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FOR YOUR CALENDAR

- March 10 Early Registration
 Deadline for Spring Parade
- March 20 Regular Registration
 Deadline for Spring Parade
- March 28 Lunch Session: Workforce Recruitment & Retention
- March 29 Building Industry
 Connect with Moorhead
- March 30 HBA Happy Hour at Fargo Glass & Paint Company
- April 4 Building Officials Roundtable
- + May 6-8 and 13-15 Spring Parade of Homes
- May 24 Remodelers Council Picnic

Visit the calendar at hbafm.com to register.

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Our 2022 year-end issue is here!

See page 9 for the popular "Top 5" summary reporting builders who produced the most volume and units across all local jurisdictions in 2022 compared to 2021. Pages 4-8 report all activity across all sectors and 12 local cities.

Did you know: HBA of F-M has a year-end report for purchase by members only?

It includes detail on new home builders' permit activity as well as new housing and commercial permits by value/community. Cost is \$100: call (701) 232-5846 or email info@hbafm.com for details.

CALL TO ACTION: MN House File 2 & Senate File 2

Your HBA of F-M emailed a call to action on these two bills Feb. 14. They relate to paid family and medical leave. Every employer in the state regardless of size is mandated to participate.

"Covered Employment" can include extraterritorial employment outside the state of Minnesota so long as some work is performed in Minnesota and the employer is a Minnesota employer. Both bills are moving through committees in the House and Senate. HF 2 is with the Commerce Finance & Policy Committee and SF 2 is with the Jobs & Economic Development Committee.

HBA of F-M is opposed because:

- Business competition is already difficult in Minnesota. This is especially the case for our region where we are competing with our next door neighbor, North Dakota.
- Small and medium-sized businesses already operate on a tight budget, this will cause them to either relocate or close their business for good.
- With the current workforce climate, it leaves an employer in a difficult situation when an employee is gone for 24 weeks.
- In order to recoup the money spent, builders may have to add it to the cost of a home, thus pricing out even more buyers already challenged to find attainable housing.

CALL TO ACTION continued on page 10

Update on Horace's two-year property tax exemption for new construction

On Jan. 24, the Horace city council addressed the expiration of the twoyear property tax exemption. Over 50 residents, Realtors, builders and homeowners showed up for the discussion. Here are the outcomes:

- 1. The tax exemption will be honored for permits pulled in 2022. This was the first vote the council did, prior to the presentation done by the Fargo Moorhead Area Association of Realtors (FMAAR) and HBA of F-M.
- 2. The exemption will remain expired for 6 months, and will be reevaluated in July at another Horace city council meeting. The motion passed with three affirmative votes.

What occured in Horace highlights the need to continue sharing the positive stories that come from utilizing tax exemptions and other economic incentives. The HBA will continue work with FMAAR in the months ahead and will be prepared to address the exemption in June. In the meantime, we encourage you to remain engaged! Thank you to everyone that provided insight, showed their support and presented at the meeting.



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Registration opens soon!

HBA of F-M's BUILDING OFFICIALS ROUNDTABLE

11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. April 4 HBA of F-M Office

Virtual and in-person registration will be available.

Cost is \$20 and includes lunch.

Call (701) 232-5846 or visit members.hbafm.com/calendar





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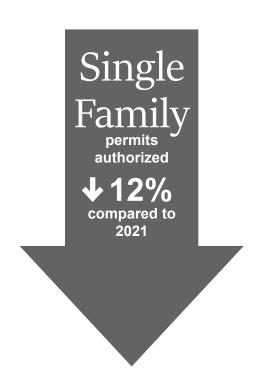
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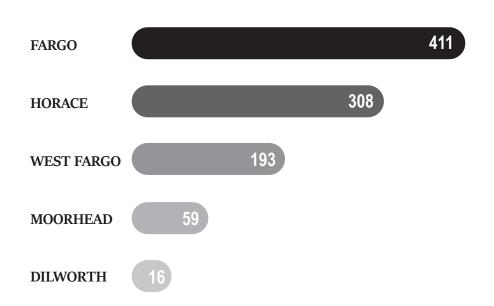
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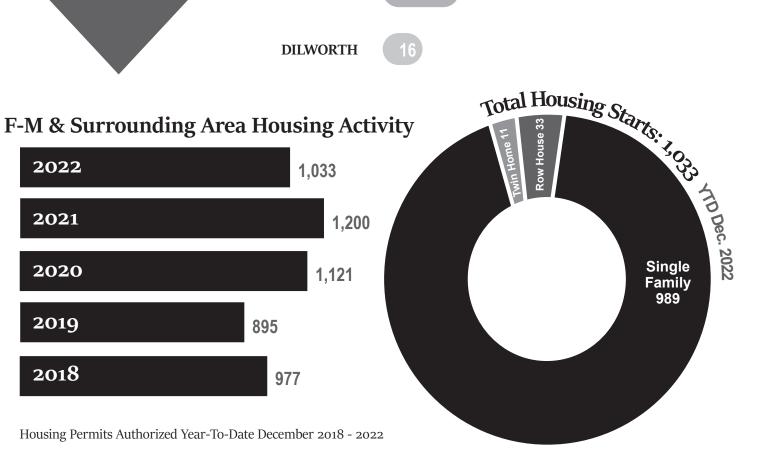


See the next page for detailed year-to-date statistics for the Fargo-Moorhead area and surrounding communities through December 2022.



