

SCHOOL LAKE DUMP CLEAN UP



Rotary Park is located on the north side of the Chisago City Industrial Park on the bluff sloping down to the south side of School Lake. The eastern edge of this park had an old illegal dump that was filled with many cubic yards of old household

debris. Chisago County helped Chisago City acquire a Brownfield grant from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency to do site assessments, and the County and City worked together to ultimately clean up the site. The first

few feet of soil and underlying debris was removed, along with a number of hazardous material contaminated “hot spots”. The contaminated soil and waste was

replaced with clean-fill, top soil and stabilization plantings. This clean-up allows for safe recreational activity to take place at the park.

The Chisago Lakes Lake Improvement District provided funds for restoration of trees and vegetation over the site.



Partners:

- Chisago City
- Chisago County
- Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
- Chisago Lakes Area Rotary Club
- Chisago Lakes Lake Improvement District
- Chisago SWCD

Completion Date:

Spring 2015

Quick Facts:

- 6 acre brownfield site
- 680 cubic yards of trash, appliance bodies, concrete, tires, and assorted dump materials

May I Visit?

Yes, Rotary Park is a public facility with a beautiful view of School Lake.



LAKE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT