

# Area Directory



# BLOOM LAKE



## Places to see and things to do

### Minneapolis Pioneers and Soldiers Memorial Cemetery

CEDAR AVENUE & LAKE STREET  
Amid the rush of traffic is the final resting place of many of our early immigrant residents. In use for nearly 150 years this oasis of calm was designated as a historic site in 2004. Learn more at [www.friendsofthecemetery.org](http://www.friendsofthecemetery.org).

### Annual MayDay Parade & Festival

BLOOMINGTON AVENUE & POWDERHORN PARK  
In the Heart of the Beast Puppet and Mask Theatre produces the internationally acclaimed MayDay Parade and Festival. On the first Sunday of May giant puppets explode onto Bloomington Avenue in one of the most joyous celebrations around. For more information visit [www.hobt.org](http://www.hobt.org).

### Powderhorn Art Festival

POWDERHORN PARK, 15TH AVENUE & 34TH STREET  
Held the first weekend in August, this art fair brings thousands to see the work of artisans from around the region. Complete with food and music, fair-goers enjoy the park as they peruse the work of 200 artists. For more information visit [www.powderhornartfair.org](http://www.powderhornartfair.org).

### Mercado Central

BLOOMINGTON AVENUE & LAKE STREET  
Visit this year-round, indoor market with myriad of small, exciting businesses started by Latino immigrants. More than 40 vendors selling all kinds of food and goods make this a wonderful shopping experience. For a list of vendors visit [www.mercadocentral.net](http://www.mercadocentral.net).

### Powderhorn Park

This gracious 65-acre park lies in the heart of Minneapolis. Featuring a small lake, surrounded by walking paths and tennis courts shaded by majestically tall trees. In summer, it's the place for picnics and cookouts, in winter skating and sledding. For a current list of programs call 612.370.4960.

### Midtown Greenway

The Midtown Greenway is the biking, walking and running path one block north of Lake Street that will link the Mississippi River with the western border of Minneapolis when completed in late 2006. For more information visit [www.midtowngreenway.org](http://www.midtowngreenway.org).

Whether by bus, light rail, car, bicycle  
or on foot, getting here is easy!



**BY BUS:** The #21 and #53 (rush hour express) travel east and west on Lake Street, the #14 goes north and south on Bloomington Avenue.

**BY LIGHT RAIL:** Get off at the Lake Street stop and take the westbound bus #21 or #53 and you'll be here within minutes.

**BY CAR:** Located in the heart of Midtown, Bloom Lake is at the center of six-mile long Lake Street. Many businesses have their own lots for customers and there is plenty of on-street parking.

**BY BIKE:** Just one block south of the Midtown Greenway. Hop on the trail and make your way to the exits at 13th or 18th Avenues or walk your bike up the stairs at Bloomington Avenue (bike rail provided alongside the stairs).



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A MEMBER OF THE LAKE STREET COUNCIL



# Welcome

## TO THE BLOOMINGTON AND LAKE AREA!



We offer a multi-ethnic shopping experience that has everything you could want and more. Our sidewalks pulse with vitality sparked by many cultures and we have a long history of serving customers from all around the world. Come and check us out. We know you'll be impressed by all there is to see and do within just a few blocks.

### DINING

Tantalizing options from nearly every continent are all within an easy walk.

### ENTERTAINMENT

See live theater, learn karate, get a tattoo or have your nails done all on the same day.

### FASHION

From coveralls to wedding apparel, boots to hats, for infants through senior citizens, you'll find it all right here.

### HEALTH

Our doctors, dentists, chiropractors and culturally specific practitioners will keep mind and body in tip-top shape.

### GIFTS GALORE

Shop the globe all in a few blocks – at Bloom-Lake Sweden is less than a block from Mexico! Whether its perfume or crystal, jewelry or tools you'll find the best at a great price.

### COMMUNITY

Churches large and small, vibrant neighborhood associations, schools and social service agencies abound at Bloom-Lake.

### SERVICE

We've got it all — a major bank, full service post office, insurance agents, tax preparers, gasoline and auto repair, all within a few steps.



