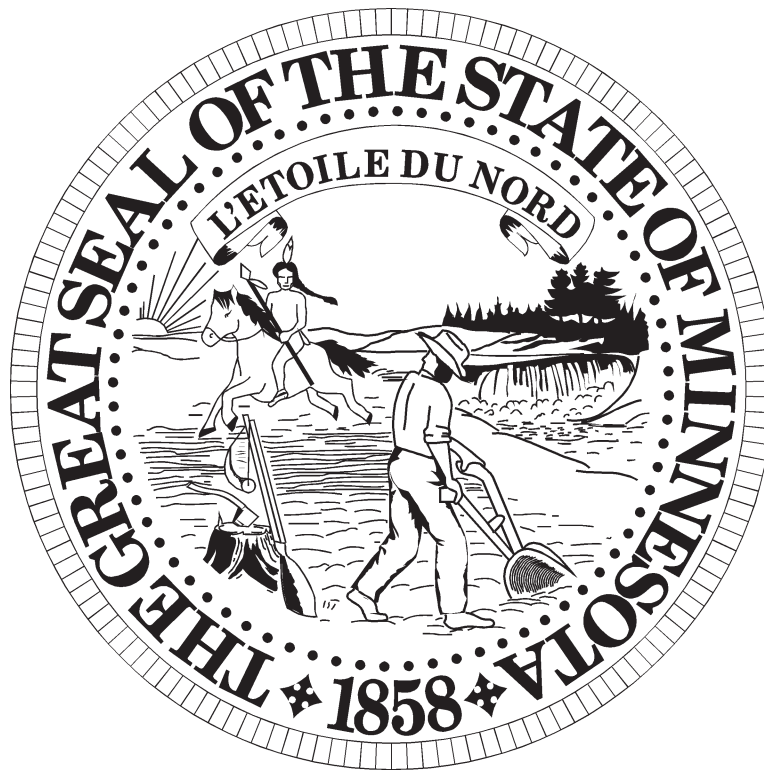


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**Rules to be Adopted After a Hearing.** After receiving comments and deciding to hold a public hearing on the rule, an agency drafts its rule. It then publishes its rules with a notice of hearing. All persons wishing to make a statement must register at the hearing. Anyone who wishes to submit written comments may do so at the hearing, or within five working days of the close of the hearing. Administrative law judges may, during the hearing, extend the period for receiving comments up to 20 calendar days. For five business days after the submission period the agency and interested persons may respond to any new information submitted during the written submission period and the record then is closed. The administrative law judge prepares a report within 30 days, stating findings of fact, conclusions and recommendations. After receiving the report, the agency decides whether to adopt, withdraw or modify the proposed rule based on consideration of the comments made during the rule hearing procedure and the report of the administrative law judge. The agency must wait five days after receiving the report before taking any action.

**Rules to be Adopted Without a Hearing.** Pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* § 14.22, an agency may propose to adopt, amend, suspend or repeal rules without first holding a public hearing. An agency must first solicit **Comments on Planned Rules** or **Comments on Planned Rule Amendments** from the public. The agency then publishes a notice of intent to adopt rules without a public hearing, together with the proposed rules, in the *State Register*. If, during the 30-day comment period, 25 or more persons submit to the agency a written request for a hearing of the proposed rules, the agency must proceed under the provisions of §§ 14.14-14.20, which state that if an agency decides to hold a public hearing, it must publish a notice of intent in the *State Register*.

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## Minnesota Department of Commerce

### Proposed Permanent Rules Governing Annuity Mortality Tables

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT RULES WITHOUT A PUBLIC HEARING

### Proposed Amendment to Rules Governing Annuity Mortality Tables, *Minnesota Rules*, chapter 2752; Revisor's ID Number 4232

**Introduction.** The Department of Commerce intends to adopt rules without a public hearing following the procedures in the rules of the Office of Administrative Hearings, *Minnesota Rules*, parts 1400.2300 to 1400.2310, and the Administrative Procedure Act, *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 14.22 to 14.28. You may submit written comments on the proposed rules and may also submit a written request that a hearing be held on the rules until July 10, 2014.



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**Agency Contact Person.** You must submit comments or questions on the rules and written requests for a public hearing to the agency contact person. The agency contact person is Susan Bergh at the Minnesota Department of Commerce, 85 - 7<sup>th</sup> Place East, Suite 500, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101, **phone:** (651) 539-1456, **e-mail:** to [rules.commerce@state.mn.us](mailto:rules.commerce@state.mn.us). Consumers with hearing or speech disabilities may contact the Department of Commerce via their preferred Telecommunications Relay Service.

**Subject of Rules and Statutory Authority.** The proposed modifications to the rules are intended to recognize updated individual annuity valuation mortality tables for new annuity purchases. The statutory authority to adopt the rules is *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 61A.25 and 45.023. A copy of the proposed rules is published in the *State Register* and attached to this notice as mailed.

**Comments.** You have until 4:30 p.m. on July 10, 2014, to submit written comment in support of or in opposition to the proposed rules and any part or subpart of the rules. Your comment must be in writing and the agency contact person must receive it by the due date. The Department encourages comment. Your comment should identify the portion of the proposed rules addressed and the reason for the comment. You are encouraged to propose any change desired. You must also make any comments about the legality of the proposed rules during this comment period.

**Request for a Hearing.** In addition to submitting comments, you may also request that the Department hold a hearing on the rules. Your request must be in writing and the agency contact person must receive it by 4:30 p.m. on July 10, 2014. Your written request for a public hearing must include your name and address. You must identify the portion of the proposed rules that you object to or state that you oppose the entire set of rules. Any request that does not comply with these requirements is not valid and the agency cannot count it when determining whether it must hold a public hearing. You are also encouraged to state the reason for the request and any changes you want made to the proposed rules.

**Withdrawal of Requests.** If 25 or more persons submit a valid written request for a hearing, the Department will hold a public hearing unless a sufficient number withdraw their requests in writing. If enough requests for hearing are withdrawn to reduce the number below 25, the agency must give written notice of this to all persons who requested a hearing, explain the actions the agency took to effect the withdrawal, and ask for written comments on this action. If a public hearing is required, the agency will follow the procedures in *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 14.131 to 14.20.

**Alternative Format.** Upon request, the Department can make this Notice available in an alternative format, such as large print, Braille, or cassette tape. To make such a request, please contact the agency contact person at the address or telephone number listed above.

**Modifications.** The Department may modify the proposed rules as a result of public comment. The modifications must be supported by comments and information submitted to the agency, and the adopted rules may not be substantially different than these proposed rules, unless the agency follows the procedure under *Minnesota Rules*, part 1400.2110. If the proposed rules affect you in any way, the Department encourages you to participate in the rulemaking process.

**Statement of Need and Reasonableness.** The statement of need and reasonableness contains a summary of the justification for the proposed rules, including a description of who will be affected by the proposed rules and an estimate of the probable cost of the proposed rules. It is now available from the agency contact person. You may review, or obtain copies at the cost of reproduction, by contacting the agency contact person.

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**Adoption and Review of Rules.** If no hearing is required, the agency may adopt the rules after the end of the comment period. The agency will then submit the rules and supporting documents to the Office of Administrative Hearings for review for legality. You may ask to be notified of the date the Department submits the rules to the office. If you want to be so notified, or want to receive a copy of the adopted rules, or want to register with the agency to receive notice of future rule proceedings, submit your request to the agency contact person listed above.

Dated: 2 May 2014

Mike Rothman, Commissioner  
Minnesota Department of Commerce

# Proposed Rules

## 2752.0010 DEFINITIONS.

Subpart 1. **Terms.** For purposes of parts 2752.0010 to 2752.0040 this chapter, the terms in this part have the meanings given them.

Subp. 2. **1983 Table “a.”** “1983 Table ‘a’” means the mortality table developed by the Society of Actuaries Committee to Recommend a New Mortality Basis for Individual Annuity Valuation and, adopted as a recognized mortality table for annuities in June 1982; by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and published on page 454, NAIC Proceedings, Volume II, 1982.

