

2026 CAPITAL INVESTMENT REQUEST

CITY OF INVER GROVE HEIGHTS & MINNESOTA HOCKEY HALL OF FAME

A MINNESOTA LEGACY PROJECT

The Minnesota Hockey Hall of Fame is a world-class, immersive experience showcasing our rich hockey tradition. The development will celebrate hockey history and heritage of Minnesota through the individuals and teams that played it, communities and organizations that built it, and the grassroots efforts of those that shaped it – from hockey moms to Zamboni drivers.

Major attractions of the 140,000-square-foot facility include a museum featuring interactive exhibits and hands-on experiences, a Hall of Fame that honors Minnesota greats and contributors to the sport, and an ice arena that gives a historical nod to the nostalgic charm and unique characteristics of arenas throughout the state. From backyard rinks to packed arenas, the Minnesota Hockey Hall of Fame will bring generations together to honor our past, celebrate today and inspire the future.



STATE & REGIONAL SIGNIFICANCE



ATTRACT VISITORS

430,000 to 460,000 Visitors Annually



GROW EMPLOYMENT

400+ New Full- & Part-Time Jobs
740+ Construction & Trades Jobs



BOOST INVESTMENTS

\$151M Private & Public Investments
\$775K-\$1M New Property Taxes



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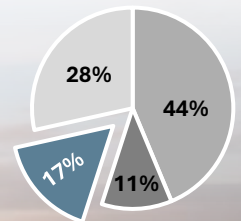
59K+ Registered Hockey Players

STATE FUNDING REQUEST

The Minnesota Hockey Hall of Fame, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, and City of Inver Grove Heights jointly seek legislative approval for a \$20 Million state cash appropriations to construct the Minnesota Hockey Hall of Fame and \$5 Million in GO bonds for site work and public infrastructure.

INVESTMENT OVERVIEW

Private Financing	\$43M
Fundraising & Sponsors	\$66M
City IGH	\$17M
State MN	\$25M



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PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

HOME OF MINNESOTA HOCKEY INVER GROVE HEIGHTS

The specific site in the City of Inver Grove Heights was selected as the home of the Minnesota Hockey Hall of Fame due to three main ideal factors – **visibility, access** and **location**:

- Strong, visible presence fronting Interstate 494, creating a landmark destination.
- Connected local, county and state roadway networks surrounding the site.
- Direct 10-minute drive to the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport.
- Proximity to Downtown St. Paul, Grand Casino Area, TRIA Rink, and Minnesota Wild and Frost.
- Adjacent to Viking Lakes and the Minnesota Vikings headquarters and training complex.
- Future development opportunities spurring further private investment in the region.
- Natural areas and site amenities that reflect Minnesota’s tradition of backyard rinks and community hockey.

HOCKEY HALL OF FAME STATE & COMMUNITY HUB

The 140,000-square-foot Minnesota Hockey Hall of Fame proposes the following features and attractions appealing to hockey enthusiasts and all visitors.

- 30,000-square-foot museum with Great Hall and five (5) exhibit wings
- 48,000-square-foot ice arena
- 29,000-square-foot performance hall
- hockey-themed restaurant and bar
- signature event spaces
- interactive digital experiences.

The MNHHOF aims to grow the sport across the state through community engagement and education, and ‘learn to skate’ programs for boys and girls, underserved and indigenous communities and special hockey programs.

For more information, visit www.mnhhof.com.

MINNESOTA HOCKEY • UNDISPUTED #1 NATIONALLY

HOCKEY IN MINNESOTA BY THE NUMBERS

- 135 community-based organizations
- 59,000+ USA Hockey registered players
- 298 boys & girls varsity teams
- Largest boys & girls state tournaments
- 30 NCAA hockey programs in Minnesota
- 427 Division 1 men & women players
- 300+ Minnesota-born NHL & PWHL players
- 145+ Minnesota-born Olympic players
- **Most gold medals won by players!!**



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