## Economic Overview

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the unemployment rate decreased 0.3 percentage points from $3.8 \%$ in July 2016 to $3.5 \%$ in July 2017. The unemployment rate decreased $0.7 \%$ compared to January 2017. The current rate compares favorabley to Minnesota (3.7\%) and the US (4.4). The Mpls-St Paul metropolitan statistical area nonfarm job increased 51,200 jobs over the past year. Retail using jobs (trade transportation and utilities) added 4,800 jobs during the past year.

## Market Overview

The Mpls-St Paul retail market recorded 177,652 square feet (sf) of negative total absorption during 3Q 2017 and 468,281 sf negative total absorption year-to-date (ytd). Absorption was down from 16,716 sf negative absorption recorded during 30 2016. The total vacancy rate increased year-over-year from $6.3 \%$ in $3 Q 2016$ to $7.6 \%$ at the close of $3 Q 2017$. Direct vacancy has increased 1.3 percentage points during the same time period posting $7.5 \%$ in $3 Q$ 2017. Weighted average rent in all specific uses has increased $3.5 \%$ compared wtih 3Q 2016 recording $\$ 15.65$ per square foot (psf) at the close of $3 Q 2017$.

## Market Highlights

The Mpls-St Paul market recorded its third consecutive quarter of negative absorption resulting from large retailer store closings. The southwest market had two of the largest closings which were JC Penney with 220,000 square feet (sf) and Gander Mountain with 64,500 sf. The Northeast market had two of the other largest closings which were Gander Mountain with 67,500 sf and Gordmans with 65,800 sf. A total of three Gander Mountains closed this quarter totaling 162,000 sf in our metro. The Southeast market recorded the largest gain of 166,027 sf with two of the largest transactions of HyVee opening a new 95,700 sf store and Hobby Lobby's store with 52,700 sf. Also notable is Nordstrom Rack opening a 39,000 sf store in Mpls CBD market.

## Mpls-St Paul Employment

Source: BLS


## Market Recap

| Inventory (sf) | $92,078,726$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| \# of Bldgs | 1,673 |
| Qtrly Abs (sf) | $-177,652$ |
| Total Avail Rate | $8.3 \%$ |
| Total Vacancy Rate | $7.6 \%$ |
| U/C Inventory (sf) | 920,096 |
| Delivered (sf) | 143,619 |
| Weighted Average Asking Rate (NNN) | $\$ 15.65$ |



## Overview by Specific Use (Total)

| Specific Use | Inventory (sf) | Available (sf) | Vacant (sf) | Vacancy Rate | Qtrly Abs (sf) | YTD Net Abs (sf) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Conv/Strip Ctr | 12,392,729 | 1,221,457 | 880,708 | 7.1\% | 51,448 | 188,306 |
| Free/Gen | 35,749,429 | 1,963,114 | 2,047,839 | 5.7\% | 59,852 | -504,130 |
| Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 32,081,453 | 3,564,852 | 3,144,912 | 9.8\% | -80,975 | 52,250 |
| Reg/Power Ctr | 11,855,115 | 908,334 | 929,458 | 7.8\% | -207,977 | -204,707 |
| Overall | 92,078,726 | 7,657,757 | 7,002,917 | 7.6\% | -177,652 | -468,281 |

