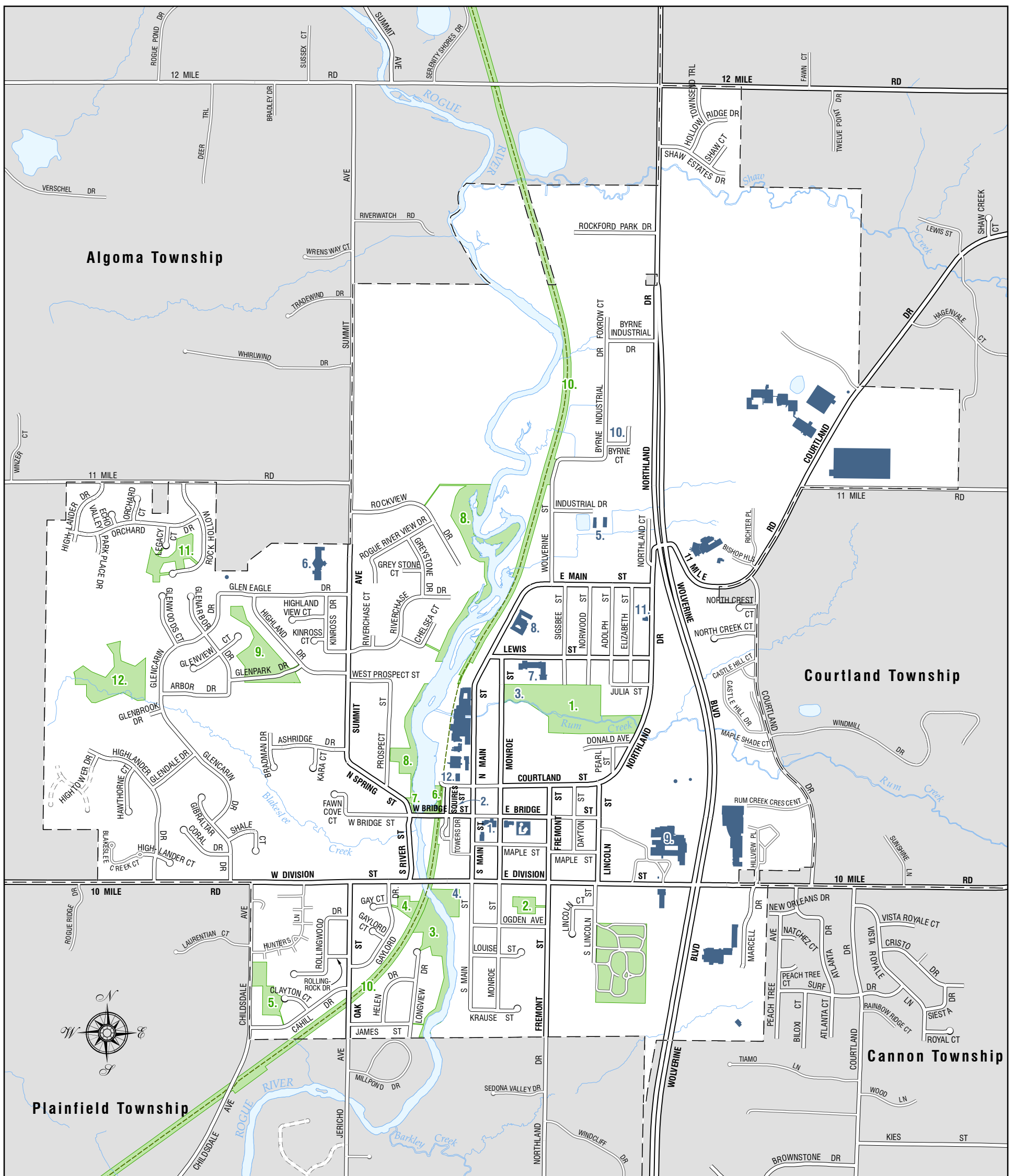
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Map Legend

- Roads & Streets**
 - Highway
 - Primary
 - Secondary
 - Proposed/U.C.
 - Alley
 - Private
- Trails & Bikeways**
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- Major Buildings**
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- Lakes & Ponds**
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- Rivers & Streams**
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Parks & Trailways

1. Memorial Park
2. Rotary Park
3. Richardson-Sowerby Park
4. Pickett Park
5. Cahill Park
6. Garden Park
7. Pepler Park
8. Rogue River Nature Trail
9. Glen Park
10. White Pine Trail State Park
11. Heritage Parkland and Nature Trail
12. Heritage Parkland

Public Buildings

1. Rockford City Hall
 2. City of Rockford Pavillion
Public Restrooms
 3. Community Cabin
 4. Richardson-Sowerby Park Pavillion
Public Restrooms
 5. Department of Public Service
 6. Valley View Elementary
 7. Parkside Elementary
 8. RPS Adiminstration Building
 9. North Rockford Middle School
 10. Rockford Area Chamber of Commerce
 11. Michigan State Police Post 61
 12. U.S. Post Office
- Krause Memorial Library

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