COVID-19 Vaccine (https://mn.gov/covid19/vaccine/find-vaccine/locations/index.jsp) – Find out when, where, and how to get your shot.

Vaccine Rewards (https://mn.gov/covid19/vaccine-rewards/index.jsp) – Your shot to a safe summer. Claim your reward by June 30.

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#MNtogether: Minnesota to Light Landmarks in Purple to Honor Victims of COVID-19, Recognize Frontline Workers

Cities, towns, sports teams, museums, companies, libraries, and more to join in moment of unity across state

November 19, 2020

[ST. PAUL, MN] – As Minnesota reaches the grim milestone of over 3,000 lives lost due to COVID-19, cities and towns across the state tonight will light dozens of Minnesota landmarks in purple to honor victims of COVID-19 and the frontline workers battling the pandemic. Cities, towns, sports team, museums, libraries, companies, and more will join in this solemn moment of unity across the state. The Governor invites all locations that can to participate and use the hashtag "#MNtogether."

"When times are tough, Minnesotans rise up by coming together," Governor Walz said. **"Tonight, communities across the state will come together in a symbolic moment of unity to honor those we have lost and the workers who are on the frontline of this battle."**

“COVID-19 has tragic consequences, regardless of your age or health,” said Lieutenant Governor Peggy Flanagan. **“Today, we honor our friends, relatives, and neighbors who have died from COVID-19, and in doing so, we must commit to looking out for one another. As the weather grows colder, we must take every precaution to keep our neighbors and loved ones safe and healthy through this long winter.”**

Governor Tim Walz has also directed all flags at state and federal buildings in Minnesota to be flown at half-staff from sunrise to sunset on Thursday, November 19, 2020. He has directed flags to fly at half staff on the 19th of every month through 2020 to remember, mourn, and honor lives lost due to COVID-19.

Minnesota cities and towns across the state will come together to honor victims of COVID-19 and recognize frontline workers fighting the pandemic by lighting up landmarks across the state in purple. The following will be lit purple at 5:00pm on Thursday, November 19, 2020:

1. “Spoonbridge and Cherry” Sculpture, Minneapolis
2. Otto the Otter, Fergus Falls
3. Lift Bridge, Duluth
4. Guthrie Theater, Minneapolis
5. Mayo Clinic—Plummer Building, Rochester
6. Hjemkomst Center, Moorhead
7. Sanford Center City Arena, Bemidji
8. Target Center, Minnesota Timberwolves, Minneapolis
9. Giant Hockey Stick, Eveleth
10. Mankato Public Safety Center, Mankato
11. Split Rock Lighthouse, Silver Bay *(In white)*
12. Como Park Conservatory, Saint Paul
13. U.S. Bank Stadium, Minnesota Vikings, Minneapolis
14. City Hall, Fergus Falls
15. Enger Tower, Duluth
16. Xcel Energy Center, Minnesota Wild, Saint Paul
17. City Hall, Waseca
18. Ceresota Building, Minneapolis
19. Convention Center, Bemidji
20. Allianz Field, Minnesota United, Saint Paul
21. Mayo Clinic Health System Event Center, Mankato
22. George Latimer Library, Saint Paul
23. Old Mill, Minneapolis
24. Hennepin County Government Center, Minneapolis
25. Mayo Civic Center, Rochester
26. Internal lights at Mall of America, Bloomington
27. Target Field, Minnesota Twins, Minneapolis
28. Intergovernmental Center, Mankato
29. Target Headquarters, Minneapolis
30. Kirkbride Tower, Fergus Falls
31. Portland Ave & S 7th St, Minneapolis

32. City Hall, Rochester
33. 35W Bridge, Minneapolis
34. RiverCentre Convention Center, Saint Paul
35. Lowry Bridge, Minneapolis

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