## Overview by Market (Total)

| Market Name | Specific Use | Inventory (sf) | Available (sf) | Vacant (sf) | Vacancy Rate | Qtrly Abs (sf) | YTD Net Abs (sf) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mpls CBD | Conv/Strip Ctr | 83,260 | 0 | 0 | 0.0\% | 0 | 0 |
|  | Free/Gen | 1,165,597 | 470,123 | 462,619 | 39.7\% | -3,826 | -369,207 |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 824,877 | 120,285 | 97,783 | 11.9\% | 44,221 | 48,488 |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 426,337 | 0 | 0 | 0.0\% | 0 | 0 |
|  | Subtotal | 2,500,071 | 590,408 | 560,402 | 22.4\% | 40,395 | -320,719 |
| Northeast | Conv/Strip Ctr | 3,235,884 | 396,866 | 279,323 | 8.6\% | 8,809 | -40,648 |
|  | Free/Gen | 12,307,200 | 738,395 | 835,938 | 6.8\% | 2,902 | -297,871 |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 11,227,538 | 1,248,064 | 1,134,555 | 10.1\% | -132,259 | 46,035 |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 2,813,519 | 167,042 | 164,542 | 5.8\% | 1,500 | 1,500 |
|  | Subtotal | 29,584,141 | 2,550,367 | 2,414,358 | 8.2\% | -119,048 | -290,984 |
| Northwest | Conv/Strip Ctr | 1,820,715 | 230,728 | 191,144 | 10.5\% | 16,350 | -3,238 |
|  | Free/Gen | 5,380,558 | 152,099 | 147,099 | 2.7\% | 13,653 | 12,384 |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 5,272,236 | 593,404 | 522,753 | 9.9\% | -44,241 | -56,426 |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 400,022 | 50,484 | 50,484 | 12.6\% | -17,888 | -17,888 |
|  | Subtotal | 12,873,531 | 1,026,715 | 911,480 | 7.1\% | -32,126 | -65,168 |
| Southeast | Conv/Strip Ctr | 3,626,602 | 359,346 | 256,735 | 7.1\% | 27,626 | 88,056 |
|  | Free/Gen | 9,958,700 | 431,361 | 340,660 | 3.4\% | 115,912 | 174,607 |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 8,018,745 | 989,606 | 881,664 | 11.0\% | 28,549 | 33,510 |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 3,003,013 | 284,829 | 133,577 | 4.4\% | -6,060 | -6,060 |
|  | Subtotal | 24,607,060 | 2,065,142 | 1,612,636 | 6.6\% | 166,027 | 290,113 |
| Southwest | Conv/Strip Ctr | 2,385,722 | 170,162 | 109,115 | 4.6\% | -8,953 | 142,574 |
|  | Free/Gen | 5,217,923 | 91,210 | 124,986 | 2.4\% | -60,256 | -45,021 |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 3,953,879 | 342,745 | 276,200 | 7.0\% | -2,645 | -21,357 |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 3,610,697 | 347,621 | 536,497 | 14.9\% | -184,382 | -198,847 |
|  | Subtotal | 15,168,221 | 951,738 | 1,046,798 | 6.9\% | -256,236 | -122,651 |
| St Paul CBD | Free/Gen | 399,844 | 55,648 | 106,508 | 26.6\% | -8,533 | -3,230 |
|  | Subtotal | 399,844 | 55,648 | 106,508 | 26.6\% | -8,533 | -3,230 |
| West | Conv/Strip Ctr | 1,240,546 | 64,355 | 44,391 | 3.6\% | 7,616 | 1,562 |
|  | Free/Gen | 1,319,607 | 24,278 | 30,029 | 2.3\% | 0 | 24,208 |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 2,784,178 | 270,748 | 231,957 | 8.3\% | 25,400 | 2,000 |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 1,601,527 | 58,358 | 44,358 | 2.8\% | -1,147 | 16,588 |
|  | Subtotal | 6,945,858 | 417,739 | 350,735 | 5.0\% | 31,869 | 44,358 |
| Overall |  | 92,078,726 | 7,657,757 | 7,002,917 | 7.6\% | -177,652 | -468,281 |

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Construction by Market


Total Available and Vacant
$\square$ Available (sf) $\quad$ Vacant (sf)


Vacancy Rate


Overview by Specific Use (Direct)

| Specific Use | Inventory (sf) | Avail (sf) | Vacant (sf) | Vacancy Rate | Qtrly Abs (sf) | YTD Net Abs (sf) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Conv/Strip Ctr | 12,392,729 | 1,215,142 | 875,417 | 7.1\% | 43,548 | 196,647 |
| Free/Gen | 35,749,429 | 1,912,371 | 2,027,239 | 5.7\% | 59,852 | -404,765 |
| Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 32,081,453 | 3,409,976 | 3,055,315 | 9.5\% | -59,043 | 89,403 |
| Reg/Power Ctr | 11,855,115 | 894,334 | 929,458 | 7.8\% | -207,977 | -204,707 |
| Overall | 92,078,726 | 7,431,823 | 6,887,429 | 7.5\% | -163,620 | -323,422 |

