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An agency must first solicit **Comments on Planned Rules** or **Comments on Planned Rule Amendments** from the public on the subject matter of a possible rulemaking proposal under active consideration within the agency (*Minnesota Statutes* §§ 14.101). It does this by publishing a notice in the *State Register* at least 60 days before publication of a notice to adopt or a notice of hearing, or within 60 days of the effective date of any new statutory grant of required rulemaking.

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Exempt rules are excluded from the normal rulemaking procedures (*Minnesota Statutes* §§ 14.386 and 14.388). They are most often of two kinds. One kind is specifically exempted by the Legislature from rulemaking procedures, but approved for form by the Revisor of Statutes, reviewed for legality by the Office of Administrative Hearings, and then published in the *State Register*. These exempt rules are effective for two years only.

The second kind of exempt rule is one adopted where an agency for good cause finds that the rulemaking provisions of *Minnesota Statutes*, Chapter 14 are unnecessary, impracticable, or contrary to the public interest. This exemption can be used only where the rules:

- (1) address a serious and immediate threat to the public health, safety, or welfare, or
- (2) comply with a court order or a requirement in federal law in a manner that does not allow for compliance with *Minnesota Statutes* Sections 14.14-14.28, or
 - (3) incorporate specific changes set forth in applicable statutes when no interpretation of law is required, or
 - (4) make changes that do not alter the sense, meaning, or effect of the rules.

These exempt rules are also reviewed for form by the Revisor of Statutes, for legality by the Office of Administrative Hearings and then published in the *State Register*. In addition, the Office of Administrative Hearings must determine whether the agency has provided adequate justification for the use of this exemption. Rules adopted under clauses (1) or (2) above are effective for two years only. The Legislature may also exempt an agency from the normal rulemaking procedures and establish other procedural and substantive requirements unique to that exemption.

KEY: Proposed Rules - <u>Underlining</u> indicates additions to existing rule language. <u>Strikeouts</u> indicate deletions from existing rule language. If a proposed rule is totally new, it is designated "all new material." **Adopted Rules** - <u>Underlining</u> indicates additions to proposed rule language. <u>Strikeout</u> indicates deletions from proposed rule language.

Minnesota Barber Examiners Board

Adopted Exempt Permanent Rules Relating to Barber Examinations

2100.1000 FAILURE OF EXAMINATION.

A student who fails the apprentice examination, and onetime written retake if applicable, shall complete an additional 500 hours to be eligible to retake the apprentice examination, as many times as necessary to pass.

2100.1700 EXPIRATION OF CERTIFICATE.

Upon the expiration of a certificate of registration to practice as an apprentice pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes*, section 154.06, an individual will be is required to pass an apprentice examination to attain apprentice status. If the applicant fails the apprentice examination so taken, and onetime written retake if applicable, the applicant must complete an additional 500 hours of training in a duly registered Minnesota barber school to qualify to retake the apprentice examination.

2100.3200 FAILURE OF EXAMINATION; ADDITIONAL APPRENTICE PRACTICE.

An apprentice who fails to satisfactorily pass an examination for a certificate of registration to practice as a registered barber, and onetime written retake if applicable, must practice an additional two months and 300 hours to be eligible to retake the examination. The additional two months practice required by Minnesota Statutes, section 154.05, clause (5) shall include not less than 300 hours of work time. The registered barber who supervises the additional two months practice must file an affidavit with the board for the additional practice period.

2100.3300 FAILURE TO RENEW CERTIFICATE WITHIN ONE YEAR.

A registered barber who has failed to renew the certificate of registration for one year four years or more from the date of expiration must take and pass the registered barber examination before a certificate of registration may be issued.

2100.4500 INSTRUCTOR REGISTRATION QUALIFICATION.

To qualify for an instructor's examination, an applicant must be a registered barber with five three years' experience and hold a current vocational teacher's certificate.

2100.5700 REGISTERED INSTRUCTORS, TEMPORARY TEACHER, OR EMERGENCY TEACHER.

[For text of subp 1, see M.R.]

Subp. 2. **Temporary permits.** This subpart applies to temporary teacher's permits.

[For text of item A, see M.R.]

Exempt Rules

B. Application forms will <u>must</u> be prepared and furnished by the board. Applications must be signed and sworn to by the applicant and contain proof of the minimum qualifications and qualifications for a teacher's vocational certificate and the barber instructor examination. The applicant shall furnish to the board two photographs, three inches by five inches in size, signed by the applicant. One photograph must be returned with the permit and one must be kept on file with the application.

[For text of items C to K, see M.R.]

L. All temporary teacher permit holders shall notify the board of any change in the permittee's permittee's work place, address, or phone telephone number.

[For text of subp 3, see M.R.]

REPEALER. Minnesota Rules, parts 2100.4200; and 2100.5900, are repealed.

Executive Orders

The governor has the authority to issue written statements or orders, called Executive Orders. as well as Emergency Executive Orders. The governor's authority is specified in the *Constitution of the State of Minnesota*, Article V, and in *Minnesota Statutes* § 4.035. Emergency Executive Orders, for protection from an imminent threat to health and safety, become effective immediately, are filed with the secretary of state, and published in the *State Register* as soon as possible after they are issued. Other Executive Orders become effective 15 days after publication in the *State Register* and filing with the secretary of state. Unless otherwise specified, an executive order expires 90 days after the date the governor who issued the order vacates office.