December Top Cities For Housing Permits







Each month, Home Builders Association of Fargo-Moorhead contracts with Brady Martz & Associates, P.C., to compile the building permits into a uniform report. It includes a grand total on this page for all jurisdictions, types of construction, valuations and comparisons. On pages 2-5, jurisdictions are broken down into further detail as follows:

- **Primary**: Fargo, Moorhead, West Fargo Noted in Yellow on Page 2
- Bordering: Dilworth, Horace Noted in Blue on Page 3
- Neighboring: Barnesville, Casselton, Harwood, Hawley, Kindred, Mapleton, Oxbow Noted in Green on Pages 4 and 5

All Jurisdictions

		201	18		201	19		202	20		202	21		202	22	% Difference	21-22		5-Yr	Avg
GRAND TOTAL	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Value	Permits	Units	Value
Total Housing Starts	977		\$237,481,041	895		\$216,733,398	1,121		\$306,765,680	1,200		\$369,702,550	1,033		\$336,662,569	-14%	-9%	1,045		\$293,469,048
Single Family	893		\$220,501,246	753		\$189,855,712	1020		\$286,498,442	1128		\$345,290,401	989		\$322,904,382	-12%	-6%	957		\$273,010,037
Twin Home	73		\$14,179,800	88		\$15,592,000	47		\$10,812,890	46		\$10,666,860	11		\$3,187,080	-76%	-70%	53		\$10,887,726
Row / Town House	11	11	\$2,799,995	54	54	\$11,285,686	54	54	\$9,454,348	26	26	\$13,745,289	33	33	\$10,571,107	27%	-23%	36	36	\$9,571,285
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	37	1238	\$135,764,578	8	571	\$78,971,480	25	1123	\$127,020,603	18	1247	\$177,477,270	26	1370	\$195,941,409	44%	10%	23	1110	\$143,035,068
New Commercial	122		\$164,912,653	115		\$164,457,889	126		\$207,841,952	167		\$303,155,486	194		\$338,367,580	16%	12%	145		\$235,747,112
Residential Remodel	1947		\$31,914,637	1818		\$28,976,789	1982		\$31,267,040	1957		\$34,540,855	1708		\$35,124,713	-13%	2%	1882		\$32,364,807
Commercial Remodel	555		\$157,089,343	608		\$145,505,610	545		\$207,024,707	626		\$292,182,476	527		\$224,610,354	-16%	-23%	572		\$205,282,498
Public	36		\$61,911,198	66		\$65,286,859	63		\$196,298,516	44		\$100,620,350	51		\$162,447,234	16%	61%	52		\$117,312,831
Miscellaneous	557		\$49,995,351	367		\$20,111,164	556		\$55,946,666	487		\$62,954,505	446		\$69,940,601	-8%	11%	483		\$51,789,657
Total	4231	•	\$839,068,801	3877	,	\$720,043,189	4418	•	\$1,132,165,164	4499	•	\$1,340,633,492	3985	,	\$1,363,094,461	-11%	2%	4202	,	\$1,079,001,021

The HBA of F-M has additional year-end reports available for purchase by members only.

They include detail on new home builders' permit activity, new housing and commercial permits by value and community. Cost is \$100.

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The HBA of F-M nurtures a thriving, innovative, and diverse housing industry in our community. It is a non-profit trade association of just under 750 members that has been in existence since 1956.