## Clothing

**AMAZONAS**  
1512 E Lake St  
612.721.2168  
Western Wear

**AUGUSTINA FASHION**  
1515 E Lake St, #115  
Clothing for the Whole Family

**CREACIONES JHOJANA'S**  
1515 E Lake St, #116  
Formal Wear/Party Favors

**DURANGO WESTERN WEAR**  
1410 E Lake St  
612.721.5277  
Western Wear

**EL PARAISO DE LOS NIÑOS**  
1515 E Lake St, #110  
612.728.5421  
Infant and Children's Wear

**EL POTRO**  
1542 E Lake St  
612.721.9200  
Western Wear

**EL PRIMO**  
1817 E Lake St  
612.724.3774  
Western Wear

**INFINITY FASHION DESIGN**  
1515 E Lake St, #003  
612.728.5409  
Tailoring Services

**JENNIFER'S BOUTIQUE**  
1508 E Lake St  
612.729.5219  
Wedding and Formal Wear

**KAPLAN BROTHERS**  
1414 E Lake St  
612.729.9465  
Clothing, Boots and Shoes

**LA POTRA**  
1515 E Lake St, #119  
612.728.5433  
Western Wear

**LOS DOS HERMANOS**  
1400 E Lake St  
612.721.5277  
Western Wear

**MODA LATINA**  
1515 E Lake St, #206  
612.728.5450  
Men's Clothing

**MODAS JENNIFER**  
1515 E Lake St, #202  
612.728.5405  
Women's Clothing

**MR. T'S FASHION**  
1725 E Lake St  
Men's Clothing

**NORTH COUNTRY FAIR TRADE**  
1516 E. Lake St, Suite 212  
612.730.4453  
Wholesale Cotton Goods

**UNDERGROUND SHOES**  
1515 E Lake St, #200  
612.728.5406  
Alternative Fashions

**ZAPATERIA ARACELY**  
1515 E Lake St, #124  
Shoes and Boots



**GUY LILLEMOR AUTO SALES**  
1804 E Lake St  
612.722.6667  
Used Car Sales

**PEOPLE'S GARAGE**  
2924 18th Ave S  
612.724.2636  
Auto Repair

**VANG AUTO SALES**  
1326 E Lake St  
612.721.9780  
Used Car Sales

## Auto

**ABRA ALEX AUTO ACCESSORIES**  
1515 E Lake St, #215  
612.728.5435  
Auto Accessories

**AMOCO**  
1700 E Lake St  
612.728.1647  
Convenience Store/Fuel

**FREEDOM AUTO SALES**  
1805 E Lake St  
612.721.4143  
Used Car Sales

## Retail Stores

**AFRICA 2000**  
1315 E Lake St  
612.729.2928  
African Music and Videos

**AZTECA SPORT**  
1515 E Lake St, #204  
612.728.5443  
Soccer Equipment

**CADILLAC PAWN**  
1538 E Lake St  
612.721.2044  
Electronics, Jewelry

**CELUMOVIL**  
1515 E Lake St, #131  
612.728.5470  
Cell Phones and Service

**DULCERÍA LA PIÑATA**  
1515 E Lake St, #114  
612.728.5456  
Candy

**EL CENTRO DE FIESTA**  
2951 Bloomington Ave S  
Party Supplies

**FIESTA FLOR Y DISEÑO**  
1515 E Lake St, #108  
612.728.5417  
Fresh Flowers

**INGEBRETSEN'S**  
1601 E Lake St  
612.729.9333  
Scandinavian Gifts/Food

**JOYERIA LATINA**  
1512 E Lake St  
612.721.0317  
Jewelry/Jewelry Repair

**LA PIÑATA ELECTRICA**  
1713 E Lake St  
612.724.3491  
Electronic Repair Service

**LAS PETACAS**  
1501 E Lake St, #B-112  
612.729.6949  
Luggage and Purses

**LUGGAGE ANARELY**  
1515 E Lake St, #122  
612.728.5445  
Luggage, Backpacks, Purses

**MOVIES ON 35TH STREET**  
3447 Bloomington Ave S  
612.729.7900  
Video Rentals

**MUSICA Y ALGO MAS**  
1515 E Lake St, #112  
612.728.5432  
Latin America Music

**NATURALIA**  
1515 E Lake St, #117  
612.728.5416  
Natural Body Care Products

**NORTHLAND POSTER**  
1613 E Lake St  
612.721.2273  
Progressive Mail Order/Retail

**OCATIME'S RELOJERIA**  
1515 E Lake St, #111  
612.728.5421  
Clocks, Watches

**PERFUMERIA SANCHEZ**  
1512 E Lake St  
612.721.0989  
Perfume Boutique

**PIELES Y JOYERIA ASHLEY**  
1515 E Lake St, #113  
612.728.5428  
Latin American Jewelry and Leather

**RELAMPAGO MUSICAL**  
1512 E Lake St  
612.724.3100  
Latin Music Specialists

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**  
2939 12th Ave S  
612.722.7882  
Thrift Store

**SUPER PRECIO**  
1515 E Lake St, #130  
612.728.5410  
Gloves, Hats and More

**SUPER PRECIO**  
1515 E Lake St, #212  
612.728.5415  
Mexican Games and More

**VICTOR HUGO JEWELRY**  
1515 E Lake St, #120  
612.728.5422  
Jewelry

**VIDEO MEXICO**  
1515 E Lake St, #133  
612.728.5429  
Mexican Video Rentals

**VIDEO MORELOS**  
2951 Bloomington Ave S  
Mexican Video Rentals

## Religious/Spiritual

**CHRIST CHURCH INTL.**  
3015 13th Ave S  
612.722.6687

**HOPE ACADEMY SCHOOL**  
3015 13th Ave. S  
612.721.6294

**IGLESIA DE DIOS MONTE SINAI**  
2917 Bloomington Ave S  
612.724.6265

**JOY WORLD MISSION CHURCH**  
3019 17th Ave S  
612.729.2208

**LIBRERÍA CRISTIANA**  
1515 E Lake St, #123  
612.728.5431  
and  
1311 E Lake St  
612.722.5777  
Christian Music and Books

**LIBRERÍA LA PAZ**  
1515 E Lake St, #109  
612.728.5404  
Catholic Religious Items

**PHILIPPI BAPTIST CHURCH**  
2912 Bloomington Ave S  
612.724.3484

**THE POTTER'S HOUSE**  
1717 E Lake St  
Full Gospel Church

**SALVATION ARMY**  
1604 E Lake St  
612.721.6462  
Services and Foodshelf

**SPIRIT OF THE LAKES  
CHURCH UCC**  
2930 13th Ave S  
612.724.2313

**WALKER COMMUNITY  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
3104 16th Ave S  
612.722.6612

## Art/Theatre

**ART OF THIS**  
3222 Bloomington Ave S  
612.721.4105  
Art Gallery

**CELEBRATION HALL**  
1516 E Lake St, #300  
612.670.4752  
Large Event Space

**IN HEART OF THE BEAST  
PUPPET AND MASK THEATRE**  
1500 E Lake St  
612.721.2535  
Puppet and Mask Theater



## Professional Services

**ACME AWNING**  
3206 Bloomington Ave S  
612.722.2731  
Comm./Res. Building Awnings

**ALPHA INTERNATIONAL**  
1515 E Lake St, #210  
612.728.5440  
Travel Agency and Money Wiring

**AVON**  
1705 E Lake St  
612.721.7151  
Avon Training Center

**BLOOMINGTON LAKE CLINIC**  
3017 Bloomington Ave S  
612.721.6511  
Medical Services

**LATINO ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT CENTER**  
1516 E Lake St, #201  
612.724.5334  
Services for Latino Entrepreneurs