Office of the Governor

Emergency Executive Order 13-14: Extending Relief from Regulations to Motor Carriers and Drivers Operating in the State of Minnesota

I, MARK DAYTON, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes, do hereby issue this Executive Order:

WHEREAS, the entire upper Midwest is experiencing colder than average temperatures, and such weather is expected to continue; and

WHEREAS, the Cochin Pipeline, which transports propane from Canada to the United States, and supplies nearly 40% of the propane to Minnesota, is shut down for line reversal repair operations until December 17, 2013, and full supply of propane back to the Cochin terminals is not expected until December 20, 2013, stressing the distribution system further; and

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WHEREAS, the remaining propane terminals in Minnesota are experiencing long lines and waits of up to six or more hours for propane; and

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WHEREAS, motor carriers and drivers from Minnesota have had to travel to neighboring states to obtain propane; and

WHEREAS, propane is needed for homes, rural businesses, and agricultural livestock buildings in Minnesota.

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby order that:

1. A state of emergency continues in Minnesota that requires extended relief from regulations incorporated in *Minnesota Statues*, section 221.0314, subdivision 9, pertaining to hours of service for motor carriers and drivers providing direct assistance in emergency relief

efforts.

2. Motor carriers and drivers transporting propane to affected areas of the state and providing direct assistance for emergency

relief efforts, are exempted from the regulations incorporated in *Minnesota Statutes*, section 221.0314, subdivision 9, pertaining to hours

of service.

3. Nothing in this order shall be construed to relieve motor carriers and drivers transporting supplies and materials and providing

direct assistance for emergency relief efforts from regulations pertaining to driver qualifications; driving of commercial motor vehicles; commercial drivers' licenses; drug and alcohol testing for drivers; or equipment, parts, and accessories necessary for the safe operation of

vehicles.

4. No motor carrier or driver operating under the terms of this order shall require or allow an ill or fatigued driver to operate a

motor vehicle. Any driver who informs a carrier that he or she needs immediate rest shall be given at least ten consecutive off-duty hours

before the driver is required to return to service.

5. Upon the expiration of this order, or when a motor carrier or driver ceases to provide direct assistance to the emergency relief

effort, a driver that has had at least thirty-four consecutive hours off-duty must be permitted to start his or her on-duty status hours and 60/70-hour clock at zero.

Pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes*, section 4.035, subdivision 2, this Emergency Executive Order is effective immediately and must be filed with the Secretary of State and published in the *State Register* as soon as possible after its issuance. Emergency relief from regulations for motor carriers and drivers transporting propane to affected areas of the state, shall remain in effect for 30 days or until the commercial

motor carrier or driver ceases direct assistance in providing emergency relief, whichever occurs first. For purposes of this Emergency Executive Order, direct assistance is defined in *Minnesota Statutes*, section 221.0269, subdivision 3, paragraph (c). This Emergency

Executive Order may be extended in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 221.0269, subdivision 2.

In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand on this 9th day of December, 2013.

Signed: Mark Dayton Governor

Filed According to Law

Signed: Mark Ritchie

Secretary of State

Commissioners' Orders

Various agency commissioners are authorized to issue "commissioner's orders" on specified activities governed by their agency's enabling laws. See the *Minnesota Statutes* governing each agency to determine the specific applicable statutes. Commissioners' orders are approved by assistant attorneys general as to form and execution and published in the *State Register*. These commissioners orders are compiled in the year-end subject matter index for each volume of the *State Register*.

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR)

Hovland Woods SNA Commissioner's Designation Order #237

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 16, 2013

Statutory authority: Minnesota Statutes 84.033, 86A.05, Subd. 5 and 97A.093

Supersedes: SNA Order #91, 103, and 137

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, certain lands in Cook County, Minnesota, described as:

The Southeast Quarter (SE ¼) of Section 24; the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼), the West Half of Northwest Quarter (W ½ NW ¼), the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE ¼ NW ¼), the North Half of the Southwest (N ½ SW ¼), the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NW ¼ SE ¼) in Section 25; the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼), the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE ¼ NW ¼), the North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N ½ SW ¼), and that part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE ¼ SE ¼), lying north and east of the Tom Lake Road in Section 35, all in Township 63 North, Range 3 East.

and

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$) and the North Half of the Southeast Quarter (N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Sixty-three (63) North, Range Three (3) East .

and

The Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE ¼ SW ¼); the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SW ¼ SE ¼); and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE ¼ SE ¼), ALL IN Section Thirty-four (34), Township Sixty- three (63) North, Range Three (3) East.

and

Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$), Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$), Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$), and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$); all in Section 25, T. 63 N, R. 3 E.

containing 1280 acres, more or less, is under the control and possession of the Department of Natural Resources;

WHEREAS, such lands contain undisturbed and old-growth forest native plant communities; such as Paper Birch – Sugar Maple Forest (North Shore), Sugar Maple Forest (North Shore), Upland White Cedar Forest, Aspen – Birch Forest - Balsam Fir Subtype, Black Ash – Conifer Swamp (Northeastern), and Lowland White Cedar Forest (North Shore); Dry Mafic Cliffs (Northern), beaver wetland flowages, tributaries of the Flute Reed River, and a portion of the Swamp River; and potential habitat for rare plant and animal species, such as large-leaved sand wort (*Moehringia macrophylla*), blunt-fruited sweet cicely (*Osmorhiza depauperata*) and moose (*Alces americanus*);

and

WHEREAS, the most effective means by which such lands can be protected and perpetuated in their natural state and used for educational and research purposes in such a manner as will leave them conserved for future generations is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area;

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, including but not limited to *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033; 86A.05, subd. 5; and 97A.093; that the above-described lands are designated as the Hovland Woods Scientific

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and Natural Area.