Subp. 3. **1983 GAM Table.** “1983 GAM Table” means the mortality table developed by the Society of Actuaries Committee on Annuities and, adopted as a recognized mortality table for annuities in December 1983; by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and published on pages 414-415, NAIC Proceedings, Volume I, 1984.

Subp. 4. **1994 GAR Table.** “1994 GAR Table” means the mortality table developed by the Society of Actuaries Group Annuity Valuation Table Task Force and, adopted as a recognized mortality table for annuities in December 1996; by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and published on pages 866-867, Transactions of the Society of Actuaries, Volume XLVII, 1995.

Subp. 5. **Annuity 2000 Mortality Table.** “Annuity 2000 Mortality Table” means the mortality table developed by the Society of Actuaries Committee on Life Insurance Research and, adopted as a recognized mortality table for annuities in December 1996; by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and published on page 240, Transactions of the Society of Actuaries, Volume XLVII, 1995.

Subp. 6. **Generational Mortality Table.** “Generational Mortality Table” means a mortality table containing a set of mortality rates that decrease for a given age from one year to the next based on a combination of a Period Table and a projection scale containing rates of mortality improvement.

Subp. 7. **Period Table.** “Period Table” means a table of mortality rates applicable to a given calendar year (the Period).

Subp. 8. **2012 Individual Annuity Reserving (IAR) Table.** “2012 Individual Annuity Reserving (IAR) Table” means the Generational Mortality Table developed by the Society of Actuaries Committee on Life Insurance Research, adopted as a recognized mortality table for annuities in December 2012 by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and containing rates,  $q_x^{2012+n}$ , derived from a combination of the 2012 IAM Period Table and Projection Scale G2, using the methodology stated in part 2752.0025.

Subp. 9. **2012 Individual Annuity Mortality Period Life (2012 IAM Period) Table.** “2012 Individual Annuity Mortality Period Life (2012 IAM Period) Table” means the Period Table containing loaded mortality rates for calendar year 2012. This table contains rates,  $q_x^{2012}$ , developed by the Society of Actuaries Committee on Life Insurance Research, was adopted as a recognized mortality table for annuities in December 2012 by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and is shown in parts 2752.0011 and 2752.0012, Tables 1 and 2.

Subp. 10. **Projection Scale G2 (Scale G2).** “Projection Scale G2 (Scale G2)” is a table of annual rates,  $G2_x$ , of mortality improvement by age for projecting future mortality rates beyond calendar year 2012. This table was developed by the Society of Actuaries Committee on Life Insurance Research, was adopted as a recognized table of mortality improvement rates for annuities in December 2012 by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, and is shown in parts 2752.0013 and 2752.0014, Tables 3 and 4.

## 2752.0011 2012 INDIVIDUAL ANNUITY MORTALITY PERIOD LIFE; FEMALE.

Table 1  
2012 IAM Period Table  
Female, Age Nearest Birthday

AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$	AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$	AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$	AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$
0	1.621	30	0.300	60	3.460	90	88.377
1	0.405	31	0.321	61	3.916	91	97.491
2	0.259	32	0.338	62	4.409	92	107.269
3	0.179	33	0.351	63	4.933	93	118.201

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4	0.137	34	0.365	64	5.507	94	130.969
5	0.125	35	0.381	65	6.146	95	146.449
6	0.117	36	0.402	66	6.551	96	163.908
7	0.110	37	0.429	67	7.039	97	179.695
8	0.095	38	0.463	68	7.628	98	196.151
9	0.088	39	0.504	69	8.311	99	213.150
10	0.085	40	0.552	70	9.074	100	230.722
11	0.086	41	0.600	71	9.910	101	251.505
12	0.094	42	0.650	72	10.827	102	273.007
13	0.108	43	0.697	73	11.839	103	295.086
14	0.131	44	0.740	74	12.974	104	317.591
15	0.156	45	0.780	75	14.282	105	340.362
16	0.179	46	0.825	76	15.799	106	362.371
17	0.198	47	0.885	77	17.550	107	384.113
18	0.211	48	0.964	78	19.582	108	400.000
19	0.221	49	1.051	79	21.970	109	400.000
20	0.228	50	1.161	80	24.821	110	400.000
21	0.234	51	1.308	81	28.351	111	400.000
22	0.240	52	1.460	82	32.509	112	400.000
23	0.245	53	1.613	83	37.329	113	400.000
24	0.247	54	1.774	84	42.830	114	400.000
25	0.250	55	1.950	85	48.997	115	400.000
26	0.256	56	2.154	86	55.774	116	400.000
27	0.261	57	2.399	87	63.140	117	400.000
28	0.270	58	2.700	88	71.066	118	400.000
29	0.281	59	3.054	89	79.502	119	400.000
						120	1000.000

## 2752.0012 2012 INDIVIDUAL ANNUITY MORTALITY PERIOD LIFE; MALE.

Table 2  
2012 IAM Period Table  
Male, Age Nearest Birthday

AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$	AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$	AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$	AGE	$1000 \cdot q_x^{2012}$
0	1.605	30	0.741	60	5.096	90	109.993
1	0.401	31	0.751	61	5.614	91	123.119
2	0.275	32	0.754	62	6.169	92	137.168
3	0.229	33	0.756	63	6.759	93	152.171
4	0.174	34	0.756	64	7.398	94	168.194
5	0.168	35	0.756	65	8.106	95	185.260
6	0.165	36	0.756	66	8.548	96	197.322
7	0.159	37	0.756	67	9.076	97	214.751
8	0.143	38	0.756	68	9.708	98	232.507
9	0.129	39	0.800	69	10.463	99	250.397
10	0.113	40	0.859	70	11.357	100	268.607
11	0.111	41	0.926	71	12.418	101	290.016
12	0.132	42	0.999	72	13.675	102	311.849
13	0.169	43	1.069	73	15.150	103	333.962
14	0.213	44	1.142	74	16.860	104	356.207
15	0.254	45	1.219	75	18.815	105	380.000
16	0.293	46	1.318	76	21.031	106	400.000



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17	0.328	47	1.454	77	23.540	107	400.000
18	0.359	48	1.627	78	26.375	108	400.000
19	0.387	49	1.829	79	29.572	109	400.000
20	0.414	50	2.057	80	33.234	110	400.000
21	0.443	51	2.302	81	37.533	111	400.000
22	0.473	52	2.545	82	42.261	112	400.000
23	0.513	53	2.779	83	47.441	113	400.000
24	0.554	54	3.011	84	53.233	114	400.000
25	0.602	55	3.254	85	59.855	115	400.000
26	0.655	56	3.529	86	67.514	116	400.000
27	0.688	57	3.845	87	76.340	117	400.000
28	0.710	58	4.213	88	86.388	118	400.000
29	0.727	59	4.631	89	97.634	119	400.000
						120	1000.000

**2752.0013 PROJECTION SCALE G2; FEMALE.**

Table 3  
Projection Scale G2  
Female, Age Nearest Birthday

AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>	AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>	AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>	AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>
0	0.010	30	0.010	60	0.013	90	0.006
1	0.010	31	0.010	61	0.013	91	0.006
2	0.010	32	0.010	62	0.013	92	0.005
3	0.010	33	0.010	63	0.013	93	0.005
4	0.010	34	0.010	64	0.013	94	0.004
5	0.010	35	0.010	65	0.013	95	0.004
6	0.010	36	0.010	66	0.013	96	0.004
7	0.010	37	0.010	67	0.013	97	0.003
8	0.010	38	0.010	68	0.013	98	0.003
9	0.010	39	0.010	69	0.013	99	0.002
10	0.010	40	0.010	70	0.013	100	0.002
11	0.010	41	0.010	71	0.013	101	0.002
12	0.010	42	0.010	72	0.013	102	0.001
13	0.010	43	0.010	73	0.013	103	0.001
14	0.010	44	0.010	74	0.013	104	0.000
15	0.010	45	0.010	75	0.013	105	0.000
16	0.010	46	0.010	76	0.013	106	0.000
17	0.010	47	0.010	77	0.013	107	0.000
18	0.010	48	0.010	78	0.013	108	0.000
19	0.010	49	0.010	79	0.013	109	0.000
20	0.010	50	0.010	80	0.013	110	0.000
21	0.010	51	0.010	81	0.012	111	0.000
22	0.010	52	0.011	82	0.012	112	0.000
23	0.010	53	0.011	83	0.011	113	0.000
24	0.010	54	0.011	84	0.010	114	0.000
25	0.010	55	0.012	85	0.010	115	0.000
26	0.010	56	0.012	86	0.009	116	0.000
27	0.010	57	0.012	87	0.008	117	0.000
28	0.010	58	0.012	88	0.007	118	0.000
29	0.010	59	0.013	89	0.007	119	0.000
						120	0.000