## Overview by Specific Use (Sublease)

| Specific Use | Inventory (sf) | Avail (sf) | Vacant (sf) | Vacancy Rate | Qtrly Abs (sf) | YTD Net Abs (sf) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Conv/Strip Ctr | 12,392,729 | 6,315 | 5,291 | 0.0\% | 7,900 | -8,341 |
| Free/Gen | 35,749,429 | 50,743 | 20,600 | 0.1\% | 0 | -99,365 |
| Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 32,081,453 | 154,876 | 89,597 | 0.3\% | -21,932 | -37,153 |
| Reg/Power Ctr | 11,855,115 | 14,000 | 0 | 0.0\% | 0 | 0 |
| Overall | 92,078,726 | 225,934 | 115,488 | 0.1\% | -14,032 | -144,859 |

## Direct Vacancy Rate

## By Market and Specific Use

| Market Name | Specific Use | Quarter Year |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 3Q 2016 | 4Q 2016 | 1Q 2017 | 2Q 2017 | 3Q 2017 |
| Mpls CBD | Conv/Strip Ctr | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% |
|  | Free/Gen | 6.7\% | 4.9\% | 7.8\% | 39.2\% | 39.7\% |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 16.1\% | 17.7\% | 17.7\% | 17.2\% | 11.9\% |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% | 0.0\% |
|  | Subtotal | 8.0\% | 7.4\% | 9.5\% | 24.0\% | 22.4\% |
| Northeast | Conv/Strip Ctr | 8.1\% | 7.3\% | 8.6\% | 8.6\% | 8.5\% |
|  | Free/Gen | 4.2\% | 4.1\% | 5.2\% | 5.3\% | 6.6\% |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 11.6\% | 9.8\% | 9.7\% | 9.0\% | 9.8\% |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 3.5\% | 3.5\% | 5.9\% | 5.9\% | 5.8\% |
|  | Subtotal | 7.5\% | 6.7\% | 7.4\% | 7.1\% | 8.0\% |
| Northwest | Conv/Strip Ctr | 9.3\% | 9.1\% | 10.4\% | 10.6\% | 10.5\% |
|  | Free/Gen | 2.9\% | 3.1\% | 3.0\% | 3.0\% | 2.7\% |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 10.2\% | 9.7\% | 10.7\% | 8.8\% | 9.9\% |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 8.1\% | 8.1\% | 8.1\% | 8.1\% | 12.6\% |
|  | Subtotal | 7.0\% | 6.8\% | 7.4\% | 6.6\% | 7.1\% |
| Southeast | Conv/Strip Ctr | 7.6\% | 7.8\% | 8.4\% | 7.2\% | 7.1\% |
|  | Free/Gen | 1.2\% | 2.3\% | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | 3.4\% |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 10.0\% | 10.6\% | 10.6\% | 10.8\% | 10.4\% |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 2.9\% | 2.8\% | 4.2\% | 4.2\% | 4.4\% |
|  | Subtotal | 5.3\% | 5.9\% | 6.3\% | 6.6\% | 6.4\% |
| Southwest | Conv/Strip Ctr | 6.1\% | 6.2\% | 4.7\% | 4.2\% | 4.6\% |
|  | Free/Gen | 1.3\% | 1.3\% | 1.4\% | 1.2\% | 2.4\% |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 6.8\% | 6.2\% | 6.7\% | 6.6\% | 6.6\% |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 3.8\% | 11.9\% | 8.8\% | 9.2\% | 14.9\% |
|  | Subtotal | 4.1\% | 5.4\% | 5.1\% | 5.0\% | 6.8\% |
| St Paul CBD | Free/Gen | 24.7\% | 23.6\% | 23.2\% | 24.5\% | 26.6\% |
|  | Subtotal | 24.7\% | 23.6\% | 23.2\% | 24.5\% | 26.6\% |
| West | Conv/Strip Ctr | 4.0\% | 3.7\% | 3.9\% | 3.6\% | 3.6\% |
|  | Free/Gen | 1.3\% | 1.1\% | 3.0\% | 2.3\% | 2.3\% |
|  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 8.3\% | 8.4\% | 8.7\% | 9.2\% | 8.3\% |
|  | Reg/Power Ctr | 2.7\% | 2.7\% | 4.5\% | 3.4\% | 2.8\% |
|  | Subtotal | 5.3\% | 5.3\% | 5.8\% | 5.6\% | 5.0\% |
| Overall |  | 6.2\% | 6.3\% | 6.7\% | 7.0\% | 7.5\% |