FURTHERMORE, the Hovland Woods Scientific and Natural Area is designated as a Public Use unit, open to the public for nature observation and general educational and research activities.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Scientific and Natural Area Orders no. 91, 103, and 137 are hereby superseded.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of *Minnesota Rules* 6136.0100 through 6136.0600 shall apply to the above-designated area, except that the following uses are allowed with such limitations as the Commissioner determines are necessary for protection of the values for which the site was designated:

- 1. Public hunting during legal open seasons,
- 2. Dogs,
- 3. Picking edible berries for non-commercial purposes,
- 4. Picnicking,
- 5. Use by bicycles, snowmobiles, and off-highway vehicles registered under *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.788, 84.82, and 84.922 (off-highway motorcycles, snowmobiles, and class 1 and class 2 all-terrain vehicles) is authorized on the Boyd Road ATV Road and the Stevens Lake Access Route, and
- 6. Use bicycles, snowmobiles, and motor vehicles registered under *Minnesota Statutes*, chapter 168 and sections 84.788, 84.798, 84.82, and 84.922 (highway-licensed vehicles, off-highway motorcycles, off-road vehicles, snowmobiles, and class 1 and class 2 all-terrain vehicles) is authorized on the Tom Lake/Tower Road.

This order takes effect upon publication in the State Register.

Dated: 6 December 2013

Tom Landwehr, Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR)

Pembina Trail SNA Commissioner's Designation Order #238

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 16, 2013

Statutory authority: Minnesota Statutes 84.033, 86A.05, Subd. 5 and 97A.093

Supersedes: SNA Order #205

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, certain lands in Polk County, Minnesota, described as:

In Township One Hundred Forty-nine (149) North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, all of Section Thirty-six (36), and the East Half ($E^{1/2}$) of Section Twenty-five (25);

And

In Township One Hundred Forty–nine (149) North of Range Forty-four (44) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, the East Half of the Southwest Quarter (E½ SW¼), Government Lots Three (3) and Four (4) and the Southeast Quarter (SE ¼) all in Section Thirty (30), and part of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty (30) as conveyed by Warranty Deed, date July 26, 1977 and recorded September 1, 1977 at 9 a.m. in Document No. 424979, EXCEPT that part thereof conveyed by Warranty Deed, dated August 4, 1977, and recorded September 2, 1977, at 2 p.m. in Document No. 425005, and the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E½ NW¼), the East Half of the Southwest Quarter (E½ SW¼), Government Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼), all in Section thirty-one (31), EXCEPT that part thereof conveyed by Warranty Deed, dated August 4, 1977, and recorded September 2, 1977, at 2 p.m. in Document No. 425005;

And

The part of the Northwest Quarter (NW¹/₄), Section Thirty (30), Township One Hundred Forty-nine (149) North, Range Forty-four (44) West, Polk County, Minnesota, described as follows:

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Commencing at the Northwest Corner of said Northwest Quarter (NW¼); thence North 89 degrees 58 minutes 42 seconds East, assumed bearing along the North line of said Northwest Quarter (NW¼), 1343.72 feet to the point of beginning of the tract to be described; thence South 6 degrees 24 minutes 34 seconds West, 605.83 feet; thence South 11 degrees 48 minutes 49 seconds West 2089.36 feet to the South line of said Northwest Quarter (NW¼); thence South 89 degrees 59 minutes 42 seconds East 33.71 feet along the South line of said Northwest Quarter (NW¼); thence North 11 degrees 48 minutes 49 seconds East 2084.07 feet; thence North 6 degrees 24 minutes 34 seconds East 611.06 feet to the North line of said Northwest Quarter (NW¼); thence South 89 degrees 58 minutes 42 seconds West 33.21 feet along the North line of said Northwest Quarter (NW¼) to the point of beginning containing 2.04 acres, more or less;

And

In Township One Hundred Forty-eight (148) North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, parts of Government Lot Four (4) and the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼ NW¼) of Section One (1) and parts of Government Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3), and the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE¼ NE¼) of Section Two (2) all as conveyed by Warranty Deed, dated July 26, 1977, and recorded September 1, 1977, at 9 a.m. in Document No. 424979, EXCEPT that part described as follows:

That part of Sections One (1) and Two (2), Township One Hundred Forty-eight (148) North, Range Forty-five (45) West, Polk County, Minnesota, described as follows:

Commencing at the iron monument at the Southwest Corner of Section Thirty-one (31), Township One Hundred Forty-nine (149) North, Range Forty-four (44) West, Polk County, Minnesota; thence East, assumed bearing, a distance of 2671.39 feet along the north line of said Section One (1) and Two (2) to an iron monument at the South Quarter (S ½) corner of Section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Forty-nine (149) North, Range Forty-four (44) West, Polk County, Minnesota; thence South a distance of 1888.22 feet to an iron monument, the point of beginning of the tract to be described; thence South 89 degrees 07 minutes 11 seconds West a distance of 970.33 feet to an iron monument in the centerline of County Ditch # 140; thence South 04 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds East a distance of 344.53 feet along the centerline of said ditch to an iron monument; thence South 83 degrees 09 minutes 10 seconds East a distance of 653.71 feet along the centerline of said ditch to an iron monument; thence North, 71 degrees 08 minutes 16 seconds East a distance of 311.52 feet along the centerline of said ditch to an iron monument; thence North a distance of 335.65 feet to the iron monument at the point of beginning containing 8.48 acres, more or less;

And

Government Lots Three (3) and Four (4), Section Eighteen (18); and Government Lots (1), Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4), and the East Half of the West Half (E½ W½), Section Nineteen (19); all in Township One Hundred Forty-nine (149) North, Range Forty-four (44) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian;

And

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirteen (13), Township One Hundred Forty-nine (149) North, Range Fort-five (45) West and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Three (3), Township One Hundred forty-eight (148) North, Range Forty-five (45) West.

