



Bureau of Mines Twin Cities Research Center Building Descriptions			
Building Designation	Approximate Square Footage	Description	Use
Building #1	106,000	4-Story Brick / Masonry	Offices and Laboratories, with Warehouse Facility at south end
Building #2	10,692	3-Story Brick / Masonry	Ore Crushing
Building #3	1,997	1-Story Brick / Masonry	Garage
Building #4	5,673	1-Story Transite / Metal	Maintenance Shop
Building #5	13,280	1-Story Metal	Core Storage and Library
Building #6	160	1-Story Metal	Solvent Storage
Building #7	2,500	1-Story Metal / Wood	Miscellaneous Storage
Building #8	160	1-Story Metal	Explosives Storage
Building #9	9,800	1-Story Metal	Offices and Laboratories
Building #10	420	1-Story Concrete / Metal	Laboratory
Building #11	14,000	1-Story Metal	Warehouse and Office Space
Historic Spring House Building		Open Stone Block	



Mississippi National River and Recreation Area Purpose Statements

- **Preserve, enhance, and interpret archeological, ethnographic, and historic resources.**
- **Enhance opportunities for public outdoor recreation, education, and scenic enjoyment.**
- **Preserve, enhance, and interpret natural resources.**
- **Provide for continued economic activity and development.**
- **Improve the public's understanding of the river and promote public stewardship of its resources.**
- **Recognize and strengthen people's relationships with the river as a dynamic part of our heritage, our quality of life, and our legacy for future generations.**