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Table 4  
Projection Scale G2  
Male, Age Nearest Birthday

AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>	AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>	AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>	AGE	G2 <sub>x</sub>
0	0.010	30	0.010	60	0.015	90	0.007
1	0.010	31	0.010	61	0.015	91	0.007
2	0.010	32	0.010	62	0.015	92	0.006
3	0.010	33	0.010	63	0.015	93	0.005
4	0.010	34	0.010	64	0.015	94	0.005
5	0.010	35	0.010	65	0.015	95	0.004
6	0.010	36	0.010	66	0.015	96	0.004
7	0.010	37	0.010	67	0.015	97	0.003
8	0.010	38	0.010	68	0.015	98	0.003
9	0.010	39	0.010	69	0.015	99	0.002
10	0.010	40	0.010	70	0.015	100	0.002
11	0.010	41	0.010	71	0.015	101	0.002
12	0.010	42	0.010	72	0.015	102	0.001
13	0.010	43	0.010	73	0.015	103	0.001
14	0.010	44	0.010	74	0.015	104	0.000
15	0.010	45	0.010	75	0.015	105	0.000
16	0.010	46	0.010	76	0.015	106	0.000
17	0.010	47	0.010	77	0.015	107	0.000
18	0.010	48	0.010	78	0.015	108	0.000
19	0.010	49	0.010	79	0.015	109	0.000
20	0.010	50	0.010	80	0.015	110	0.000
21	0.010	51	0.011	81	0.014	111	0.000
22	0.010	52	0.011	82	0.013	112	0.000
23	0.010	53	0.012	83	0.013	113	0.000
24	0.010	54	0.012	84	0.012	114	0.000
25	0.010	55	0.013	85	0.011	115	0.000
26	0.010	56	0.013	86	0.010	116	0.000
27	0.010	57	0.014	87	0.009	117	0.000
28	0.010	58	0.014	88	0.009	118	0.000
29	0.010	59	0.015	89	0.008	119	0.000
						120	0.000

## 2752.0020 INDIVIDUAL ANNUITY OR PURE ENDOWMENT CONTRACTS.

Subpart 1. **Approved table for annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after August 1, 1978.** Except as provided in subparts 2 and 3, and 4, the 1983 Table "a" and the Annuity 2000 Mortality Table are recognized and approved as individual annuity mortality tables for valuation and, at the option of the company, either of these tables may be used for purposes of determining the minimum standard of valuation for an individual annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after August 1, 1978.

Subp. 2. **Approved table for annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after January 1, 1999.** Except as provided in subpart subparts 3 and 4, the Annuity 2000 Mortality Table shall be used for determining the minimum standard of valuation for an individual annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after January 1, 1999.

Subp. 3. **Approved table for annuity or pure endowment contract based on life contingencies issued to fund periodic benefits.** The 1983 Table "a" without projection is to be used for determining the minimum standard of valuation for an individual annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after January 1, 1999, solely when the contract is based on life contingencies and is issued to fund periodic benefits arising from:

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- A. settlements of various forms of claims pertaining to court settlements or out-of-court settlements from tort actions;
- B. settlements involving similar actions such as workers' compensation claims; or
- C. settlements of long-term disability claims where a temporary or life annuity has been used in lieu of continuing disability payments.

Subp. 4. **Approved table for annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after January 1, 2015.** Except as provided in subpart 3, the 2012 IAR Table shall be used for determining the minimum standard of valuation for any individual annuity or pure endowment contract issued on or after January 1, 2015.

## **2752.0025 APPLICATION OF THE 2012 IAR TABLE.**

In using the 2012 IAR Table, the mortality rate for a person age  $x$  in year  $(2012+n)$  is calculated as follows:

$$q_x^{2012+n} = q_x^{2012} (1 - G2_x)^n$$

where the  $q_x^{2012}$  and  $G2_x$  are as specified in the 2012 IAM Period Table and Projection Scale G2, respectively.

The resulting  $q_x^{2012+n}$  shall be rounded to three decimal places per 1,000, e.g., 0.741 deaths per 1,000. Also, the rounding shall occur according to the method in the example below, starting at the 2012 IAM Period Table rate.

For example, for a male age 30,  $q_{30}^{2012} = 0.741$ .

$q_{30}^{2013} = 0.741 * (1 - 0.010) ^ 1 = 0.73359$ , which is rounded to 0.734.

$q_{30}^{2014} = 0.741 * (1 - 0.010) ^ 2 = 0.7262541$ , which is rounded to 0.726.

A method leading to incorrect rounding would be to calculate  $q_{30}^{2014}$  as  $q_{30}^{2013} * (1 - 0.010)$ , or  $0.734 * 0.99 = 0.727$ .

It is incorrect to use the already rounded  $q_{30}^{2013}$  to calculate  $q_{30}^{2014}$ .

**REPEALER.** *Minnesota Rules*, part 2752.0015, is repealed.

## **Minnesota Department of Commerce**

### **Proposed Permanent Rules Relating to Commerce; Thermal Insulation Standards; Materials and Installation**

#### **NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT RULES WITHOUT A PUBLIC HEARING**

#### **Proposed Amendment to Rules Governing Residential Thermal Insulation Standards, *Minnesota Rules*, chapter 7640; Revisor's ID Number 3945**

**Introduction.** The Department of Commerce intends to adopt rules without a public hearing following the procedures in the rules of the Office of Administrative Hearings, *Minnesota Rules*, parts 1400.2300 to 1400.2310, and the Administrative Procedure Act, *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 14.22 to 14.28. You may submit written comments on the proposed rules and may also submit a written request that a hearing be held on the rules until July 10, 2014.

**Agency Contact Person.** You must submit comments or questions on the rules and written requests for a public hearing to the agency contact person. The agency contact person is Susan Bergh at the Minnesota Department of Commerce, 85 - 7<sup>th</sup> Place East, Suite 500, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101, **phone:** (651) 539-1456, **e-mail to:** [rules.commerce@state.mn.us](mailto:rules.commerce@state.mn.us). Consumers with hearing or speech disabilities may contact the Department of Commerce via their preferred Telecommunications Relay Service.

**Subject of Rules and Statutory Authority.** The proposed modifications to the rules are intended to: 1) update references to national standards, 2) amend reporting requirements, and 3) amend provisions pertaining to applicability and conduct. The statutory authority to adopt the rules is *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 45.023 and 325F.20. A copy of the proposed rules is published in the *State Register* and attached to this notice as mailed.

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**Comments.** You have until 4:30 p.m. on July 10, 2014, to submit written comment in support of or in opposition to the proposed rules and any part or subpart of the rules. Your comment must be in writing and the agency contact person must receive it by the due date. The Department encourages comment. Your comment should identify the portion of the proposed rules addressed and the reason for the comment. You are encouraged to propose any change desired. You must also make any comments about the legality of the proposed rules during this comment period.

**Request for a Hearing.** In addition to submitting comments, you may also request that the Department hold a hearing on the rules. Your request must be in writing and the agency contact person must receive it by 4:30 p.m. on July 10, 2014. Your written request for a public hearing must include your name and address. You must identify the portion of the proposed rules that you object to or state that you oppose the entire set of rules. Any request that does not comply with these requirements is not valid and the agency cannot count it when determining whether it must hold a public hearing. You are also encouraged to state the reason for the request and any changes you want made to the proposed rules.