And

A strip or piece of land 125 feet in width on the Northerly side of and immediately adjoining the present 100 foot wide right of way of The Great Northern Railway Company (now BNSF Railway Company), as the same is now located and established in the S1/2 SW1/4 of Section 19, Township 149 North, Range 44 West of the 5th P. M., Polk County, Minnesota, said strip of land beginning 1173 feet East from the West line of said Section 19 and extending Easterly to the East line of said S1/2 SW 1/4, and being the same parcels of land described in deed recorded October 7, 1914 in Book 137 of Deeds, page 536, and in deed recorded June 1, 1917 in Book 156 of Deeds, page 151, in and for said county.

are under the control and possession of the Department of Natural Resources;

and

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WHEREAS, such lands contain an undisturbed wet-mesic and mesic prairie plant communities that contain the following rare, threatened or endangered plant and animal species: prairie white-fringed orchid (*Platanthera praeclara*), sticky false asphodel (*Tofieldia glutinosa*), marsh arrow grass (*Triglochin palustris*), hall's sedge (*Carex hallii*), yellow rail (*Coturnicops noveboracensis*), upland sand-piper (*Bartramia longicauda*), and greater prairie chicken (*Tympanuchus cupido*).

WHEREAS, the most effective means by which such lands can be protected and perpetuated in their natural state and used for educational and research purposes in such a manner as will leave them conserved for future generations is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area;

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, including but not limited to *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 84.033, 86A.05, subd. 5, 97A.093, that the above-described lands are designated as the Pembina Trail Scientific and Natural Area.

FURTHERMORE, the Pembina Trail Scientific and Natural Area is designated as a Public Use unit, open to the public for nature observation and general educational and research activities.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Scientific and Natural Area Order no. 205 is hereby superseded.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of Minn. Rules 6136.0100 through 6136.0600 shall apply to the above-designated area.

This order takes effect upon signature publication in the State Register.

Dated: 6 December 2013

Tom Landwehr, Commissioner Department of Natural Resources

Minnesota Departmen tof Transportation (Mn/DOT) ORDER NO. 94040: Revisions to the 2011 Minnesota Uniform Traffic Control Devices Manual

This is the third order revising the 2011 Minnesota Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (2011 MN MUTCD).

By Order number 92452 dated December 15, 2011 and published in the *State Register* of December 26, 2011, the Commissioner of Transportation (Commissioner) adopted the 2011 MN MUTCD establishing a uniform system of traffic control devices for streets and highways of the State of Minnesota as required by *Minnesota Statutes*, Section 169.06, subd. 1. The 2011 MN MUTCD correlates with and so far as possible conforms to the current system as approved by the American Association of State Highway Officials and the national Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (Federal MUTCD). (*Minnesota Statutes* § 169.06, subd. 1; Federal Highway Administration, 23 C.F.R. § 655.603 (2011).)

The Commissioner adopted two previous revisions to the 2011 MN MUTCD by Order numbers:

93167 dated July 12, 2012 published in the State Register of July 23, 2012; and

93799 dated July 8, 2013 published in the State Register of August 5, 2013.

A multi-agency committee has reviewed the changes in the 2009 Federal MUTCD and recommended further revisions and additions.

Pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes*, Section 169.06, subd. 1, and 169.215, subd. 2, the Commissioner hereby adopts the revisions listed below:

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Record of Revisions or Additions to the MN MUTCD

Revision Number	Date Issued	Pages Revised or Added
3	12/11/2013	v, ix, 2B-i, 2B-17, 2B-55, 2C-ii, 2C-23, 2C-26 thru 2C-36, 2D-28, 2E-11, 3B-14, 3C-1, 4G-3, 4L-1, 6A-iii thru 6A-vi, 6F-3 thru 6F-5, 6F-14, 6F-17, 6F-19, 6F-20, 6F-40 thru 6F-53, 6G-7, 6J-iii, 6J-2, 6J-4, 6J-5, 6J-7, 6J-8, 6J-10, 6J-11, 6J-14 thru 6J-21, 6J-24a thru 6J-25b, Chapter 6K (the Field Manual) in its entirety, 7B-2, 8B-2, 9B-6, C-3, C-19, C-38, C-39, C-46, C-56 thru C-58, remove Appendix B in its entirety.

This Order revises Commissioner's Order number 92452, dated December 15, 2011 as revised by Commissioner's Order numbers 93167 dated July 12, 2012 and 93799 dated July 29, 2013.

Signed this 11th day of December 2013.

Charles A. Zelle, Commissioner Minnesota Department of Transportation

Official Notices

Pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* §§ 14.101, an agency must first solicit comments from the public on the subject matter of a possible rulemaking proposal under active consideration within the agency by publishing a notice in the *State Register* at least 60 says before publication of a notice to adopt or a notice of hearing, and within 60 days of the effective date of any new statutory grant of required rulemaking.

The State Register also publishes other official notices of state agencies and non-state agencies, including notices of meetings, and matters of public interest, state grants and loans, and state contracts

Minnesota Board of Animal Health Notice of Quarterly Meeting of the Board Wednesday 22 January 2014

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Board of Animal Health will hold its quarterly meeting on Wednesday, January 22, 2014. The meeting will take place at 9:30 a.m. on the University of Minnesota St. Paul campus at the Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory. The laboratory is located at 1333 Gortner Avenue in St. Paul.

Official Notices —

Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board

Notice of Completed Application in the Matter of the License Application of Deer River Ambulance Service, Deer River, Minnesota

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board (hereinafter EMSRB) has received a completed application from **Deer River Ambulance Service**, **Deer River**, **Minnesota**, for a new license to provide Part-Time Advanced Life Support (ALS).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* § 144E.11, subdivision 3, each municipality, county, community health board, governing body of a regional emergency medical services system, ambulance service and other person wishing to make recommendations concerning the disposition of the application, shall make written recommendations or comments opposing the application to the EMSRB within 30 days or by January 16, 2014, 4:30 p.m.

Written recommendations or comments opposing the application should be sent to: Pamela Biladeau, Executive Director, EMSRB, 2829 University Avenue S.E., Suite 310, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414-3222. If no more than five comments opposing the application are received during the comment period, and the EMSRB approves the application, the applicant will be exempt from a contested case hearing, pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* § 144E.11, subdivision 4(a). If more than five comments in opposition to the application are received during the comment period, or the EMSRB denies the application, the applicant may immediately request a contested case hearing, or may try to resolve the objections of the public and/or the EMSRB within 30 days, pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* § 144E.11, subdivision 5(a), (b). If the applicant is unable to resolve the objections within 30 days, or if the applicant initially requests a contested case hearing, one will be scheduled and notice of the hearing given pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* § 144E.11, subdivision 5(c)-(e).

