Saint Paul College offers a sustainable, inclusive, accessible, and transformative environment for its students. As the oldest community college in Minnesota, Saint Paul College provides career and transfer educational programs to advance economic opportunities for a diverse population. The majority of students identify as students of color and are first-generation college students. As an anti-racist and trauma-informed institution, Saint Paul College embraces a culture where all individuals feel safe, empowered, and trusted to make personal choices.

**Contributing to the Minnesota Economy**

- Saint Paul College generates an annual impact of **$279.1 million**. This includes a direct impact of $160.9 million and an indirect/induced impact of $118.2 million.

- Spending on operations and capital projects generates $108.1 million of the total impact, and student and visitor spending generates $171 million.

**Supporting and Sustaining Jobs in the State**

- Saint Paul College supports and sustains 2,086 Minnesota jobs (1,476 direct and 610 indirect/induced). These jobs are at the college and in the community – 394 direct jobs are employees of Saint Paul College.

**Generating Local and State Tax Revenue**

- The combined tax impact of Saint Paul College, its suppliers, students and visitors is **$22.6 million**. This includes a direct impact of $15.4 million and indirect/induced impact of $7.2 million.
Alumni in the State Generate Additional Impact

An estimated 13,640 Saint Paul 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 Saint Paul College degree.

Each year, Saint Paul College alumni generate $50.3 million in economic impact for Minnesota and support and sustain 268 jobs. Over their 40-year career, Saint Paul College alumni will generate $2 billion in the economy. These impacts are based on the added value of earning a degree from Saint Paul 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

Saint Paul College offers customized workforce training to businesses, corporations, and nonprofit organizations in all major sectors. Going beyond the numbers, the College is making an impact in the Minnesota economy. By working closely with the Workforce Investment Board, Chamber of Commerce, Port Authority, Greater MSP, and economic development teams, Saint Paul College is at the table helping to provide the talent and the workforce that businesses need to succeed and prosper.

Saint Paul College Student Profile

- 7,652 students enrolled in fall 2022
- 1,404 graduates each year
- 51% Pell recipients
- 60% first-generation students attending college
- 1:19 students per full time faculty member
- 171 students currently enrolled are veterans

An estimated $3,865,948 in charitable donations and volunteer services are generated annually by faculty, staff, and students.

- $497,338 donated to local charitable organizations by faculty, staff, and students.
- $3,368,610 of volunteer time by faculty, staff, and students.