

Plant 8, Circa 1966

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Land Option Taken for UNIVAC Plant

The Univac Division of Sperry Rand Corp. has taken options on 200 acres of land in Eagan township for a new plant, the company announced today.

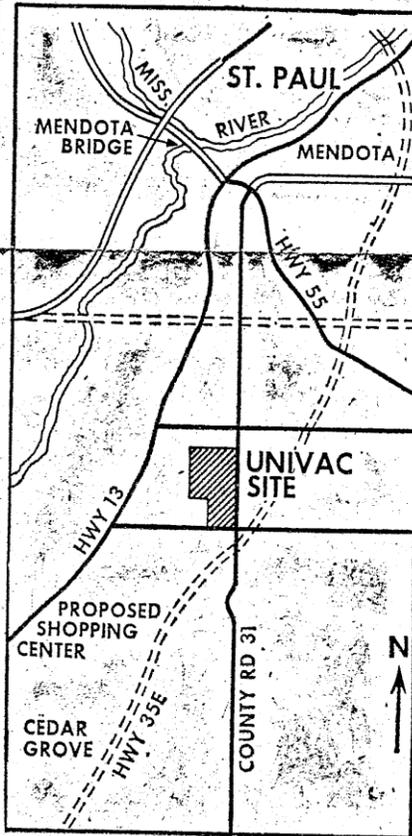


McDonald

R. E. McDonald, vice-president and general manager of Univac's Defense Systems Division, said tentative plans call for a 280,000-square-foot plant for engineering and manufacturing operations.

The company did not disclose the cost of the planned facility, but said construction probably would begin next spring, with completion in 1967.

The site is four miles south of the Mendota Bridge, just west of County Road 31.



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Univac, which manufactures electronic computer systems, currently employs some 7,000 persons in the Twin Cities area. Its Data Processing Division has an engineering and manufacturing facility in Roseville and its Defense Systems Division maintains five plants in St. Paul and a sales office and data processing center in Minneapolis.

McDonald said there are no immediate plans for relinquishing any existing facilities.