**MERAMEN INSTITUTE**  
1515 E Lake St, #211  
612.728.5475  
Mental and Cultural Wellness

**PROSEGUROS**  
1515 E Lake St, #205  
612.728.5454  
Spanish Language School

**MMS PROPERTIES**  
1201 E Lake St  
612.825.5100  
Commercial Property Development

## Beauty Services

**AFRICAN HAIR GALLERY**  
1721 E Lake St  
612.729.2055

**CUTZ TOO  
BARBERSHOP**  
1719 E Lake St  
612.722.0755

**DO ME NAILS**  
1701 E Lake St  
612.724.2036

**ESTILISTAS INT'L  
HAIR SALON**  
1707 E Lake St  
612.721.3030

**FRIDA BEAUTY SALON**  
1501 E Lake St, #F-105  
612.722.4715

**HAIR TIME**  
3060 Bloomington Ave S  
612.724.3250

**IMPERIO'S  
BEAUTY SALON**  
1515 E Lake St, #201  
612.728.5447

**TWILIGHT TATTOO**  
3054 Bloomington Ave S  
612.722.2233

## Restaurants/Cafés

**CAFETERIA LA LOMA**  
1515 E Lake St, #126  
612.728.5430  
Mexican Bakery and Café

**COCINA EL MEXICANO**  
1515 E Lake St, #106  
612.728.5427  
Mexican Grill and Restaurant

**GUAYAQUIL RESTAURANT**  
1526 E Lake St  
612.722.2346  
Ecuadorian Cuisine

**LA LOMA RESTAURANT**  
1515 E Lake St, #105  
612.728.5437  
Mexican Restaurant

**LA POBLANITA**  
1617 E Lake St  
612.728.0383  
Mexican Cuisine/Grocery

**LA QUE BUENA RESTAURANT**  
1611 E Lake St  
612.722.1440  
Mexican Cuisine

**MANNY'S TORTAS**  
1515 E Lake St, #103  
612.728.5408  
Gourmet Mexican Sandwiches

**MAY DAY CAFÉ**  
3440 Bloomington Ave S  
612.729.5627  
Coffee Shop/Café

**MEGUSTA RESTAURANT**  
1507 E Lake St  
612.724.6007  
Mexican Cuisine

**PUPUSERIA EL RINCÓN  
SALVADOREÑO**  
1515 E Lake St, #102  
612.728.5442  
Salvadoran Restaurant

**REINA DE LOS JUGOS**  
1515 E Lake St, #127  
612.728.5407  
Salvadoran Restaurant

**TAQUERÍA LA HACIENDA**  
1515 E Lake St, #104  
612.728.5424  
Mexican Tacos/Quesadillas

**SHINGANI RESTAURANT**  
1300 E Lake St  
612.729.9988  
East African Cuisine

**TAI PENG EXPRESS**  
1540 E Lake St  
612.724.8888  
Chinese Takeout/Delivery

## Institutional/ Government

**CIRCLE OF DISCIPLINE**  
1201 E Lake St  
612.721.1549  
Youth Programs

**THE CITY, INC**  
1545 E Lake St  
612.724.3689  
Alternative High School

**ECUADORIAN-COVIE  
COMMITTEE IN MN**  
1300 E Lake St, #201

**HENNEPIN COUNTY WIC**  
1600 E Lake St  
612.348.6100  
Nutrition Program

**HENNEPIN POWDERHORN  
PARTNERS**  
1201 E Lake St  
612.728.7500  
County Services

## Grocery

**INGEBRETSSEN'S**  
1601 E Lake St  
612.729.9333  
Scandinavian Market

**LA COSECHA SUPERMERCADO**  
1515 E Lake St, #107  
612.728.5457  
Grocery

**LA GUADALUPANA**  
1423 E Lake St  
612.724.2522  
Mexican Specialties

**LA POBLANITA**  
1617 E Lake St  
612.728.0383  
Restaurant and Grocery

**ME GUSTA CARNICERÍA**  
1515 E Lake St, #132  
612.728.5441  
Mexican Butcher Shop

**PANADERIA EL MEXICANO**  
1515 E Lake St, #128  
612.728.5426  
Mexican Bread and Pastries

**WABERI STUDIO**  
1304 E Lake St  
612.722.1750  
Custom Sewing, Jewelry

**JUVENILE PROBATION –  
SOUTH UNIT**  
3015 12th Ave S  
612.728.7566  
Hennepin County Office

**NEIGHBORHOOD  
DEVELOPMENT CENTER**  
1515 E Lake St, #208  
612.728.5485

**POWDERHORN PARK  
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION**  
821 E 35th St  
612.722.4817  
Neighborhood Organization

**USPS POWDERHORN STATION**  
3045 Bloomington Ave S  
800.275.8777  
Full-Service Post Office



**TORTILLERÍA LA PERLA**  
1515 E Lake St, #101  
612.728.5444  
Fresh Tortillas

**SAN MIGUEL PANADERIA Y  
PASTELERIA**  
1534 E Lake St  
612.721.8682  
Mexican Bakery

**SUPER MERCADO LA MEXICANA**  
1522 E Lake St  
612.722.3331  
Grocery and Restaurant

**TALEEH FOODS INC**  
1530 E Lake St  
612.721.1263  
Grocery and Somali Specialties

**WABERI GROCERY  
& MEAT MARKET**  
1304 E Lake St  
612.290.9994  
Grocery and Meat Market

**WONDER HOSTESS**  
1401 E Lake St  
612.729.1710  
Discount Bakery Store

**BLOOMINGTON LAKE DENTAL**  
3042 Bloomington Ave S  
612.729.2393  
Dental Services

**CENTRO DE INFORMACION  
Y RECURSOS**  
1515 E Lake St, 2nd floor  
612.728.5438  
Resource Center

**DEKO FACTORY SERVICE**  
3048 Bloomington Ave S  
612.721.6651  
Power Tool Repair/Sales

**EXECUTIVE REALTY**  
1509 E Lake St  
612.721.6363  
Real Estate

**FALCONER'S CLEANERS**  
1229 E Lake St  
612.721.5151  
Cleaners/Laundrers

**FARMERS INSURANCE**  
1516 E Lake St, Suite 200  
612.436.7134  
Insurance Agency

**FIRST RESIDENTIAL  
MORTGAGE**  
1515 E Lake St, #203  
612.728.5449  
Consulting and Lending

**FIVE STAR GENERAL  
CONSTRUCTION**  
1807-09 E Lake St  
612.722.8908  
Contractors/Prop. Management

**GESCO CONSTRUCTION**  
2845 16th Ave S  
612.824.4998  
General Contractor/Developer

**LAKE STREET BUSINESS AND  
CAREER CENTER**  
1516 E Lake St, Suite 202  
612.724.6363  
Entrepreneur Training

**LATIN SERVICES TAXES**  
1410 E. Lake St  
Tax Services

**LATINO COMMUNICATIONS  
NETWORK**  
1516 E Lake St, #200  
612.729.5900  
Spanish Language Publications

**MUNDI GLOBAL**  
1317 E Lake St  
Money Transfers

**NUSTAR REAL ESTATE**  
1317 E Lake St, #4  
612.824.1600  
Realty

**PETER DENG & ASSOCIATES**  
1516 E Lake St, #10  
612.728.9800  
Accounting/Tax Services

**PHILLIPS POWDERHORN  
CULTURAL WELLNESS CENTER**  
1527 E Lake St  
612.721.5745  
Health and Wellness Center

**PREMIER WELLNESS CENTER**  
2929 Bloomington Ave S  
612.670.0527  
Chiropractic Services

**REMAX CASAS-HOMES**  
1515 E Lake St, #207  
612.728.5448  
Real Estate Agency

**RLM GRAPHICS**  
1615 E Lake St  
612.721.5491  
Printing/Silkscreening

**RE/MAX HOMES REALTY, INC.**  
3105 Bloomington Ave S  
612.728.5448

**REPUBLICA DEL ECUADOR  
CONSULADO HONORARIO**  
1304 E Lake St, #200  
612.721.6468

**RITMO ENVIA**  
1512 E. Lake St  
612.721.0317  
Money Transfers

**SPINAL HEALTH  
CHIROPRACTIC**  
1516 E Lake St, #11  
612.728.5808  
Chiropractic Services

**TRUJILLO'S TAX SERVICE**  
1515 E Lake St, #121  
612.728.5452  
Tax/Bookkeeping Services

**WELLS FARGO BANK**  
1527 E Lake St  
612.667.6256  
Financial/Banking Services