Dated: 5 December 2013

Pamela Biladeau, Executive Director Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board

Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) Health Care Administration Public Notice of Medical Assistance Alternative Benefit Plan

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to recipients, providers of services, and to the public of the benefits to be covered by the Medical Assistance alternative benefit plan. This notice is published pursuant to *Code of Federal Regulations*, title 42, part 440, section 386 (42 CFR § 440.386), which requires the Department to publish a description of the benefits included in the Medical Assistance alternative benefit plan.

This notice is an addendum to the notice published on October 7, 2013, in which the Department announced its intention to provide an alternative benefit plan consisting of Minnesota's approved state plan benefits package to cover adults eligible for Medical Assistance under Section 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VIII) of the Act. In compliance with federal regulations, the state assures that those recipients under the age of 21 receiving coverage under the alternative benefit plan will receive access to early and periodic screening, diagnostic and treatment (EPSDT) services as described in the approved state plan.

Written comments and requests for information may be sent to Sean Barrett, Health Care Administration, Minnesota Department of Human Services, P.O. Box 64983, St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0983.

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Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry (DLI)

Labor Standards Unit

Notice of Correction to Highway Heavy, Commercial and Residential Prevailing Wage Rates

Corrections have been made to the Highway Heavy Prevailing Wage Rates certified 10/28/13,

Labor Code 205 (Pavement Marking or Marking Removal Equipment - Operator) in Regions 1 and 6.

Labor Code 707, (Electrician) in Region 9.

Corrections have been made to the Commercial Prevailing Wage Rates certified 11/18/13,

Labor Code 707, (**Electrician**) in Anoka, Chisago, Dakota, Isanti, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, Pine, Ramsey, Rice, Sherburne, Washington Counties for Commercial Prevailing Wage Rates.

Corrections have been made to the Residental Prevailing Wage Rates certified 10/28/13,

Labor Code 707, (Electrician) in Anoka, Chisago, Dakota, Isanti, LeSeuer, Mille Lacs, Ramsey, Rice, Sherburne, Washington Counties for Residential Prevailing Wage Rates.

Copies with the corrected certified wage rates for these Regions may be obtained by writing the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry, Prevailing Wage Section, 443 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155-4306, or by calling (651) 284-5091, or accessing our web site at *www.dli.mn.gov*. Charges for the cost of copying and mailing are \$.25 per page for the first 100 pages, \$.65 per page after that.

Make check or money order payable to the State of Minnesota.

Ken B. Peterson, Commissioner Department of Labor & Industry

Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) Engineering Services Division, Office of Construction and Innovative Contracting Notices of Suspension and Debarment

NOTICE OF DEBARMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Department of Transportation ("MnDOT") has ordered that the following vendors be debarred for a period of thirty (30) months, effective August 22, 2011 until February 22, 2014:

- · Marlon Louis Danner and his affiliates, South St. Paul, MN
- · Danner, Inc. and its affiliates, South St. Paul, MN
- · Bull Dog Leasing, Inc. and its affiliates, Inver Grove Heights, MN
- · Danner Family Limited Partnership and its affiliates, South St. Paul, MN
- · Ell-Z Trucking, Inc. and its affiliates, South St. Paul, MN
- · Danner Environmental, Inc. and its affiliates, South St. Paul, MN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MnDOT has ordered that the following vendors be debarred for a period of three (3) years, effective March 25, 2011 until March 25, 2014:

- · Philip Joseph Franklin, Leesburg, VA
- · Franklin Drywall, Inc. and its affiliates, Little Canada, MN

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· Master Drywall, Inc. and its affiliates, Little Canada, MN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MnDOT has ordered that the following vendors be debarred for a period of three (3) years, effective May 6, 2013 until May 6, 2016:

- · Gary Francis Bauerly and his affiliates, Rice, MN
- · Gary Bauerly, LLC and its affiliates, Rice, MN
- · Watab Hauling Co. and its affiliates, Rice, MN

Minnesota Statute section 161.315 prohibits the Commissioner, counties, towns, or home rule or statutory cities from awarding or approving the award of a contract for goods or services to a person who is suspended or debarred, including:

- 1) any contract under which a debarred or suspended person will serve as a subcontractor or material supplier,
- 2) any business or affiliate which the debarred or suspended person exercises substantial influence or control, and
- 3) any business or entity, which is sold or transferred by a debarred person to a relative or any other party over whose actions the debarred person exercises substantial influence or control, remains ineligible during the duration of the seller's or transfer's debarrent.

State Grants & Loans

In addition to requests by state agencies for technical/professional services (published in the State Contracts Section), the *State Register* also publishes notices about grants and loans available through any agency or branch of state government. Although some grant and loan programs specifically require printing in a statewide publication such as the *State Register*, there is no requirement for publication in the *State Register* itself. Agencies are encouraged to publish grant and loan notices, and to provide financial estimates as well as sufficient time for interested parties to respond.

SEE ALSO: Office of Grants Management (OGM) at: http://www.grants.state.mn.us/public/

Department of Administration (Admin) Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities Notice of Cosponsorship Funds for Leadership Training Conferences

The Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities (GCDD) is pleased to announce the availability of a total of \$20,000 in cosponsorship funds for training conferences held in Minnesota and supporting the participation of Minnesota residents. Conferences should focus on providing best practices information in the field of developmental disabilities and leadership skills training. The primary audience for these conferences must be people with developmental disabilities and their families.