Primary Communities

		20	18		20	19		20	020		20	121		202	22	% Difference	e 21-22		5-Yr	Avg
FARGO, ND	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Value	Permits	Units	Value
Total Housing Starts	313		\$81,838,949	312		\$76,979,647	449		\$120,313,845	429		\$126,870,474	411		\$123,127,791	-4%	-3%	383		\$105,826,141
Single Family	278		\$73,167,154	268		\$68,393,961	383		\$108,319,447	382		\$116,310,474	379		\$116,180,764	-1%	-	338		\$96,474,360
Twin Home	24		\$5,871,800	4		\$520,000	12		\$2,540,050	28		\$6,420,000	4		\$730,000	-86%	-89%	14		\$3,216,370
Row / Town House	11	11	\$2,799,995	40	40	\$8,065,686	54	54	\$9,454,348	19	19	\$4,140,000	28	28	\$6,217,027	47%	50%	30	30	\$6,135,411
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	26	914	\$92,097,293	2	172	\$19,400,000	16	1019	\$114,873,603	12	839	\$135,623,645	18	996	\$131,808,941	50%	-3%	15	788	\$98,760,696
New Commercial	63		\$119,031,408	56		\$116,258,978	64		\$138,056,323	72		\$183,707,092	134		\$238,133,886	86%	30%	78		\$159,037,537
Residential Remodel	1003		\$18,663,231	857		\$14,966,215			\$16,696,311	908		\$18,086,194	729		\$17,442,577	-20%	-4%	886		\$17,170,906
Commercial Remodel	397		\$109,059,319			\$98,295,291	362		\$147,826,843	427		\$165,521,076	375		\$147,216,113	-12%	-11%	397		\$133,583,728
Public	26 307		\$50,519,819	42 136		\$26,757,126	44 291		\$140,597,167	35		\$85,589,200	42 225		\$140,864,639	20%	65%	38 245		\$88,865,590
Miscellaneous	2135		\$43,934,865	1830		\$9,335,232 \$361,992,489			\$49,226,990	265 2148		\$55,999,211 \$771,396,892	1934		\$57,312,106	-15% - 10 %	2% 11%	2041		\$43,161,681
Total	2135		\$515,144,884	1630		\$361,992,469	2100		\$727,591,082	2146		\$777,396,692	1934		\$855,906,053	-10%	11%	2041		\$646,406,280
MOORHEAD, MN																				
Total Housing Starts	135		\$27,385,287	125		\$23,904,849	129		\$28,356,447	108		\$27,276,750	59		\$16,637,449	-45%	-39%	111		\$24,712,156
Single Family	122		\$25,040,287	117		\$22,418,849			\$26,676,547	104		\$26,476,750	59		\$16,637,449	-43%	-37%	104		\$23,449,976
Twin Home	13		\$2,345,000	8		\$1,486,000	9		\$1,679,900	4		\$800,000	-		-	-100%	-100%	7		\$1,262,180
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Multi-Family New Commercial	16	185	\$19,250,000	20	81	\$11,081,823 \$11,693,761	13	69	\$7,422,000 \$24.521.938	2 17	1/6	\$22,583,625 \$34,241,837	17	139	\$21,434,073	-	-5% -49%	17	130	\$16,354,304
Residential Remodel	446		\$9,151,660 \$4,692,161	464		\$4,920,833	507		\$4,790,397	493		\$5,891,948	451		\$17,310,822 \$6,123,159	-9%	-49% 4%	472		\$19,384,004 \$5,283,700
Commercial Remodel	90		\$31,672,616	96		\$26.020.058			\$32.010.313	94		\$103.679.883	73		\$50.684.021	-22%	-51%	90		\$48,813,378
Public	90		φ31,072,010	30		φ20,020,030	90		φ32,010,313 -	34		\$103,079,003	-		φ30,004,021	-22 /0	-5170	90		φ40,013,370
Miscellaneous	54		\$379,997	49		\$318,244	37		\$455,651	36		\$396,500	22		\$400,508	-39%	1%	40		\$390,180
Total	748		\$92.531.721	757		\$77.939.568			\$97.556.746	750		\$194.070.543	624		\$112.590.032	-17%	-42%	733		\$114,937,722
WEST FARGO, ND			+,,			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			401,000,110			, ,			+					+
Total Housing Starts	385		\$85,344,076	312		\$74,719,705	374		\$103,677,956	288		\$101,101,356	193		\$74,675,806	-33%	-26%	310		\$87,903,780
Single Family	355		\$80,503,076			\$58,893,705			\$97,685,016	279		\$92,380,319	193		\$74.675.806	-31%	-19%	281		\$80,827,584
Twin Home	30		\$4,841,000	70		\$12,606,000	22		\$5,992,940	4		\$837,500	-		-	-100%	-100%	25		\$4,855,488
Row / Town House	-	_		14	14	\$3,220,000		_	-	5	5	\$7.883.537	_	_	_	-100%	-100%	4	4	\$2,220,707
Duplex	_	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-		_	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	4	139	\$24,417,285	3	318	\$48,489,657	5	35	\$4,725,000	2	124	\$9,970,000	1	55	\$14,000,000	-50%	40%	3	134	\$20,320,388
New Commercial	29		\$30,533,552	28		\$32,527,950	24		\$34,425,315	50		\$69,928,919	17		\$28,203,290	-66%	-60%	30		\$39,123,805
Residential Remodel	351		\$5,452,471	317		\$4,424,459			\$6,117,282	342		\$7,161,153	292		\$7,088,850	-15%	-1%	329		\$6,048,843
Commercial Remodel	52		\$14,125,043	68		\$16,756,385			\$21,444,947	70		\$14,873,207	58		\$19,572,317	-17%	32%	63		\$17,354,380
Public	8		\$10,136,186	12		\$2,880,990	5		\$2,738,142	6		\$8,140,950	8		\$21,482,595	33%	164%	8		\$9,075,773
Miscellaneous	65		\$2,956,340	71		\$9,307,008			\$3,508,471	41		\$3,580,931	63		\$2,323,547	54%	-35%	64		\$4,335,259
Total	894		\$172,964,953	811		\$189,106,154	900		\$176,637,113	799		\$214,756,516	632		\$167,346,405	-21%	-22%	807		\$184,162,228
TOTAL - Primary																				
Total Housing Starts	833		\$194,568,312	749		\$175,604,201	952		\$252,348,248	825		\$255,248,580	663		\$214,441,046	-20%	-16%	804		\$218,442,077
Single Family	755		\$178,710,517	613		\$149,706,515			\$232,681,010	765		\$235,167,543	631		\$207,494,019	-18%	-12%	724		\$200,751,921
Twin Home	67		\$13,057,800	82		\$14,612,000	43		\$10,212,890	36		\$8,057,500	4		\$730,000	-89%	-91%	46		\$9,334,038
Row / Town House	11	11	\$2,799,995	54	54	\$11,285,686	54	54	\$9,454,348	24	24	\$12,023,537	28	28	\$6,217,027	17%	-48%	34	34	\$8,356,119
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	37	1238	\$135,764,578	8	571	\$78,971,480	25	1123	\$127,020,603		1139	\$168,177,270		1190	\$167,243,014	31%	-1%	21	1052	\$135,435,389
New Commercial	108		\$158,716,620	104		\$160,480,689			\$197,003,576	139		\$287,877,848	168		\$283,647,998	21%	-1%	124		\$217,545,346
Residential Remodel	1800		\$28,807,863	1638		\$24,311,507	1781		\$27,603,990	1743		\$31,139,295	1472		\$30,654,586	-16%	-2%	1687		\$28,503,448
Commercial Remodel	539		\$154,856,978			\$141,071,734			\$201,282,103	591		\$284,074,166	506		\$217,472,451	-14%	-23%	550		\$199,751,486
Public	34		\$60,656,005	54		\$29,638,116	49		\$143,335,309	41		\$93,730,150	50		\$162,347,234	22%	73%	46		\$97,941,363
Miscellaneous	426		\$47,271,202			\$18,960,484	409		\$53,191,112	342		\$59,976,642	310		\$60,036,161	-9%	-	349		\$47,887,120
Total	3,777		\$780,641,558	3,398		\$629,038,211	3,844		\$1,001,784,941	3,697		\$1,180,223,951	3,190		\$1,135,842,490	-14%	-4%	3,581		\$945,506,230