**Withdrawal of Requests.** If 25 or more persons submit a valid written request for a hearing, the Department will hold a public hearing unless a sufficient number withdraw their requests in writing. If enough requests for hearing are withdrawn to reduce the number below 25, the agency must give written notice of this to all persons who requested a hearing, explain the actions the agency took to effect the withdrawal, and ask for written comments on this action. If a public hearing is required, the agency will follow the procedures in *Minnesota Statutes*, sections 14.131 to 14.20.

**Alternative Format.** Upon request, the Department can make this Notice available in an alternative format, such as large print, Braille, or cassette tape. To make such a request, please contact the agency contact person at the address or telephone number listed above.

**Modifications.** The Department may modify the proposed rules as a result of public comment. The modifications must be supported by comments and information submitted to the agency, and the adopted rules may not be substantially different than these proposed rules, unless the agency follows the procedure under *Minnesota Rules*, part 1400.2110. If the proposed rules affect you in any way, the Department encourages you to participate in the rulemaking process.

**Statement of Need and Reasonableness.** The statement of need and reasonableness contains a summary of the justification for the proposed rules, including a description of who will be affected by the proposed rules and an estimate of the probable cost of the proposed rules. It is now available from the agency contact person. You may review, or obtain copies at the cost of reproduction, by contacting the agency contact person.

**Lobbyist Registration.** *Minnesota Statutes*, chapter 10A, requires each lobbyist to register with the State Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board. You should direct questions about this requirement to the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board at: Suite 190, Centennial Building, 658 Cedar Street, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155, telephone: (651) 539-1180 or 1-800-657-3889.

**Adoption and Review of Rules.** If no hearing is required, the agency may adopt the rules after the end of the comment period. The agency will then submit the rules and supporting documents to the Office of Administrative Hearings for review for legality. You may ask to be notified of the date the Department submits the rules to the office. If you want to be so notified, or want to receive a copy of the adopted rules, or want to register with the agency to receive notice of future rule proceedings, submit your request to the agency contact person listed above.

Dated: 2 May 2014

Mike Rothman, Commissioner  
Minnesota Department of Commerce

## 7640.0100 AUTHORITY; PURPOSE; INCORPORATIONS BY REFERENCE.

[For text of subs 1 and 2, see M.R.]

Subp. 3. **Incorporations by reference.** This chapter incorporates numerous standards by reference that are published by ASTM, Conshohocken, Pennsylvania. This chapter also incorporates an ANSI/ISO/ASQ standard by reference, published by the American Society for Quality, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. This chapter also incorporates an ICC-Evaluation Services standard by reference, published by the ICC-Evaluation Service, Whittier, California. This chapter also incorporates an ASHRAE standard by reference, published by ASHRAE, Atlanta, Georgia. The standards and tests incorporated by reference are all an integral part of current insulation industry testing procedures. All manufacturers and testing laboratories presently possess or have access to each referenced incorporation.

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All of the incorporated standards are subject to frequent change. Copies of all standards incorporated by reference are available in the Office of the Commissioner of Commerce and through interlibrary loan from the Minnesota State Law Library.

## 7640.0110 APPLICABILITY AND CONDUCT.

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

### Subp. 2. Conduct.

[For text of items A to E, see M.R.]

F. If any representation is made that a product to be installed in Minnesota residential buildings will affect heat flow or energy savings, the representation must be based on the building envelope climate criteria set forth in the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) Standard 90.1-2010.

[For text of subps 3 to 5, see M.R.]

## 7640.0120 DEFINITIONS.

Subpart 1. **Applicability.** For the purposes of this chapter, the following definitions of terms apply. Technical, scientific, and engineering terms undefined by this part have the meanings given in ASTM ~~C168-05a~~ C168-13, Standard Definitions of Terms Relating to Thermal Insulation Materials.

[For text of subps 2 to 26, see M.R.]

## 7640.0130 STANDARDS FOR INSULATION MATERIALS AND INSTALLATION.

[For text of subps 1 and 2, see M.R.]

### Subp. 3. Cellulose insulation.

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

B. Cellulose fiber in loose-fill form must comply with ASTM ~~C739-05be1~~ C739-11, Standard Specification for Cellulosic Fiber Loose-Fill Thermal Insulation. Cellulose loose-fill insulation must be installed in accordance with ASTM C1015-06(2011)e1, Standard Practice for Installation of Cellulosic and Mineral Fiber Loose-Fill Thermal Insulation.

C. Cellulose fiber spray-applied must comply with either:

(1) Type II requirements of ASTM ~~C1149-06e1~~ C1149-11, Standard Specification for Self-Supported Spray Applied Cellulosic Thermal Insulation; or

(2) ~~ASTM C739-05be1, Standard Specification for Cellulosic Fiber Loose-Fill Thermal Insulation. Design density and thermal resistance must be determined for specimens prepared as spray-applied according to manufacturer's installation instructions.~~

D. Cellulose fiber stabilized must comply with ~~this item:~~

(1) ~~Thermal performance, shrinkage, and settling must be determined by sections 5.8, 5.10, and 5.11, respectively of ASTM C1497-04~~ C1497-12, Standard Specification for Cellulosic Fiber Stabilized Thermal Insulation.

(2) ~~Corrosiveness, critical radiant flux, fungi resistance, water vapor sorption, odor emission, and smoldering combustion must be determined by the appropriate sections of either ASTM C1497-04 or ASTM C739-05be1.~~

E. Cellulosic fiber insulating board must comply with ASTM C208-12, Standard Specification for Cellulosic Fiber Insulating Board.

~~E. F.~~ Industry members and other persons may not engage in the mobile manufacture of cellulose insulation, which means the simultaneous on-site production and installation of cellulose insulation as an integral mechanical and manufacturing process.

### Subp. 4. Mineral fiber insulation.

A. Mineral fiber in loose fill form must comply with ASTM ~~C764-07~~ C764-11, Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Loose Fill Thermal Insulation.

(1) Mineral fiber loose fill must achieve not less than stated performance at winter design conditions as shown by ASTM ~~C1373-03~~ C1373/C1373M-11, Standard Practice for Determination of Thermal Resistance of Attic Insulation Systems Under Simulated Winter

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(2) Mineral fiber loose fill must be installed in accordance with ASTM ~~E1015-06~~ C1015-06(2011)e, Standard Practice for Installation of Cellulosic and Mineral Fiber Loose-Fill Thermal Insulation.

B. Mineral fiber in batts and blankets form must comply with ASTM ~~E665-06~~ C665-12, Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Blanket Thermal Insulation for Light Frame Construction and Manufactured Housing. Mineral fiber in batts and blankets must be installed in accordance with ASTM C1320-10, Standard Practice for Installation of Mineral Fiber Batt and Blanket Thermal Insulation for Light Frame Construction.

C. Mineral fiber in board form must comply with ASTM ~~E612-04~~ C612-10, Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Block and Board Thermal Insulation.

D. Spray applied mineral fiber must comply with ASTM ~~E1014-03e1~~ C1014-08(2013), Standard Specification for Spray Applied Mineral Fiber Thermal ~~or Acoustical~~ and Sound Absorbing Insulation.

Subp. 5. **Foam plastic insulation.** All foam plastic insulation must achieve stated performance at 75 degrees Fahrenheit mean temperature. For foam plastic insulations that incorporate blowing agents other than air or pentane, R-value tests must be done on specimens that have been treated in accordance with either the test method identified for the product in items A to F or the Federal Trade Commission R-Value rule, Code of Federal Regulations, title 16, part 460, to fully reflect the effect of aging on the product's R-value.

A. Rigid, cellular polystyrene insulation must comply with either ASTM ~~E578-07~~ C578-12b, Standard Specification for Rigid, Cellular Polystyrene Thermal Insulation, or item F.

B. Faced polyisocyanurate in board form must comply with either ASTM ~~E1289-07~~ C1289-13e1, Standard Specification for Faced Rigid Cellular Polyisocyanurate Thermal Insulation Board, or item F.

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

D. Spray-applied polyurethane foam must comply with either ASTM ~~E1029-05a~~ C1029-13, Standard Specification for Spray Applied Rigid Polyurethane Thermal Insulation, or item F.

E. Rigid cellular phenolic insulation must comply with either ASTM ~~E1126-04~~ C1126-13, Standard Specification for Faced or Unfaced Rigid Cellular Phenolic Thermal Insulation, or item F.

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

Subp. 6. **Perlite and vermiculite insulation.**

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

B. Vermiculite in loose fill form must meet the following requirements:

(1) The product must comply with ASTM ~~E516-02~~ C516-08, Standard Specification for Vermiculite Loose Fill Thermal Insulation.

(2) The manufacturer shall disclose to the department any chemical treatment of the vermiculite material and the purpose of the treatment.

Subp. 7. **Reflective foil insulation.**

A. Reflective insulation for building applications must meet the requirements of either ASTM ~~E1224-03~~ C1224-11, Standard Specification for Reflective Insulation for Building Applications:

~~Exception: Products having a current ICC-Evaluation Services Report in accordance with, or~~ ICC-AC02, Acceptance Criteria for Reflective Foil Insulation.

Reflective ~~foil~~ insulation must be installed according to ASTM ~~E727-01(2007)e1~~ C727-12, Standard Practice for Installation and Use of Reflective Insulation in Building Constructions.



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B. Radiant barrier products must meet the requirements of either ASTM ~~E1313-05~~ C1313/C1313M-13, Standard Specification for Sheet Radiant Barriers for Building Construction Applications:

~~Exception: Products having a current ICC-Evaluation Services Report in accordance with, or~~ ICC-EG220, Evaluation Guideline for Sheet Radiant Barriers. Radiant barriers must be installed according to ASTM C1158-05, Standard Practice for Installation and Use of Radiant Barrier Systems (RBS) in Building Construction.

Subp. 7a. **Cotton fiber insulation products.** Cotton fiber insulation products must meet the criteria of ICC-EG81, Evaluation Guideline for Cotton Fiber Insulation.

Subp. 7b. **Polyester loose-fill and blanket insulation products.** Polyester loose-fill and blanket insulation products must meet the criteria of ICC-AC187, Acceptance Criteria for Polyester Loose-Fill and Blanket Insulations.

Subp. 7c. **Vacuum insulation panel insulation.** Vacuum insulation panel insulation must meet the requirements of ASTM C1484-10, Standard Specification for Vacuum Insulation Panels.

Subp. 8. **Other insulation.** Insulation other than insulation specified in subparts 1 to ~~7.7c~~ must comply with the requirements of this subpart. The thermal insulation material chosen for testing must be representative of material produced by the manufacturer during normal production runs.

~~Exceptions: Cotton fiber Insulation products must comply with either items A to G or ICC-EG81, Evaluation Guideline for Cotton Fiber Insulation. Polyester loose-fill and blanket insulation products must comply with either items A to G or ICC-AC187, Acceptance Criteria for Polyester Loose-Fill and Blanket Insulations:~~

A. Thermal performance characteristics must be determined in accordance with this item.

(1) One of the following test methods must be used: ~~ASTM ~~E177-04~~ C177-13~~, ~~ASTM ~~E518-04~~ C518-10~~, ~~ASTM ~~E199-00~~ C1199-12~~, or ASTM C1114-06. Manufacturers shall select the appropriate test method for the material unless a specific method or procedure is referenced within a materials specification.

[For text of subitems (2) and (3), see M.R.]

B. Water or moisture absorption must be determined according to one of the following methods: ~~ASTM ~~E272-01~~ C272/C272M-12~~; ~~ASTM ~~E553-02~~ C553-11~~, section 14; ~~ASTM ~~E739-05~~ C739-11~~, section 12; or ~~ASTM ~~D2842-06~~ D2842-12~~.

C. If the material is foam in place, a test must be conducted to determine the response to thermal and humid aging in accordance with ~~ASTM ~~E1029-05~~ C1029-13~~, section 10.6.

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

E. The product must not produce a detectable odor that is classified as objectionable and strong or very strong by ~~ASTM ~~E1304-95~~ (2001) C1304-08~~, Standard Test Method for Assessing the Odor Emission of Thermal Insulation Materials.

F. Surface burning characteristics must be determined in accordance with ~~ASTM ~~E84-07b~~ E84-13a~~, "Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials," or Underwriters Laboratories Standard UL 723, "Standard for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials."

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

## 7640.0150 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

Subpart 1. [See repealer.]

Subp. 2. **Initial report Reporting.** An industry member shall file an initial report at least 30 days before offering for sale in the state any new products, significant changes to a product already filed, or changes to product installation instructions to a product already filed.

The initial report must include the following: Upon request by the commissioner, an industry member who offers for sale in this state any products subject to this part shall provide the following information:

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

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D. product literature, including installation instructions and promotional materials, a copy of the label affixed to the product, a copy of the product's material safety data sheet, and a list of the intended uses of the product, including whether the product is recommended for exterior below-grade application;

[For text of items E to I, see M.R.]

Subp. 3. [See repealer.]

**REPEALER.** *Minnesota Rules*, part 7640.0150, subparts 1 and 3, are repealed.

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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 days 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.

## Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS)

### Continuing Care Administration

### Notice of Public Comment Period, Autism Early Intensive Developmental and Behavioral Interventions, 1915(i)

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Minnesota Department of Human Services is holding a 30-day public comment period from June 2, 2014 to July 2, 2014 to provide an opportunity for the public to comment on the proposed State Plan Amendment.

The Department of Human Services is seeking public comment to the State Plan Amendment that will initiate coverage for medically necessary Autism Early Intensive Developmental and Behavioral Interventions (EIDBI). EIDBI will be a service available as part of the Medical Assistance benefit set to children with autism from birth up to age 18. EIDBI promote the child's optimal independence and participation in family, school and community while improving long-term outcomes and quality of life for children with autism and their families. EIDBI services include a comprehensive multi-disciplinary evaluation, intensive developmental and behavioral interventions, parent/caregiver training and education, care consultation and thorough progress monitoring.

After the public comment period, DHS will make appropriate changes in the plan and submit it to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. A copy of the State Plan Amendment can be viewed by visiting the DHS public participate page at:

<http://mn.gov/dhs/about-dhs/public-participation.jsp>

Comments in response to this State Plan Amendment must be received at the following address: [DSD.PublicComments@state.mn.us](mailto:DSD.PublicComments@state.mn.us) no later than **4:00 p.m., Central Time, July 2, 2014.**

## Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) Health Care Administration Notice of Public Meetings on MinnesotaCare and the Basic Health Program

The Department of Human Services (DHS) is announcing two public meetings for stakeholders and other interested persons to provide input and comments on the transition of MinnesotaCare to a Basic Health Program as authorized under section 1331 of the Affordable Care Act (Public Law 111-148). MinnesotaCare currently operates as a Medicaid waiver program. The authority for Medicaid funding for MinnesotaCare will end on December 31, 2014. MinnesotaCare will operate as a Basic Health Program effective January 1, 2015, assuming it is approved by CMS. DHS will use the public meetings to provide information about the transition to the Basic Health Program and to seek public input and comment about the transition.

The Minnesota Legislature made several changes to MinnesotaCare in anticipation of the eventual transition to a Basic Health Program. These changes took effect on January 1, 2014, and include the following:

- individuals with income above 133% of the federal poverty guidelines (FPG) and at or below 200% FPG are eligible for MinnesotaCare;
- noncitizens who are lawfully present in the U.S. with income at or below 200% FPG and ineligible for Medical Assistance, because of immigration status, are eligible for MinnesotaCare;
- the asset limit used in determining eligibility for adults is eliminated;
- the \$10,000 cap and \$1,000 maximum co-pay on inpatient hospital services for certain adults are eliminated;
- the four-month waiting period for failing to pay a premium and the 18-month waiting period for having access to employer-sponsored insurance are eliminated; and
- MinnesotaCare premiums are reduced and simplified.