Conferences must be held no later than September 12, 2014. **Eligible applicants are** Minnesota associations/organizations that provide services to individuals with developmental disabilities and their families, advocates, providers, or professionals; Minnesota chapters of national organizations; or national organizations that are holding a conference in Minnesota. **Application deadline is**

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Thursday, January 16, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. Please note: The GCDD reserves the right to award less than the maximum of \$2,000 to an applicant, refuse to cosponsor a conference, or withdraw the availability of funds with or without notice.

For additional information or to request an application form, please contact:

Mary Jo Nichols Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities 370 Centennial Office Building 658 Cedar Street

St. Paul, Minnesota 55155 **Phone:** (651) 282-2899 **Toll free:** (877) 348-0505

Minnesota Relay Service: (800) 627-3529 OR 711

Email: admin.dd@state.mn.us

The application is also available at http://mn.gov/mnddc Go to "The Council" and then "RFPs and Grants."

State Contracts

In addition to the following listing of state contracts, readers are advised to check the Statewide Integrated Financial Tools (SWIFT) Supplier Portal at: http://supplier.swift.state.mn.us as well as the Office of Grants Management (OGM) at:

http://www.grants.state.mn.us/public/

Informal Solicitations: Informal soliciations for professional/technical (consultant) contracts valued at over \$5,000 through \$50,000, may either be advertised in the Supplier Portal (see link above) or posted on the Department of Administration, Materials Management Division's (MMD) Web site at: http://www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us/solicitations.htm.

Formal Solicitations: Department of Administration procedures require that formal soliciations (announcements for contracts with an estimated value over \$50,000) for professional/technical contracts must be advertised in the SWIFT Supplier Portal or alternatively, in the *Minnesota State Register* if the procuments is not being conducted in the SWFT system.

Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA)

Pesticide and Fertilizer Management Division

Notice of Availability of Request for Proposals (RFP) for Research to Quantify Agricultural Contributions to Impaired Waters and for Development and Evaluation of Best Management Practices to Protect and Restore Water Resources while Maintaining Productivity

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of availability of contracts to select scientists and researchers to conduct research related to impaired waters in agricultural watersheds.

Project Priorities

Proposals should quantify agricultural conservation practice effectiveness related to nutrient (nitrogen and phosphorus) source reduction, off-site movement, and interception/treatment in the state of Minnesota. Projects should focus on the water quality effects of

both individual conservation practices and the cumulative effects of multiple conservation practices. Proposals must include a cost effectiveness component, as well as an education and outreach plan to benefit the people of Minnesota. The following are the research priorities in no particular order:

- 1. Implementing cover crops into conventional cash grain cropping systems to capture nitrogen, reduce runoff and expand the window of crop water use:
 - Environmental interactions that impact the establishment of cover crops being grown in cash grain rotations.
 - Research into the agronomic feasibility of reduced and no-till planting of cash grain crops directly into terminated cover crops, and the subsequent management needed to profitably grow grain crops in high residue situations.
- 2. Differentiating the water quality impacts and loss pathways of dissolved and sediment bound phosphorus from different points on the landscape, and identifying management of nutrient applications, tillage, drainage water management, and conservation practices that minimize nutrient loss.
- 3. Effectiveness and feasibility of saturated buffers in reducing tile drainage nutrient loading to surface waters.
- 4. Effectiveness of variable rate/precision farming techniques in making significant reductions on non-point source pollution.
- 5. The effectiveness and feasibility of intercropping narrow strips of perennial crops directly over top of tile drainage lines to reduce tile flow and nitrate-N loss.

The contract period begins in January of 2014 and may extend up to 5 years through fiscal year 2018.

Contact Information: Applications must be submitted using the format prescribed in the proposal instructions. To request proposal instruction and to receive application materials, please call, e-mail, or write for the full RFP, which will be sent free of charge to interested parties.

Minnesota Department of Agriculture Joshua Stamper, Nutrient BMP/TMDL Technical Coordinator 625 Robert Street North St. Paul, MN 55155-2538

E-mail: Joshua.Stamper@state.mn.us

Phone: (651) 201-6322

Other Minnesota Department of Agriculture personnel are not authorized to discuss this request for proposal with responders before the proposal submission deadline nor should they be listed as a collaborator or partner anywhere within the proposal. Contact regarding this RFP with any personnel not listed above could result in disqualification. Questions must be received in writing (e-mails permitted) by January 17, 2014.

Submission Deadline: Project proposals must be received not later than 3:00 p.m. Central Time, January 31, 2014. Later responses will not be considered. Fax and e-mail responses will not be considered.

This request for proposal does not obligate the State to award a contract or complete the project, and the State reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Completed and Current funded Projects

For a list of research projects supported by the Minnesota Department of Agriculture please see the following web link: http://www.mda.state.mn.us/protecting/cleanwaterfund/research.aspx

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU) System Office, Advancement Division Request for Proposal: Web Presence Design and Implementation

The Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU) System Office is requesting proposals for the design and implementation of a new website (mnscu.edu).

MnSCU includes 24 two-year community and technical colleges and seven state universities operating on 54 campuses in 47 communities throughout the state. The goals of this project include leveraging web technology and current design principles to increase awareness of and familiarity with the system's colleges and universities, position MnSCU campuses competitively in the marketplace, drive more traffic (visits by current and prospective students) to campus websites, and increase enrollment. The project is part of a long-term effort to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of the MnSCU web presence, advance awareness of and familiarity with MnSCU colleges and universities and positively impact enrollment and service delivery facilitated by MnSCU's web presence.

The major services included in this project are Discovery, Project Plan Development, Information Architecture Development, Creative Visual Design, and Implementation. Major deliverables include a complete Information Architecture specification, visual layouts and wireframe specifications, a visual design for mobile platforms, tools for content migration, physical migration of existing content, a Quality Assurance review, a security audit, an accessibility audit, a security audit, and recommendations for improvement of college and program search tools.