By Market


## Mpls-St Paul by Specific Use



## National by Specific Use

| Conv/Strip Ctr |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Free/Gen |  |  |  |
| $9.5 \%$ |  |  | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr |
| Reg/Power Ctr |  |  |  |

## Direct Weighted Average Asking Rates (NNN)

By Market and Specific Use


## Absorption Map



## Largest Positives (Total)

| PropertyName | Significant Transactions | Market Name | Specific Use |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Grove Plaza Shopping - HyVee | HyVee was delivered with 95,700 SF | Southeast | Free/Gen | 95,700 |
| Minnehaha Crossing | Charter School will be occupying space for 2017 season | Northeast | Free/Gen | 42,563 |
| Burnhill Plaza | Hobby Lobby leased 52,783 SF of which 42,000 sf was vacant | Southeast | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 42,000 |
| Crystal Court | Nordstrom Rack leased 38,696 SF | Mpls CBD | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 38,696 |
| Ridgedale Festival Center | Total Wine \& More leased 25,775 SF | West | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 25,775 |
| Galleria Shops | CoV occupied 10,000 SF and Design within Reach leased 13,913 SF | Southwest | Reg/Power Ctr | 23,913 |
| Sierra Trading Post | Sierra Trading Post occupying 20,814 SF in new delivery | Southeast | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 20,814 |
| West Lake Center | Petsmart leased 20,700 SF | Northeast | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | 20,700 |

## Largest Negatives (Total)

| PropertyName | Significant Transactions | Specific Use | Market Name | Southwest |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Southdale Center - JC Penney | JC Penny vacated 171,413 SF is | Reg/Power Ctr | $-171,413$ |  |
| Gander Mountain | Gander Mountain vacated 67,516 SF | Northeast | Free/Gen | Northeast |
| Crossroads of Roseville | Gordmans closed and vacated 65,874 SF | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | $-67,516$ |  |
| Gander Mountain | Gander Mountain vacated 64,500 SF | Southwest | Free/Gen |  |
| Riverdale Commons | Five Below lease; Gordmans and Rainbow Foods vacancies | -64,500 |  |  |
| Southdale Center | Weight Watchers lease \& JC Penny closed vacating 49,000 SF | Northeast | Nouthwest | Res/Power Ctr |
| Goodwill \& Gander Mountain | Gander Mountain vacated 30,021 SF | -47,500 |  |  |
| Rosedale Marketplace | Office Max vacated 21,932 SF on a sublease | Northwest | Nbrhd/Comm Ctr | $-30,021$ |

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## Leasing Activity Trends



Quarter Year


## Leasing Activity (\# of New Deals)




## Terminology

Term
Definition

Conv/Strip Ctr
Multi-tenant building less than 30,000 sf.

Direct Vacant (sf)
The total of the vacant square footage in a building that is being marketed by an agent representing the landlord.

Freestanding/General
Includes Freestanding, Big Box, Mixed Use and General properties.

The total square feet (sf) of existing single and multi-tenant buildings greater than 15,000 sf or are part of a complex that totals greater than 15,000 sf located in Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott and Washington Counties.

Nbrhd/Comm Ctr
Multi-tenant complex between 30,000-400,000 sf.

Net Absorption The net change in occupancy from quarter to quarter, expressed in square feet.

Regional/Power Ctr Multi-tenant complex over 400,000 sf.

Sublease Space Space that is offered for lease by a current tenant, or his agent, within a property. Whether the tenant is paying rent or not, the space is considered vacant only if it is unoccupied.

Total Available (sf)
All of the available leasable space within a building, whether it is occupied or vacant, for direct lease or sublease space. Space can be available but not vacant, for example, if the landlord, or his agent, is marketing space that will be coming available at a future date because a tenant is planning to move.

Total Vacant (sf)
The total of all the vacant square feet within a building including both direct and sublease space.

Weighted Average Rents
The weighted average of all direct asking lease rents expressed as a full service/gross rental rate and weighted on total direct available square feet. Non-full service rents (such as NNN) have been grossed up to reflect a full service/gross rate.

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