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Bordering Communities

		201	8		201	9		202	0		202	21		202	22	% Differen	ce 21-22		5-Yr	Avg
DILWORTH, MN	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Value	Permits	Units	Value									
Total Housing Starts	15		\$4,246,000	19		\$4,450,502	17		\$5,266,824	16		\$5,392,000	16		\$4,974,800	-	-8%	17		\$4,866,025
Single Family	15		\$4,246,000	19		\$4,450,502	17		\$5,266,824	16		\$5,392,000	16		\$4,974,800	-	-8%	17		\$4,866,025
Twin Home	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-	-		-
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	72	\$5,700,000	-	-	-	-100%	-100%	-	14	\$1,140,000
New Commercial	2		\$2,900,000	2		\$1,055,000	1		\$1,075,000	4		\$3,186,900	-		-	-100%	-100%	2		\$1,643,380
Residential Remodel	30		\$301,359	31		\$258,429	27		\$298,637	33		\$533,052	22		\$368,344	-33%	-31%	29		\$351,964
Commercial Remodel	5		\$505,315	4		\$51,386	2		\$165,000	9		\$300,625	5		\$530,819	-44%	77%	5		\$310,629
Public	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-	-		-
Miscellaneous	18		\$527,000	21		\$164,298	32		\$133,836	22		\$463,226	22		\$232,462	-	-50%	23		\$304,164
Total	70		\$8,479,674	77		\$5,979,615	79		\$6,939,297	85		\$15,575,803	65		\$6,106,426	-24%	-61%	76		\$8,616,163
HORACE, ND																				
Total Housing Starts	50		\$13,538,825	71		\$19,495,690	86		\$25,670,124	293		\$86,152,594	308		\$93,560,386		9%	161		\$47,683,524
Single Family	50		\$13,538,825	71		\$19,495,690	86		\$25,670,124	283		\$82,227,310	299		\$87,439,226		-	158		\$45,674,235
Twin Home	-		-	-		-	-		-	8		\$2,203,532	4		\$1,767,080	-50%	-20%	2		\$794,122
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	\$1,721,752	5	5	\$4,354,080	150%	153%	1	1	\$1,215,166
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	180	\$28,698,395	-	-	1	36	\$5,739,679
New Commercial	2		\$300,000	1		\$750,000	14		\$5,088,195	12		\$7,142,095	12		\$17,017,248	-	138%	8		\$6,059,508
Residential Remodel	21		\$871,300	26		\$1,509,385	68		\$1,471,346	112		\$995,155	143		\$2,168,938	28%	118%	74		\$1,403,225
Commercial Remodel	-		-	1		\$55,000	1		\$300,000	6		\$1,338,000	4		\$271,000	-33%	-80%	2		\$392,800
Public	-		-	2		\$29,607,211	9		\$47,796,983	2		\$6,520,200	-		-	-100%	-100%	3		\$16,784,879
Miscellaneous	16		\$892,300	22		\$539,226	27		\$1,228,193	34		\$1,439,126	29		\$8,340,672	-15%	480%	26		\$2,487,903
Total	89		\$15,602,425	123		\$51,956,512	205		\$81,554,841	459		\$103,587,170	501		\$150,056,639	9%	45%	275		\$80,551,517
TOTAL - Bordering																				
Total Housing Starts	65		\$17,784,825	90		\$23,946,192	103		\$30,936,948	309		\$91,544,594	324		\$98,535,186	5%	8%	177		\$52,549,549
Single Family	65		\$17,784,825	90		\$23,946,192	103		\$30,936,948	299		\$87,619,310	315		\$92,414,026		5%	174		\$50,540,260
Twin Home	-		-	-		-	-		-	8		\$2,203,532	4		\$1,767,080	-50%	-20%	2		\$794,122
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	\$1,721,752	5	5	\$4,354,080	150%	153%	1	1	\$1,215,166
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	72	\$5,700,000	5	180	\$28,698,395	400%	403%	1	50	\$6,879,679
New Commercial	4		\$3,200,000	3		\$1,805,000	15		\$6,163,195	16		\$10,328,995	12		\$17,017,248	-25%	65%	10		\$7,702,888
Residential Remodel	51		\$1,172,659	57		\$1,767,814	95		\$1,769,983	145		\$1,528,207	165		\$2,537,282	14%	66%	103		\$1,755,189
Commercial Remodel	5		\$505,315	5		\$106,386	3		\$465,000	15		\$1,638,625	9		\$801,819	-40%	-51%	7		\$703,429
Public	-		-	2		\$29,607,211	9		\$47,796,983	2		\$6,520,200	-		-	-100%	-100%	3		\$16,784,879
Miscellaneous	34		\$1,419,300	43		\$703,524	59		\$1,362,029	56		\$1,902,352	51		\$8,573,134	-9%	351%	49		\$2,792,068
Total	159	-	\$24,082,099	200		\$57,936,127	284	-	\$88,494,138	544		\$119,162,973	566		\$156,163,065	4%	31%	349		\$89,167,680