Response requirements include an overview of recommended approach(es) for achieving objectives and goals; itemization and description of project components; and a cost estimate for each of the major services. Technical specifications and additional response requirements are available by visiting the website: www.advancement.mnscu.edw/rfp/webdesignRFP or by contacting:

Doug Anderson, Director, Communication and Media Minnesota State Colleges and Universities 30 7th St. E., Suite 350 St. Paul, MN 55101-7804

Phone: (651) 201-1426

E-mail: doug.anderson@so.mnscu.edu

Sealed proposals must be received by 3:00 pm on Friday, January 13, 2014. MnSCU personnel other than Doug Anderson are not allowed to discuss the Request for Proposal with anyone, including responders, before the proposal submission deadline.

This request does not obligate Minnesota State Colleges and Universities to complete the proposed project, and the system reserves the right to cancel this solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is an Equal Opportunity employer and educator.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU)

Rochester Community and Technical College

Notice of Availability of Request for Proposal (RFP) for Designer Selection for Career and Technical Education Center (CTEC) / Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) Center Addition at the Heintz Center Project

The State of Minnesota, acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, on behalf of Rochester Community and Technical College, is soliciting proposals from interested, qualified consultants for architectural and engineering design services for the above referenced project.

A full Request for Proposals is available on the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities website,

http://www.finance.mnscu.edu/facilities/index.html. click on "Announcements."

An informational meeting will be held on Monday, December 23, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. at Rochester Community and Technical College, Heintz Center, Room HA 136, 1226 College View Road SE, Rochester, MN 55904.

Proposals must be delivered to June Meitzner, Purchasing Manager, Rochester Community and Technical College, Room SS153, 851 30th Avenue S.E., Rochester, MN 55904, not later than 2:00 pm, Thursday, January 9, 2014. Late responses will not be considered.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is not obligated to complete the proposed project and reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU)

Rochester Community and Technical College

Notice of Availability of Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Construction Manager at Risk w/GMP for the Rochester Community and Technical College Career and Technical Education Center (CTEC) / Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) Center Addition at the Heintz Center Project

The State of Minnesota, acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, on behalf of Rochester Community and Technical College, is soliciting qualifications proposals from interested, qualified Construction Management firms for the above referenced project.

A full Request for Qualifications and a copy of the Predesign are available on the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities website: http://www.finance.mnscu.edu/facilities/index.html, click on "Announcements."

A pre-proposal informational meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 23, 2013, at 1:00 pm at Rochester Community and Technical College, Heintz Center, Room HA 136, 1226 College View Road SE, Rochester, MN 55904. Project questions shall be referred to the appropriate person(s) as listed in the Request for Qualifications.

Qualifications from interested firms must be delivered to June Meitzner, Purchasing Manager, Room SS153, Rochester Community and Technical College, 851 30th Avenue SE, Rochester, MN 55904-4999, not later than 2:00 pm, Thursday, January 9, 2014. Late responses will not be considered.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is not obligated to complete the proposed project and reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Minnesota Judicial Branch State Court Administrator's Office Request for Proposal for Salary Structure Benchmark and Compensation Study

The Minnesota Judicial Branch (MJB) requests proposals from qualified vendors for a compensation study of its salary structure that provides current market data and analysis of relevant public and private sector comparisons for selected benchmark job classifications. Market data is to be gathered and analyzed to validate the Branch's internal pay relationships, to determine if MJB's current pay structure requires adjustment, and to develop multiple options and implementation models for addressing issues identified by the Branch and by the study.

Study includes comparison of pay ranges and compensation provided to employees in similar positions in Minnesota state government, local government agencies, other related public sector organizations, and the private sector. Emphasis is on local markets. Research should also include state and federal court system positions in comparable markets. The compensation study includes a particular focus on information technology and business analysis roles and provides job analysis, internal comparison and market pricing of additional selected job roles in these groups.

The request for proposal does not obligate the MJB to award a contract or complete the project, and the MJB reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Interested parties must submit their proposal no later than 4:00 p.m.on Friday, January 17, 2014. The sealed proposal must be submitted in writing, with signed cover sheet, three (3) paper copies and one (1) electronic PDF copy either on disc or flash drive to:

Minnesota Judicial Center 25 Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., Blvd. St. Paul, MN 55155 Attn: Andrea LePage

A complete copy of the Request for Proposal can be found on the Minnesota Judicial Branch's website (in the News & Announcements/Public Notices section) at: www.mncourts.gov

Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority

Advertisement for Proposals and Qualifications for Quality Control and Special Inspection Services for the New Stadium

- 1. **Proposals** Submit proposals and qualifications for Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority New Stadium Quality Control and Special Inspection Services, Minnesota, to Steven Maki, PE, Director of Facilities, MSFA, at the Minnesota stadium on or before 4:00 p.m., January 7, 2014.
- 2. Work Includes Provide Quality Control and Special Inspection services for new stadium construction to Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority.
 - 3. Pre-Proposal Meeting to be held December 30, 2013 10:00am at the Authority Offices
- **4. Examining Documents** Documents will be available for review, at the office of the MSFA, 900 South 5th Street, Minneapolis, MN and on the website, MSFA.com after December 11, 2013.
- **5. Obtaining Documents -** Proposers may obtain a copy of contract documents after December 11, 2013, from Steven C. Maki, P.E., Director of Facilities, at the MSFA office, 900 South 5th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415.
- **6. Affirmative Action -** All proposers, applicants, prime contractors and prospective subcontractors will be subject to a preaward compliance review to ensure the employment of minorities, women and disabled person.

The Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to waive any informalities in any proposals received without explanation.

Ted Mondale, CEO/Executive Director Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority

Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT)

Engineering Services Division

Notice of Potential Availability of Contracting Opportunities for a Variety of Highway Related Technical Activities ("Consultant Pre-Qualification Program")

This document is available in alternative formats for persons with disabilities by calling Kelly Arneson at (651) 366-4774; for persons who are hearing or speech impaired by calling Minnesota Relay Service at (800) 627-3529.

