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TWO OF TWIN
CITIES' FAVORITE
FOODIES DISH ON
THE LATEST IN
LOCAL DINING

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TWIN CITIES FOOD

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The Commodore

Cheers to the gangsters and starlets who once graced the grounds of the Commodore Hotel in the 1920s and '30s. The historic Cathedral Hill property has reopened after its 30-year run as a private events venue, and has been restored to reflect its prohibition roots—the original bar is intact and an Art Deco theme is sprinkled throughout the bar, dining room, and lounge. The food nods to American fare of the time period—lobster deviled eggs and poached salmon are classic dishes without a fine-dining price. The drinks are mixed with local spirits, which includes the namesake The Commodore cocktail, a mix of Border Bourbon, Commodore Crème De Cacao, and Tattersall Sour Cherry. What better way to connect with St. Paul's history than with a fork and a cocktail glass? • 79 Western Ave. N., St. Paul, 651-330-5999, thecommodorebar.com



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