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Neighboring Communities

	201	18		2019		2020			2021			2022	2	% Difference	e 21-22		5-Yr	Avg
BARNESVILLE, MN	Permits Units	Value	Permits	Units Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Value	Permits	Units	Value
Total Housing Starts	11	\$1,810,757	10	\$2,055,000	12		\$2,799,000	15		\$4,236,500	5		\$1,975,000	-67%	-53%	10		\$2,575,251
Single Family	11	\$1,810,757	10	\$2,055,000	12		\$2,799,000	15		\$4,236,500	4		\$1,725,000	-73%	-59%	10		\$2,525,251
Twin Home	-	-	_	-	_		-			-	1		\$250,000		-	-		\$50,000
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Multi-Family			-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Commercial	3	\$253,108	3	\$326,200	1		\$70,000	4		\$1,129,306	3		\$2,518,529	-25%	123%	3		\$859,429
Residential Remodel	32	\$568,945	65	\$1,296,701	48		\$616,813	25		\$384,299	39		\$809,993	56%	111%	42		\$735,350
Commercial Remodel	2	\$1,062,000	8	\$325,990	2		\$51,500	4		\$284,500	1		\$10,000	-75%	-96%	3		\$346,798
Public	2	\$1,255,193	4	\$154,700	1		\$17.000	-		-	1		\$100,000	-	-	2		\$305,379
Miscellaneous	72	\$723,574	41	\$152,256	51		\$787,040	49		\$293,580	45		\$248,928	-8%	-15%	52		\$441,076
Total	122	\$5,673,577	131	\$4,310,847	115		\$4,341,353	97		\$6,328,185	94		\$5,662,450	-3%	-11%	112		\$5,263,282
CASSELTON, ND		, , , , , , ,		, ,,-			. ,. ,. ,			, ,,, ,,			, , , , , , ,					, , , , , ,
Total Housing Starts	7	\$2,643,000	4	\$1,172,885	2		\$351.915	6		\$2.020.486	10		\$5,060,900	67%	150%	5		\$2,249,837
Single Family	5	\$2,273,000	4	\$1,172,885	2		\$351,915	6		\$2,020,486	10		\$5,060,900	67%	150%	5		\$2,175,837
Twin Home	2	\$370.000		ψ1,112,000 -			φουτ,στο	_		ψ <u>2</u> ,0 <u>2</u> 0,100	_		-	-	-	_		\$74.000
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Multi-Family		-	_		_		-	_	-	_			_		_			=
New Commercial	3	\$1.712.925	-		6	-	\$3,535,181	2	_	\$255,000	5		\$7.396.427	150%	2801%	3		\$2,579,907
Residential Remodel	16	\$414,600	18	\$488.050	12		\$207,058	14		\$369,000	13		\$533,486	-7%	45%	15		\$402,439
Commercial Remodel	4	\$385,300	4	\$2,736,500	7		\$4,608,244	9		\$3,735,805	7		\$2,937,084	-22%	-21%	6		\$2,880,587
Public	-	φοσο,σσσ	2	\$2,417,000	1		\$275,000	-		Ψ0,700,000			Ψ2,007,004	2270	2170	1		\$538,400
Miscellaneous			3	\$8,000	13		\$348,785	14		\$399,500	16		\$555,870	14%	39%	9		\$262,431
Total	30	\$5,155,825	31	\$6,822,435	41		\$9,326,183	45		\$6,779,791	51		\$16,483,767	13%	143%	40		\$8,913,600
HARWOOD, ND		40,100,020		+0,022,100			40,020,100			40,1.0,10.			\$10,100,101	.0,0	, .			40,010,000
Total Housing Starts	6	\$1,604,000	-		-			-			-		-		-	1		\$320,800
Single Family	6	\$1,604,000	_		_		-	-		_	_		_	_	_	1		\$320.800
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Multi-Family			_				_						_		_			_
New Commercial	-		1	\$100.000	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-			\$20,000
Residential Remodel	10	\$108,500	4	\$113,000	1		\$75,000	1		\$6,768	-			-100%	-100%	3		\$60,654
Commercial Remodel	-	\$100,000	_	φ110,000	-		ψ. ο,οοο -	2		\$2,212,380	-		-	-100%	-100%	_		\$442,476
Public	-		1	\$3,134,610	-			-		-	-		-	-	-			\$626,922
Miscellaneous	2	\$30,000	7	\$102,000	1		\$37,000	1		\$65,150	-			-100%	-100%	2		\$46,830
Total	18	\$1,742,500	13	\$3,449,610	2		\$112,000	4		\$2,284,298	-		-	-100%	-100%	6		\$1.517.682
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Total Housing Starts	6	\$1,547,900	7	\$1,865,000	6		\$1,952,000	2		\$610.000	2		\$560.000	-	-8%	5		\$1,306,980
Single Family	6	\$1.547.900	7	\$1.865.000	6		\$1,952,000	2		\$610,000			\$560,000	-	-8%	5		\$1,306,980
Twin Home	1	-	2	-			-			-			-	2	-			-
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Duplex			_			-	_		-	_		_	_	_	_		_	_
Multi-Family		-	-		-	-	-	1	36	\$3,600,000	-	-	-	-100%	-100%	-	7	\$720,000
New Commercial	-		1	\$800.000	-			1		\$1,500,000	1		\$986.000	-	-34%	1		\$657,200
Residential Remodel	1	\$4,000	1	\$210,000	1		\$67,340			,			-	-		1		\$56,268
Commercial Remodel	2	\$132,000		ΨΞ.0,000	1		\$361,860	-			-		_	-	_	1		\$98,772
Public	-	ψ.σ <u>2</u> ,σσσ	_		2		\$4,809,224	1		\$370,000	-			-100%	-100%	1		\$1,035,845
Miscellaneous	19	\$244,275	11	\$76,700	18		\$114,700	10		\$72,000	6		\$47,500	-40%	-34%	13		\$111,035
Total	28	\$1.928.175	20	\$2.951.700	28		\$7,305,124	15		\$6.152.000	9		\$1.593.500	-40%	-74%	21		\$3,986,100
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KINDRED, ND	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Units	Value	Permits	Value	Permits	Units Value
Total Housing Starts	10		\$3.211.956	10		\$2.670.525	14		\$3,786,446	15		\$5,904,340	11		\$5.421.000	-27%	-8%	12	\$4.198.853
Single Family	10		\$3,211,956	8		\$2,270,525	10		\$3,186,446	15		\$5,904,340	11		\$5,421,000	-27%	-8%	11	\$3,998,853
Twin Home	-		-	2		\$400,000	4		\$600,000	-		-	-		-	-	-	1	\$200,000
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
Duplex	-		-	-		_			-		-	-	_		-	-	-		
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
New Commercial	-		-	-		-	2		\$270,000	-		-	1		\$20,533,000	-	-	1	\$4,160,600
Residential Remodel	11		\$144,049	14		\$334,200	17		\$384,457	11		\$313.015	7		\$118,500	-36%	-62%	12	\$258,844
Commercial Remodel	1		\$32,750	-		-	3		\$226,000	1		\$15,000	1		\$3,228,000	-	21420%	1	\$700,350
Public	-		-	3		\$335.222	1		\$65,000	-		-	-		-	-	-	1	\$80.044
Miscellaneous	1		\$3,000	4		\$96,700	3		\$88,500	10		\$67,650	9		\$288,850	-10%	327%	5	\$108,940
Total	23		\$3,391,755	31		\$3,436,647	40		\$4,820,403	37		\$6,300,005	29		\$29,589,350	-22%	370%	32	\$9,507,632
MAPLETON, ND																			
Total Housing Starts	26		\$7.086.934	17		\$4.406.595	17		\$4.935.505	21		\$5.653.050	15		\$7.071.437	-29%	25%	19	\$5.830.704
Single Family	22		\$6,334,934	13		\$3,826,595	17		\$4,935,505	19		\$5,247,222	13		\$6,631,437	-32%	26%	17	\$5,395,139
Twin Home	4		\$752,000	4		\$580,000	7		-	2		\$405,828	2		\$440,000	-	8%	2	\$435,566
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
New Commercial	2		\$680,000	1		\$44,000	1		\$800,000	5		\$2,064,337	4		\$6,268,378	-20%	204%	3	\$1,971,343
Residential Remodel	25		\$634,020	17		\$393,100	17		\$349,499	12		\$174,271	8		\$352,623	-33%	102%	16	\$380,703
Commercial Remodel	2		\$115,000	2		\$1,265,000	2		\$30,000	4		\$222,000	3		\$161,000	-25%	-27%	3	\$358,600
Public	3		0004.000	-		044.500	-		647.500	-		- 0477.004	-		650.450	40%	700/	4	- 0440.450
Miscellaneous			\$304,000	2		\$11,500	2		\$17,500	5		\$177,631	07		\$50,158		-72%		\$112,158
Total	58		\$8,819,954	39		\$6,120,195	39		\$6,132,504	47		\$8,291,289	37		\$13,903,596	-21%	68%	45	\$8,653,508
OXBOW, ND																			
Total Housing Starts	13		\$7,223,357	8		\$5,013,000	15		\$9,655,618	7		\$4,485,000	3		\$3,598,000	-57%	-20%	9	\$5,994,995
Single Family	13		\$7,223,357	8		\$5,013,000	15		\$9,655,618	7		\$4,485,000	3		\$3,598,000	-57%	-20%	9	\$5,994,995
Twin Home	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
Row / Town House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Duplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
New Commercial	2		\$350,000	2		\$902,000	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-	1	\$250,400
Residential Remodel	1		\$60,001	4		\$62,417	10		\$192,900	6		\$626,000	4		\$118,243	-33%	-81%	5	\$211,912
Commercial Remodel	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
Public	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	-			-		-	-			-		-	2		\$140,000	-		-	\$28,000
Total	16		\$7,633,358	14		\$5,977,417	25		\$9,848,518	13		\$5,111,000	9		\$3,856,243	-31%	-25%	15	\$6,485,307
TOTAL - Neighboring	g																		
Total Housing Starts	79		\$25,127,904	56		\$17,183,005	66		\$23,480,484	66		\$22,909,376	46		\$23,686,337	-30%	3%	62	\$22,477,421
Single Family	73		\$24,005,904	50		\$16,203,005	62		\$22,880,484	64		\$22,503,548	43		\$22,996,337	-33%	2%	58	\$21,717,856
Twin Home	6		\$1,122,000	6		\$980,000	4		\$600,000	2		\$405,828	3		\$690,000	50%	70%	4	\$759,566
Row / Town House	-		- 1	-		-			-			- 1	_		- 1	-	-		
Duplex	-	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	_	_	-	
Multi-Family	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	36	\$3,600,000	-	-	-	-100%	-100%	-	7 \$720,000
New Commercial	10		\$2,996,033	8		\$2,172,200	10		\$4,675,181	12		\$4,948,643	14		\$37,702,334	17%	662%	11	\$10,498,878
Residential Remodel	96		\$1,934,115	123		\$2,897,468	106		\$1,893,067	69		\$1,873,353	71		\$1,932,845	3%	3%	93	\$2,106,170
Commercial Remodel	11		\$1,727,050	14		\$4,327,490	15		\$5,277,604	20		\$6,469,685	12		\$6,336,084	-40%	-2%	14	\$4,827,583
Public	2		\$1,255,193	10		\$6,041,532	5		\$5,166,224	1		\$370,000	1		\$100,000	-	-73%	4	\$2,586,590
Miscellaneous	97		\$1,304,849	68		\$447,156	88		\$1,393,525	89		\$1.075.511	85		\$1,331,306	-4%	24%	85	\$1,110,469
Total	295		\$34,345,144	279		\$33.068.851	290		\$41,886,085	258		\$41,246,568	229		\$71,088,906	-11%	72%	270	\$44,327,111
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2022 Home Builders Association of Fargo-Moorhead Top 5 Summary

Top 5 Single Family Builders - Units		2022		Top 5 Single Family Builders - Units		2021	
,,	Units	Value	HBA Member		Units	Value	HBA Member
1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.		\$ 48,906,081	X	1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.		57,283,274	X
2 Thomsen Homes, LLC		\$ 43,064,121	х	2 Thomsen Homes, LLC		44,047,736	X
3 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC		\$ 27,038,140	Х	3 Brookstone Property, LLC		22,623,150	X
4 Brookstone Property, LLC		\$ 20,224,482	Х	4 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC		25,445,335	X
5 Heritage Homes, LLC		\$ 20,700,005	X	5 Heritage Homes, LLC		23,204,877	X
** Note: 11 homes valued at \$4,416,109 were built by ow.		. , ,		** Note: 17 homes valued at \$6,572,783 were built by		, ,	
Top 5 Single Family Builders - Value				Top 5 Single Family Builders - Value			
1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.	208	\$ 48,906,081	X	1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.	242 \$	57,283,274	x
2 Thomsen Homes, LLC	181	\$ 43,064,121	X	2 Thomsen Homes, LLC	175 \$	44,047,736	x
3 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC	84	\$ 27,038,140	x	3 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC	87 \$	25,445,335	X
4 Heritage Homes, LLC	47	\$ 20,700,005	X	4 Heritage Homes, LLC	57 \$	23,204,877	x
5 Brookstone Property, LLC	81	\$ 20,224,482	X	5 Brookstone Property, LLC	98 \$	22,623,150	х
Top 5 HBA of FM Member Builders - Units (SF, TH, RH)				Top 5 HBA of FM Member Builders - Units (SF, TH, F	эп/		
1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.		\$ 49,276,081	x	1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.	•	57,283,274	×
2 Thomsen Homes, LLC		\$ 43,064,121	x	2 Thomsen Homes, LLC		44,047,736	×
3 Brookstone Property, LLC		\$ 28,325,642	X	3 Brookstone Property, LLC		31,228,434	×
4 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC		\$ 27,038,140	x	4 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC		25,445,335	×
5 Heritage Homes, LLC		\$ 20,700,005	X	5 Heritage Homes, LLC		23,204,877	X
Top 5 HBA of FM Member Builders - Value (SF, TH, RH	١			Top 5 HBA of FM Member Builders - Value (SF, TH, I	BH)		
1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.	•	\$ 49,276,081	x	1 Jordahl Custom Homes, Inc.	•	57,283,274	x
2 Thomsen Homes, LLC		\$ 43,064,121	×	2 Thomsen Homes, LLC		44,047,736	x
3 Brookstone Property, LLC		\$ 28,325,642	×	3 Brookstone Property, LLC		31,228,434	×
4 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC		\$ 27,038,140	X	4 Dabbert Custom Homes, LLC		25,445,335	X
5 Heritage Homes, LLC		\$ 20,700,005	X	5 Heritage Homes, LLC		23,204,877	X
5 Heritage Horites, LEC	47	3 20,700,003	^	5 Heritage Homes, Lee	37 Ş	23,204,677	^
Top 5 Multifamily Builders - Units				Top 5 Multifamily Builders - Units			
1 Enclave Construction	303	\$ 31,046,000	х	1 Enclave Construction	373 \$	47,065,000	X
2 Property Resources Group	180	\$ 28,698,395	х	2 Eagle Ridge Partners	193 \$	31,395,145	X
3 Design Resources Group	132	\$ 11,299,200		3 Gehrtz Construction Services, Inc.	188 \$	15,970,000	
4 Dietrich Construction	120	\$ 15,000,000	х	4 JLG Architects	152 \$	22,000,000	
5 Zerr Berg Architects	108	\$ 19,500,000	Х	5 YHR Partners	84 \$	12,450,000	
Largest Non-member Builders (SF, TH, RH)				Largest Non-member Builders (SF, TH, RH)			
1 T & S Custom Homes Inc	4	\$ 2,266,000		1 JMW Construction, LLC	11 \$	3,589,462	
2 Tomlinson & Sons Inc	1	\$ 1,800,000		2 Hohenstein Homes, LLC	9 \$	1,914,553	
3 210 Construction	2	\$ 1,672,000		3 Viking Homes	4 \$	1,295,000	
4 Norse Properties LLC	4	\$ 1,490,000		4 Westwood Development, LLC	4 \$	1,037,915	
5 Althoff Homes, LLC	2	\$ 1,280,000		5 NCS Homes, Inc.	1 \$	800,000	