Mn/DOT, worked in conjunction with the Consultant Reform Committee, the American Council of Engineering Companies of Minnesota (ACEC/MN), and the Department of Administration, to develop the Consultant Pre-Qualification Program as a new method of consultant selection. The ultimate goal of the Pre-Qualification Program is to streamline the process of contracting for highway related professional/technical services. Mn/DOT awards most of its consultant contracts for highway-related technical activities using this method, however, Mn/DOT also reserves the right to use Request for Proposal (RFP) or other selection processes for particular projects.

Nothing in this solicitation requires Mn/DOT to use the Consultant Pre-Qualification Program.

Mn/DOT is currently requesting applications from consultants. Refer to Mn/DOT's Consultant Services web site, indicated below, to expenses are incurred in responding to this notice will be borne by the responder. Response to this notice becomes public information under the Minnesota Government Data Practices.

Consultant Pre-Qualification Program information, application requirements and applications forms are available on Mn/DOT's Consultant Services web site at: http://www.dot.state.mn.us/consult.

Send completed application material to:

Kelly Arneson Consultant Services Office of Technical Support Minnesota Department of Transportation 395 John Ireland Blvd. - Mail Stop 680 St. Paul, MN 55155

Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT)

Engineering Services Division

Notice Concerning Professional/Technical Contract Opportunities and Taxpayers' Transportation Accountability Act Notices

NOTICE TO ALL: The Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) is now placing additional public notices for professional/technical contract opportunities on Mn/DOT's Consultant Services **website** at: www.dot.state.mn.us/consult

New Public notices may be added to the website on a daily basis and be available for the time period as indicated within the public notice. Mn/DOT is also posting notices as required by the Taxpayers' Transportation Accountability Act on the above referenced websit

Non-State Public Bids, Contracts & Grants

The State Register also serves as a central marketplace for contracts let out on bid by the public sector. The State Register meets state and federal guidelines for statewide circulation of public notices. Any tax-supported institution or government jurisdiction may advertise contracts and requests for proposals from the private sector. It is recommended that contracts and RFPs include the following: 1) name of contact person; 2) institution name, address, and telephone number; 3) brief description of commodity, project or tasks; 4) cost estimate; and 5) final submission date of completed contract proposal. Allow at least three weeks from publication date (four weeks from the date article is submitted for publication). Surveys show that subscribers are interested in hearing about contracts for estimates as low as \$1,000. Contact editor for futher details.

Besides the following listing, readers are advised to check: http://www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us/solicitations.htm as well as the Office of Grants Management (OGM) at: http://www.grants.state.mn.us/public/.

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

Flying Cloud & Anoka County-Blaine Airports

Notice of Call for Bids for 2014 Runway 10R-28L Grooving & 2014 Runway 09-27

Grooving

MAC Contract Nos.: 108-1-039 & 110-1-037

Bids Close At: 2:00 pm on Tuesday, January 14, 2014

Notice to Contractors: Sealed Bid Proposals for the project listed above will be received by the MAC, a public corporation, at the office thereof located at 6040 - 28th Avenue South, Minnesota 55450, until the date and hour indicated. Major items of work include saw-cut grooving of bituminous pavement.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE): The goal of the MAC for the utilization of DBE on this project is 4%.

Bid Security: Each bid shall be accompanied by a "Bid Security" in the form of a certified check made payable to the MAC in the amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid, or a surety bond in the same amount, running to the MAC, with the surety company thereon duly authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota.

Availability of Bidding Documents: Bidding documents are on file for inspection at the office of Short Elliott Hendrickson, Inc.; at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; McGraw Hill Construction Dodge; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents may secure a complete set from and make checks payable to: Northstar Imaging Services, Inc.; 1325 Eagandale Court, Suite 130, Eagan, MN, 55121; **phone:** (651) 686-0477. Deposit per set (non-refundable): \$50.

MAC Internet Access of Additional Information: A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on December 16, 2013, at MAC's web address of http://www.metroairports.org/Airport-Authority/Business-Opportunities/Solicitations.aspx (construction bids).

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport

Notice of Call for Bids for Air Handling Unit Replacement 2014 (P4)

MAC Contract No.: 106-2-711

Bids Close At: 2:00 p.m., January 14, 2014

Notice to Contractors: Sealed Bid Proposals for the project listed above will be received by the MAC, a public corporation, at the office thereof located at 6040 - 28th Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55450, until the date and hour indicated. This project is to provide chilled water cooling to an existing air handling. Gas fired make-up air units and ductwork will be replaced. An existing air-handling unit and ductwork will be replaced. Existing ventilation units will be replaced. A condensing unit will be replaced and economizer ductwork added. Alternates may include roof drains and added ornamental steel channel.

Targeted Group Businesses (TGB): The goal of the MAC for the utilization of TGB on this project is 5%.

Non-State Public Bids, Contracts & Grants =

Bid Security: Each bid shall be accompanied by a "Bid Security" in the form of a certified check made payable to the MAC in the amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid, or a surety bond in the same amount, running to the MAC, with the surety company thereon duly authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota. reject any or all bids and to waive any minor irregularities, informalities or discrepancies.

Availability of Bidding Documents: Bidding documents are on file for inspection at the office of Architectural Alliance, at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; McGraw Hill Construction Dodge; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents may secure a complete set from: Franz Reprographics; 2781 Freeway Boulevard, Suite 100; Brooklyn Center, MN, 55430; **phone:** (763) 503-3401; **fax:** (763) 503-3409. Make checks payable to: Architectural Alliance. Deposit per set (refundable): \$150. Requests for mailing sets will be invoiced for mailing charges. Deposit will be refunded upon return of bidding documents in good condition within 10 days of opening of bids.

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