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services issued final regulations for the Basic Health Program on March 12, 2014. The final Basic Health Program regulations give Minnesota the flexibility to model MinnesotaCare on Medicaid rules or advance premium tax credit rules. DHS is proposing to largely follow Medicaid rules for purposes of implementing MinnesotaCare as a Basic Health Program. DHS anticipates that current MinnesotaCare policies and procedures will largely remain in place. DHS is currently seeking public comment and input on the following issues as Minnesota transitions MinnesotaCare to comply with Basic Health Program regulations beginning in January 2015:

### Eligibility and Enrollment

DHS is proposing that MinnesotaCare eligibility criteria would largely remain in effect as currently authorized in state law. DHS is also proposing that application and enrollment procedures would remain unchanged. However, Basic Health Program regulations limit MinnesotaCare eligibility to individuals under age 65 and do not provide federal funding for individuals over age 65. Consequently, DHS is seeking input and comments on a proposal to use state-only funding for individuals aged 65 and older, who are otherwise eligible for MinnesotaCare.

### Premiums and Cost-Sharing

DHS is proposing that MinnesotaCare premium and cost-sharing amounts would remain unchanged. The Basic Health Program regulations require MinnesotaCare to exempt American Indians who are enrolled in a federally recognized tribe from all cost-sharing requirements. DHS is proposing that all other MinnesotaCare premium and cost-sharing exemptions will remain unchanged.

Basic Health Program regulations require that MinnesotaCare give enrollees a 30-day grace period to pay any

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required premium prior to disenrollment. MinnesotaCare enrollees would be provided coverage through the grace period. Currently, MinnesotaCare disenrolls individuals at the beginning of a month, if a required premium has not been paid and uses a 20-day reinstatement policy, which allows individuals to re-enroll in a MinnesotaCare if they pay past due premiums within 20 days of being disenrolled. DHS is seeking input and comment on issues related to differences between current practice and the regulatory requirements..

## Benefits

DHS is proposing that the MinnesotaCare benefit package will remain unchanged.

## Service Delivery

For 2015, DHS is also proposing that enrollees will continue to receive health care services through managed care organizations currently under contract to provide services to MinnesotaCare enrollees. For 2016, DHS is proposing to conduct a statewide procurement to allow any “participating entity” to provide services to MinnesotaCare enrollees. Minnesota Law defines “participating entity” as:

- a health carrier as defined in *Minnesota Statutes*, section 62A.011, subdivision 2;
- a county-based purchasing plan established under *Minnesota Statutes*, section 256B.692;
- an accountable care organization or other entity operating a health care delivery systems demonstration project authorized under *Minnesota Statutes*, section 256B.0755;
- an entity operating a county integrated health care delivery network pilot project authorized under *Minnesota Statutes*, section 256B.0756; or
- a network of health care providers established to offer services under MinnesotaCare.

Basic Health Program regulations require all enrollees have a choice of at least two participating entities. DHS is proposing to seek an exemption from this requirement for the 2015. Currently, some individuals in greater Minnesota only have a choice of one managed care organization and DHS does not have adequate time to procure additional participating entities for 2015. DHS anticipates offering a choice of at least two participating entities to all MinnesotaCare enrollees for 2016.

## Funding

MinnesotaCare will no longer receive Medicaid funding effective January 1, 2015. MinnesotaCare will instead receive federal funding based on 95% of the advance premium tax credits and cost-sharing reductions that enrollees would otherwise receive through MNsure. These federal funds must be held in a designated trust fund and must only be used to reduce premiums and cost-sharing or provide additional benefits to enrollees.

DHS will use the public input and comments received through these two public meetings to develop an operational plan that Minnesota must submit to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for certification to operate MinnesotaCare as a Basic Health Program. DHS will provide additional opportunities to comment on the operational plan prior to submitting it to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for certification.

Stakeholders and interested individuals may attend either public meeting by phone or in person. To attend by phone, please send an e-mail request to [mark.siegel@state.mn.us](mailto:mark.siegel@state.mn.us) to obtain the call-in information. To attend in person, the time and location for the two public hearings are provided below. Public input and comment are welcome. If you would like to comment at the meeting by phone or in person, please send an e-mail to [mark.siegel@state.mn.us](mailto:mark.siegel@state.mn.us) indicating that you will testify. To accommodate all stakeholders interested in testifying at the meetings, DHS may put a time limit on testifiers. Written comments will also be accepted and can be sent via e-mail to [mark.siegel@state.mn.us](mailto:mark.siegel@state.mn.us)

**Public Meeting #1**  
**Date:** Monday, June 16, 2014  
**Time:** 2:00 p.m.  
**Location:** DHS  
Elmer L. Andersen Human Services Building, Room 2370  
540 Cedar Street  
St. Paul, MN 55164

**Public Meeting #2**  
**Date:** Monday, June 23, 2014  
**Time:** 1:00 p.m..  
**Location:** DHS  
Elmer L. Andersen Human Services Building, Room 2370  
540 Cedar Street  
St. Paul, MN 55164

## **Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR)**

### **Division of Ecological and Water Resources**

### **REQUEST FOR COMMENTS on Possible Rules Governing the Mississippi River**

### **Corridor Critical Area, *Minnesota Rules*, chapters 6106 and 4410**

**Subject of Rules.** The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) requests comments on possible rules governing the Mississippi River Corridor Critical Area (MRCCA). The MRCCA includes the Mississippi River and 5,400 acres of adjacent land along a 72-mile stretch through the Twin Cities metropolitan area. Development in the corridor is currently guided by locally-adopted and enforced MRCCA plans and ordinances that must comply with existing districts and standards and guidelines established in Executive Order 79-19, the order designating the MRCCA. The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is engaged in rulemaking to update these districts and standards. The rulemaking will primarily develop new language in Chapter 6106, but also may modify existing language in Chapter 4410 if determined necessary to facilitate administration.

This rulemaking will provide for management of the MRCCA as a multi-purpose resource in a manner consistent with *Minnesota Statutes* 116G.15, subd. 2, that: conserves scenic, environmental recreational, mineral, economic, cultural, and historic resources and functions; maintains the river channel for transportation, including barging and fleeting areas; provides for continuation, development and redevelopment of a variety of urban uses; uses the river for water supply and as a receiving water for properly treated effluents; and protects the biological and ecological functions of the corridor.

**Persons Affected.** The rules would likely affect the following persons and organizations within the MRCCA: all local governmental units with jurisdiction in the MRCCA (21 cities, 4 townships, and 5 counties); property owners, institutions, developers, and businesses; recreational facility users; water-oriented businesses, facilities, and navigation interests on the Mississippi River; utility providers; state and regional agencies and institutions with facilities, property interests, and/or regulatory authority in the MRCCA (such as the Metropolitan Council, Department of Natural Resources, Department of Transportation, Metropolitan Airports Commission, University of Minnesota, Saint Paul Port Authority, Minnesota Historical Society, and federal agencies such as the National Park Service and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers).

**Statutory Authority.** *Minnesota Statutes*, section 116G.15, as amended in *Laws 2013*, chapter 137, article 2, sections 18 to 21, requires the DNR to adopt rules for administration of the Mississippi River Corridor Critical Area.

**Rules Drafts.** The DNR has developed a working draft of the possible rules and districts for public comment. The working draft of the possible rules, district maps, and other information regarding the rulemaking are available on the DNR website at:

*[www.dnr.state.mn.us/input/rules/mrcca/index.html](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/input/rules/mrcca/index.html)*

or can be obtained by contacting the agency contact person provided below.

**Public Comment.** Interested persons or groups may submit comments or information on the working draft of possible rules in writing until 4:30 p.m. on August 15, 2014. The DNR will not publish a notice of intent to adopt the rules until more than 60 days have elapsed from the date of this request for comments. The DNR does not plan to appoint an advisory committee to comment on the possible rules, but will be convening public information meetings and open houses throughout the summer of 2014 to gain additional input. This process is the continuation of a process that began in 2009. As part of that process, the DNR consulted closely with advisory committees; local governments; federal, state, and regional agencies; and other interest groups in developing the working draft of the proposed rules and districts. The DNR will continue to consult with these interest groups throughout the public comment phase.