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If anything, HBA of F-M urges legislators to consider the following amendments to the current bill:

- Limiting the leave to 12 weeks.
- Exempt small employers with 50 or fewer employees.
- Use the definition of a family member similar to FMLA (Family and Medial Leave Act).

Access the Feb. 20 HBA Advocacy Update for more details here: members.hbafm.com/advocacy. Contact the individuals below to let them know why you are opposed.

- Governor Tim Walz, (651) 201-3400, mn.gov/ governor/contact/
- House Speaker Melissa Hortman, (651) 296-4280, rep.melissa.hortman@house.mn.gov
- Senate Majority Leader Kari Dziedzic, (651) 296-7809
- Dist. 4 Sen. Kupec, (651) 296-3205, sen.robert. kupec@senate.mn
- Dist. 4A Rep. Keeler, (651) 296-5515, rep.heather. keeler@house.mn.gov
- Dist. 4B Rep. Joy, (651) 296-6829, rep.jim.joy@ house.mn.gov

ND Legislative Update

Your HBA of F-M and its member volunteers work closely with the North Dakota Association of Builders on bills affecting your business:

- House Bill 1499 Introduced by Rep. Roers Jones, this bill relates to interest buydowns on mortgages. While the North Dakota Association of Builders and HBA of F-M supported this bill, it was amended to be turned into a study. The amended version passed in the House.
- Senate Bill 2303 Relating to basement depths, this bill would have essentially made it impossible to build houses with basements in our region. With a unanimous do not pass recommendation from the Local and State Government Committee, it failed in the Senate.
- Senate Bill 2207 Initially opposed by NDAB, this bill would have excluded nonprofit entities from being required to have a general contractors license if they were giving or selling a single-family home below the appraised value to a low-income person. HBA and NDAB believe that licenses are necessary. However, working with the Secretary of State, this bill was amended to still require a general contractors license, but waive the fee for nonprofits. This passed in the Senate.