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**Agency Contact Person.** Written comments, questions, and requests to receive a copy of the working draft of proposed rules should be directed to: Daniel Petrik at Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, 500 Lafayette Road, St. Paul, MN 55155-4025, **phone:** (651) 259-5714, **facsimile:** (651) 296-1811, and **e-mail:** [mrcca.rulemaking@state.mn.us](mailto:mrcca.rulemaking@state.mn.us).

**Alternative Format.** Upon request, this information can be made available in an alternative format, such as large print, braille, or audio. To make such a request, please contact the agency contact person at the address or telephone number listed above.

**NOTE:** This rulemaking phase is intended to provide informal feedback on the working draft rules before they are finalized for the last phase. The last phase is a formal process that begins with a Notice of Intent/Hearing to adopt the rules, with a public hearing presided over by an Administrative Law Judge. Therefore, comments received in response to this notice will not necessarily be included in the formal rulemaking record submitted to the Administrative Law Judge. The agency is required to submit to the judge only those written comments received after the rules are formally proposed in the second phase. If you submit comments in response to this notice and you want to ensure that the Administrative Law Judge reviews the comments, you should resubmit the comments after the rules are formally proposed.

Dated: May 21, 2014

Tom Landwehr, Commissioner  
Department of Natural Resources

## Minnesota Teachers Retirement Association (TRA) Notice of Meeting of the Board of Trustees on 18 June 2014

The Board of Trustees, Minnesota Teachers Retirement Association will hold a meeting on Wednesday, June 18, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. in Suite 400, 60 Empire Drive, St. Paul, MN to consider matters which may properly come before the Board. Board members may participate by telephone.

## Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) Notice to Bidders: Suspensions/Debarments as of May 27, 2014

### NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that MnDOT has ordered that the following vendors be suspended effective May 15, 2014, until July 14, 2016:

- GCC Alliance Concrete, Inc. and its affiliates, Minneapolis, MN

### NOTICE OF DEBARMENT

**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 debarment.



## 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/>

## Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS)

### Continuing Care Division

### Notice of Request for Proposals to Provide Vendor Fiscal/Employer Agent Financial Management Services

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Minnesota Department of Human Services is requesting proposals to provide Vendor Fiscal/Employer Agent Financial Management Services.

Work is proposed to start October 1, 2014. For more information, or to obtain a copy of the Request for Proposal, contact:

Jennifer Strei  
Department of Human Services  
Disability Services Division  
P.O. Box 64967  
444 Lafayette Road North  
St. Paul, MN 551550967  
**Phone:** (651) 431-4300  
**Fax:** (651) 431-7563  
**E-mail:** [jennifer.m.strei@state.mn.us](mailto:jennifer.m.strei@state.mn.us)

This is the only person designated to answer questions by potential responders regarding this request.

Proposals submitted in response to this Request for Proposals must be received at the address above no later than **4:00 p.m., Central Time, June 30, 2014. Late proposals will NOT be considered.** Faxed or e-mailed proposals will **NOT** be considered.

The RFP can be viewed by visiting the Minnesota Department of Human Services RFP web site:

[http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/id\\_000102](http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/id_000102)

This request does not obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in this notice. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

## 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 solicitations 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 solicitations (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 procurement is not being conducted in the SWIFT system.

## Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU)

### Hennepin Technical College

### Notice of Availability of Request for Proposals (RFP) for Contract Security Services for Hennepin Technical College, Brooklyn Park Campus and Eden Prairie Campus

The State of Minnesota, acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, on behalf of Hennepin Technical College, is soliciting proposals for a vendor to provide contract security services. The selected vendor will provide exceptional security services through the use of experienced, uniformed officers in accordance with the specification requirements and conditions listed in the RFP.

Proposals for this project will be received by:

Julie Kaiser  
Hennepin Technical College  
13100 College View Drive  
Eden Prairie, MN 55347

No later than 10:00 AM, June 6, 2014.

Contact Julie Kaiser for a complete RFP: **e-mail:** [julie.kaiser@hennepintech.edu](mailto:julie.kaiser@hennepintech.edu) , or **phone:** (952) 995-1445

## Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU)

### St. Cloud State University

### Notice of Availability of Request for Proposals (RFP) for Comprehensive Facilities Planning Services for St. Cloud State University

The State of Minnesota, acting through its Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, on behalf of St. Cloud State University, is soliciting proposals for a vendor to provide comprehensive facilities planning services. The selected vendor will provide services in accordance with the requirements and conditions listed in the RFP.

Proposals for this project will be received by:

Lisa Sparks  
St. Cloud State University  
720 - 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue South  
St. Cloud, MN 56301  
**Phone:** (320) 308-4788  
**Fax:** (320) 308-4175

E-mail: [lksparks@stcloudstate.edu](mailto:lksparks@stcloudstate.edu)

No later than 3:00 PM June 24, 2014

The RFP will be posted [http://www.stcloudstate.edu/facilities/Projects\\_000.asp](http://www.stcloudstate.edu/facilities/Projects_000.asp)

## Minnesota Historical Society (MHS) Request for Bids for Comstock House Exterior Preservation, Moorhead, Minnesota

The Minnesota Historical Society (the Society) is seeking bids from qualified firms to provide all labor, materials, equipment, and supplies for an exterior preservation of the Comstock House (the Site).

The Work on the House consists of, but is not limited to, the repair and/ or replacement of wood siding, wood shingle siding, wood trim boards and decorative elements; repair of wood storm windows, wood windows, and wood window sashes; repair and/ or replacement of wood window jambs and wood window sills; removal of existing and installation of new glazing compound on exterior windows; prepare for painting (including, but not limited to, priming of all existing and new exterior woodwork); perform exterior painting of the building; and repair/ and or replacement and/ or modification of gutters, downspouts, and extensions. No work is scheduled for the Ice House.

Work will be accomplished in accordance with the Technical Specifications, Instructions to Bidders, and Contract Documents (i.e., Supplementary Conditions, General Conditions, Contract Terms), as well as this Request for Bids.

The Request for Bids and other front-end documents are available by contacting Mary Green Toussaint, Acting Contracting Officer, Minnesota Historical Society, by e-mail only: [mary.green-toussaint@mnh.s.org](mailto:mary.green-toussaint@mnh.s.org)

There will be a **MANDATORY** pre-bid meeting for all interested parties on **Tuesday, June 10, 2014, at 1:00 p.m. Local Time** at the Site: 506 - 8<sup>th</sup> St. S., Moorhead, MN 56560.

All bids must be received by Mary Green Toussaint, Acting Contracting Officer, Minnesota Historical Society, 345 Kellogg Boulevard West, St. Paul, Minnesota 55102, or her authorized agent no later than **2:00 p.m. Local Time, Thursday, June 26, 2014**. "Authorized agent" means the receptionist at the 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Information Desk.

## Minnesota State Lottery Request for Proposals for Sponsorship Agreements

### Description of Opportunity

The Minnesota State Lottery develops sponsorship agreements throughout the year with organizations, events, and sports teams to create excitement for lottery players, to interest new players and increase the visibility of lottery games. The Lottery encourages and continually seeks new sponsorship agreements to help achieve current Lottery marketing goals.

### Proposal Content

A sponsorship proposal presented to the Lottery should meet the following three criteria:

- 1. Maximize Lottery Visibility** – the event, sports or tie-in proposal should draw a large number of desired participants (typically 50,000 or more) whose demographics match the Lottery player profile. The Lottery is interested in effectively delivering its message of fun and entertainment to Minnesota adults whose demographics skew primarily towards those aged 25-64, with a household income of \$35,000-\$75,000, and having an educational background of some college or higher. The Lottery does not market to those under the age of 18, and family events with high levels of children present are generally not accepted. Attendance, on-site signage visibility and paid media exposure will be critical components that will be evaluated.

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**2. Enhance Lottery Image-** – the event, sports or tie-in proposal should inherently project the attitude that the Lottery is a fun and socially acceptable part of the community. The Lottery’s presence should fit well within the lineup of other sponsors. The Lottery is interested in creating opportunities whereby the sponsorship can translate into sales revenue, either via on-site sales from a Lottery booth, from sales-generating promotions with Lottery retailers or from joint programs with the sponsor’s media partners.

**3. Provide Promotional Extensions** – the event, sports or tie-in proposal should offer exciting, value-added ways to interact with our players and have opportunities to motivate attendees, listeners and viewers to participate in and purchase Lottery games. The proposal must include proper staffing availability or other considerations to help the Lottery implement any appropriate promotional extension ideas.

Proposals should address all pertinent elements of the sponsorship and how the Lottery criteria as stated above and on the Evaluation Form are to be met. To view or print copies of the Request for Proposal go to <http://www.mnlottery.com/vendorops.html>

This Solicitation does not obligate the state to award a contract or pursue a proposed sponsorship opportunity, and the state reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

## Questions

Questions concerning this Solicitation should be directed to:

Jason LaFrenz, Marketing Director  
Minnesota State Lottery  
2645 Long Lake Road  
Roseville, MN 55113  
**Telephone:** (651) 635-8230  
**Toll-free:** 1-888-568-8379 ext. 230  
**Fax:** (651) 297-7496  
**TTY:** (651) 635-8268  
**E-mail:** [jasonla@mnlottery.com](mailto:jasonla@mnlottery.com)

Other personnel are not authorized to answer questions regarding this Solicitation.

## Response Delivery

All responses must be in writing and delivered to the contact noted above. Proposals will be accepted on an ongoing basis.

## 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](http://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 website.

## 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 further 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) Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport Notice of Call for Bids for Terminal 1-Lindbergh Passenger Boarding Bridge Replacement - Gate E1

MAC Contract No.:

106-2-744

Bids Close At:

2:00 p.m. June 17, 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. Work includes demolition and replacement of one (1) passenger boarding bridge at Gate E1; new foundations, ground power and PC air units. In addition, work also includes aluminum entrance door replacement, aluminum storefront systems, security card readers, security signage, custom millwork gate podiums and back storage units, electrochromatic glazing, minor mechanical upgrades, fire protection modifications and electrical work.

**Targeted Group Businesses (TGB):** The goal of the MAC for the utilization of TGB on this project is 6%.

**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 Architectural Alliance, at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; McGraw Hill Construction; 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.

**MAC Internet Access of Additional Information:** A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on May 27, 2014, 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 2014 Lighting Infrastructure Technology & Equipment

MAC Contract No.:

106-2-730

Bids Close At:

2:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 17, 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. The work includes



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replacing light poles and changing light fixtures from metal halide type to LED. The conductors from pole to pole will be tested for insulation resistance to determine condition. New fuses are to be installed at each pole. Associated work includes replacing signage attached to existing poles and tree trimming.

**Targeted Group Businesses (TGB):** The goal of the MAC for the utilization of TGB 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 Michaud Cooley Erickson, 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 Feeway Boulevard, Suite 100; Brooklyn Park, MN, 55430; **phone:** (763) 503-3401; **fax:** (763) 503-3409. Make checks payable to: Michaud Cooley Erickson. Deposit per set (refundable): \$150.00. 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.

**MAC Internet Access of Additional Information:** A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on June 2, 2014, 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 Terminal 2-Humphrey Ticketing Level Floor Infill & H1/H2 Gatehold Improvements

**MAC Contract No's.:**

**106-3-506 & 106-3-507**

**Bids Close At:**

**2:00 p.m. June 17, 2014**

**Notice to Contractors:** Sealed Bid Proposals for the project indicated 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 includes general, mechanical, and electrical construction.

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

**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 Miller Dunwiddie Architecture, Inc.; at the Minnesota Builder's Exchange; McGraw Hill Construction; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents may secure a complete set from Miller Dunwiddie Architecture, Inc.; 123 North Third Street, Suite 104; Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55401; **phone:** (612) 337-0000; **fax:** (612) 337-0031. Make checks payable to: Miller Dunwiddie Architecture, Inc. Deposit per set (refundable): \$100.00. 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.

**MAC Internet Access of Additional Information:** A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on June 2, 2014, at MAC's web address of <http://www.metroairports.org/Airport-Authority/Business-Opportunities/Solicitations.aspx> (construction bids).

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## Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

### Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport

#### Notice of Call for Bids for 2014 Miscellaneous Modifications: Terminal 1-Lindbergh

MAC Contract No.:

106-2-725

Bids Close At:

2:00 p.m. June 24, 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. The work includes several small projects to include minor demolition, concrete, masonry, sheet metal flashing, joint protection, hollow metal doors and frames, door hardware, automatic entrances, glazing, exterior metal ceiling tile accessories, and facility rescue equipment. Additionally, a variety of mechanical and electrical systems will be replaced and/or modified.

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

**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 Architectural Alliance, at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; McGraw Hill Construction; 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.

**MAC Internet Access of Additional Information:** A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on June 2, 2014, at MAC's web address of <http://www.metroairports.org/Airport-Authority/Business-Opportunities/Solicitations.aspx> (construction bids).

## Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

### St. Paul Downtown Airport/Holman Field

#### Notice of Call for Bids for North Riverside Maintenance Building - 2014 Improvements

MAC Contract No.:

107-3-060

Bids Close At:

2:00 p.m. June 17, 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 will include general, mechanical, and electrical construction.

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

**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 Miller Dunwiddie Architecture, Inc.; at the Minnesota Builder's Exchange; McGraw Hill Construction; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents may secure a complete set from: Miller Dunwiddie Architecture, Inc.; 123 North Third Street, Suite 104; Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55401; **phone:** (612) 337-0000; **fax:** (612) 337-0031. Make checks payable to: Miller Dunwiddie Architecture, Inc. Deposit per set (refundable):

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## Solid Waste Management Coordinating Board (SWMCB) Notice of Request for Qualifications for Legal Services

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Solid Waste Management Coordinating Board (SWMCB), a six member counties' joint powers board, requests qualifications from any law firms interested in assisting the SWMCB and its member counties on a variety of legal matters.

The selected firm will provide written legal analyses, opinions and advice for the SWMCB and its six member counties, arising from the cooperative effort of the metropolitan counties to manage solid waste. Specifically, the selected firm will advise concerning the protections afforded by the federal and state constitutions, including the commerce clause, due process clause, equal protection clause and takings clause. The firm may also advise concerning the applicability of federal and state antitrust laws and other state and federal laws and regulations to the cooperative effort of the counties to manage solid waste in the region.

Recent Minnesota Pollution Control Agency rulemaking on organics management has required legal representation. Additional legal representation may be needed on this or other administrative rulemaking procedures related to solid waste management or procedures.

The selected firm will also advise on intellectual property issues involving any copyrights and SWMCB's United States Registered Service Mark for Rethink Recycling, including the protection of that Service Mark.

Work on this project will commence on August 1, 2014 and continue through December 31, 2014. Up to four annual contract renewals are possible.

Anticipated project schedule is:

June 2, 2014	Release RFQ
June 17, 2014	Due date for questions regarding this RFQ
June 26, 2014	RFQ due by 12:00 noon (CST)
July 15 or 16, 2014	Interviews between 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., if needed
July 23, 2014	Selection of Contractor by Board
August 1, 2014	Contract Term Begins
December 31, 2014	Contract Term Ends

**NOTE:** RFQ will be available for downloading at [www.swmcb.org/rfp](http://www.swmcb.org/rfp).

Questions regarding this RFP can be submitted by e-mail or written request to:

Trudy Richter  
SWMCB  
477 Selby Ave  
St. Paul, MN 55102  
**Phone:** (651) 222-7227  
**Fax:** (651)223-5229  
**E-mail:** [trichter@rranow.com](mailto:trichter@rranow.com)

If a firm needs an accommodation, such as an interpreter or printed material in an alternate format (i.e. Braille, large print, or audio), contact Trudy Richter, SWMCB, at (651) 222-7227.



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