MN Construction Codes Advisory Council met Feb. 9

The Minnesota Construction Codes Advisory Council recently met and heard multiple updates:

- The Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry will be investing money in prevailing wage compliance and education. There will be an emphasis placed on enforcement.
- MN DLI is looking for ways to diversify apprenticeship programs.
- A review of DLI legislation was covered, some topics included:
 - Electric vehicle charging stations in commercial buildings
 - Window cleaning safety
 - Enforcing codes in assisted living facilities
 - Boiler inspections, and more.
- The Board of Electricity met Jan. 31 and accepted their sub-committee's recommendation to adopt the 2023 NEC without amendments. The NEC 2023 will become effective July 1, 2023.
- Special attention will be paid to maximizing energy efficiency. Minnesota's goal is for new construction to be net-zero by 2036.

For more detailed information and for every topic that was covered, find the Feb. 20 HBA Advocacy Update here: members.hbafm.com/advocacy.

Concerned about building codes? NAHB needs YOU!

The National Association of Home Builders' Construction Codes and Standards Committee is looking for NAHB members interested in applying to serve for 2023 on one of its three subcommittees:

- Building Codes and Standards Subcommittee,
- Construction Technology Research Subcommittee and
- Energy and Green Codes and Standards Subcommittee.

For more information, find the Feb. 20 HBA Advocacy Update here: members.hbafm.com/advocacy.

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U.S. REGULAR GASOLINE PRICES (DOLLARS PER GALLON) Source: Energy Information Administration											
	Jan 23 Jan 30 Feb 6 Feb 13 Feb 20										
U.S.	U.S. \$3.42 \$3.49 \$3.44 \$3.39 \$3.38										
Midwest \$3.30 \$3.38 \$3.30 \$3.24 \$3.22											

SEASONALLY A	DJUSTED UNEMPL	OYMENT RATES
Dec 2021	Nov 2022	Dec 2022
Minnesota Source: bls.gov		∗Preliminary
3.0%	2.3%	2.5%*
North Dakota Source: bls.gov		
3.1%	2.3%	2.3%*
United States Source: bls.gov		
3.9%	3.6%	3.5%
Fargo-Moorhead Source: bls.gov		
2.4%	1.9%	1.9%

SINGLE AND MULTI-FAMILY BUILDING PERMITS									
Dec 2021	Dec 2022	% change							
Minnesota Source: NAHB									
38,334	32,025	-16%							
North Dakota Source: NAHB									
3,442	3,501	2%							
United States Source: NAHB									
1,729,910	1,652,078	-4%							
Fargo-Moorhead Source: NAHB									
2,293	2,320	1%							

MORTGAGE RATES - Source: Wells Fargo as of Feb. 22, 202	
15-Year Fixed	Not available
30-Year Fixed VA	6.202%
30-Year Fixed	6.582%
15-Year Jumbo	5.707%
30-Year Jumbo	5.713%

LOCAL REAL ESTATE Source: F-M Area Association of Realtors Dilworth, Fargo, Moorhead, West Fargo Single-Family, Condo, Townhouse, Twin Home, Duplex										
Feb 22 2022 YTD	Feb 22 2023 YTD	% change								
Home Prices										
\$300,669 \$292,426 -3%										
Closed MLS Volume	Closed MLS Volume									
\$79,977,879	\$50,297,332	-37%								
Closed MLS Volume	e - New Construction									
33	17	-48%								
Closed MLS Volume - Existing Residential Units										
233 155 -33%										

NATIONAL HOUSING MARKET INDEX

HMI is based on a monthly survey of NAHB members designed to take the pulse of the single-family housing market. Respondents rate market conditions for the sale of new homes at the present time and in the next six months as well as the traffic of prospective buyers of new homes.

Range is 0-100. *Preliminary

	Dec 2022	Jan 2023	Feb 2023*
National			
Housing Market Index	31	35	42
SF Sales: Present	36	40	46
SF Sales: Next 6 Mo	35	37	48
Prospective Buyer Traffic	20	23	29
Regional HMI			
Northeast	32	34	46
Midwest	30	32	36
South	35	39	45
West	25	29	37



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Building Industry Connect with Moorhead coming March 29

Kick off spring with the city of Moorhead, featuring Mayor Shelly Carlson, City Manager Dan Mahli and Building Official Mike Moss. Cost per person is \$25 and includes lunch. Call (701) 232-5846 or visit members.hbafm.com/calendar to register.

The HBA of F-M's Building Industry Connect sessions are a chance for our members to introduce the association and its goals. No presentations, no agendas and no parliamentary procedures. Just the chance for officials and members to learn about each other.

About our guests:

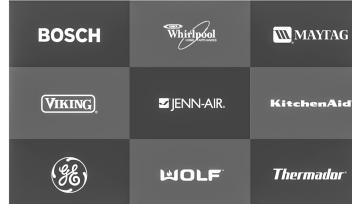
 Mayor Shelly Carlson - Mayor Carlson was appointed as mayor in February 2021 and simultaneously assumed the role of flood diversion chair for 2021. In 2022 she was elected to serve another term as mayor.

- City Manager Dan Mahli Before working for Moorhead, he was the community development administrator for Fargo and executive director of the Park Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce.
- Building Official Mike Moss Moss has been a commercial building inspector since 2016. From 2016 until 2022 he was a commercial building inspector for Fargo. In March of 2022, Moss accepted the role as Moorhead's building official.

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