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Proposed Permanent Rules Relating to Horse Racing: Stabling, Medication, and Veterinary Practices; Notice of Intent to Adopt Rules without a Public Hearing

Proposed Repeal of Rules Governing Horse Racing: Minnesota Rules Chapter 7876 Stabling, part 7876.0100 subpart 1 and Chapter 7877 Class C Licenses, part 7877.0175 subpart 8a.

Proposed Amendments to Rules Governing Horse Racing: Minnesota Rules, Chapter 7876 Stabling, parts 7876.0100 subparts 2, 4a, 8, 10 and 11, 7876.0110 subparts 3, 4, 5 and 6, 7876.0120 subparts 1 and 3; Chapter 7877 Class C Licenses, part 7877.0175 subpart 8; Chapter 7890 Horse Medication, parts 7890.0110 subparts 9, 10 and 13, 7890.0120 subpart 1, 7890.0140 subparts 6 and 7a; Chapter 7891 Physical Examination, part 7891.0100 subpart 1c; Chapter 7892 Medical Testing, part 7892.0120 subpart 1.

Introduction. The Minnesota Racing Commission 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 4:30 p.m. March 15, 2018.

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:
Proposed Rules

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TTY users may call the Racing Commission at 800-627-3529.

You may also review the rules and the Statement of Need and Reasonableness, and submit written comments, on the Office of Administrative Hearings Rulemaking e-comments website at https://minnesotaoah.granicusideas.com/.

Subject of Rules. These rules were proposed by the commission veterinarian. They cover stabling, furosemide, medical testing and examination, and duties of the commission veterinarian. The proposed amendments will update, simplify and clarify existing rules to ensure the health and safety of racehorses. Amendments will also make the commission’s rules more consistent with those in other racing jurisdictions and national model rules. In addition, the Commission is seeking to repeal two obsolete and unnecessary rule parts cited above, including the rule permitting an association veterinarian to perform certain official duties. A copy of the proposed rules is published in the State Register and is attached to this notice as mailed. A free copy of the rules is available upon request from the agency contact person listed above.

Following is a summary of the specific proposed amendments:

7876.0100, Subpart 1. Allocation of stalls.

This rule part is being repealed because it is duplicative and unnecessary.

7876.0100, Subp. 2. Forms.

A non-substantive change is made to the rule heading.

7876.0100, Subp. 4a. Horses without required documentation.

This new subpart would specify that horses who arrive at a racetrack without required health documents must be refused entry or kept in an isolation area until the documentation is presented to the commission veterinarian.

7876.0100, Subp. 8. Documents to be kept.

The update would eliminate the requirement for racetracks to keep past performance charts as part of the stall application process.

7876.0100, Subp. 10. Original certificate of veterinary inspection.

The proposed update would require horses’ health certificates to include rectal temperature and date of most recent EHV-1 vaccination.

7876.0100, Subp. 11. Record of negative test for equine piroplasmosis.

Non-substantive edits are made for readability. Testing would now be required for suspected instead of active cases of equine piroplasmosis, but would cease to be required for a strain no longer seen in the continental United States.
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7876.0110, Subp. 3. Horses must be at racetrack for race day inspection.

The update would change the time the horses need to be at the racetrack on race day from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.

7876.0110 Subp. 4. Original certificate of veterinary inspection.

The proposed update would require horses’ health certificates to include rectal temperature and date of most recent EHV-1 vaccination.

7876.0110, Subp. 5. Record of negative test for equine piroplasmosis.

Non-substantive edits are made for readability. Testing would now be required for suspected instead of active cases of equine piroplasmosis, but would cease to be required for a strain no longer seen in the continental United States.

7876.0110, Subp. 6. Horses without required documentation.

This new subpart would specify that horses stabled off the grounds that arrive at a racetrack without required health documents must be refused entry or kept in an isolation area until the documentation is presented to the commission veterinarian.


The proposed update would require horses’ health certificates to include rectal temperature and date of most recent EHV-1 vaccination.

7876.0120, Subp. 3. Horses without required documentation.

This new subpart would specify that non-racing horses who arrive at a racetrack without required health documents must be refused entry or kept in an isolation area until the documentation is presented to the commission veterinarian.


The new language would add additional reasons a horse may be on the veterinarian’s list, taken from the industry model rules. It would also clarify that horses working to get off the veterinarian’s list are subject to drug testing and must have a clean test before being removed from the list. The time on the veterinarian’s list would be increased from five to seven days for consistency with model rules and rules in other states. References to an association veterinarian are removed because they are obsolete, and the duties of the association would now be duties of the commission veterinarian.

7877.0175, Subp. 8a. Association veterinarian.

The commission is proposing to repeal this subpart because it is obsolete.

7890.0110, Subp. 9. Endogenous, dietary, and environmental substances.

A non-substantive update is proposed for readability and to clarify that these substances are governed by the Association of Racing Commissioners International schedule, which is incorporated by reference under part 7869.0200.

7890.0110, Subp. 10. Medications with regulatory limits.

Non-substantive edits are made for clarification and readability.
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7890.0110, Subp. 14. Use of electrical or mechanical devices.

This new subpart would restrict the use of certain treatments within 48 hours of racing without permission of the stewards in consultation with the commission veterinarian.

7890.0120, Subpart 1. Veterinarians must keep records.

The update would allow private veterinarians to submit their daily treatment reports to the commission veterinarian electronically. It would also make these reports due at noon on race day instead of post time, which is confusing because it varies for each horse and for each race day.

7890.0140, Subp. 6. Furosemide may be permitted.

The proposed change would allow horses to continue racing with furosemide when transferred to a different trainer.

7890.0140, Subp. 7a. Conditions required for furosemide administration.

The proposal would allow the commission veterinarian to administer furosemide. It would also govern the dose of furosemide approved for a horse when it transfers to a different trainer.

7891.0100, Subp. 1c. Trainer must post stall.

A minor update would require signs to be posted at 8:00 a.m. instead of 9:00 a.m. on the stalls of horses entered to race on a given day.

7892.0129, Subpart 1. Horses tested.

The commission is proposing to add growth hormone, steroids and clenbuterol to the list of substances that may be tested for outside of competition. Testing is expanded to any stakes race or other designated series or event as agreed on the nomination form.

Statutory Authority. The statutory authority to adopt these rules is found in Minnesota Statutes, sections 240.23 and 240.24.

Comments. You have until 4:30 p.m. on March 15, 2018, to submit written comments in support of or in opposition to the proposed rules and any part or subpart of the rules. Your comments must be in writing and the agency contact person must receive them by the due date. The Minnesota Racing Commission 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. Any comments that you have about the legality of the proposed rules must also be made during this comment period. You may also submit written comments on the Office of Administrative Hearings Rulemaking e-comments website at https://minnesotaoah.granicusideas.com/.

Request for a Hearing. In addition to submitting comments, you may also request that the Minnesota Racing Commission hold a public hearing on the rules. Your request must be in writing and the agency contact person must receive it by 4:30 p.m. on March 15, 2018. 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.

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**Statement of Need and Reasonableness.** The statement of need and reasonableness statement 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 it or obtain copies for the cost of reproduction by contacting the agency contact person. You may also review the Statement of Need and Reasonableness on the Office of Administrative Hearings Rulemaking e-comments website at https://minnesotaaoah.granicusideas.com/.

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Date: February 2, 2018

Thomas DiPasquale
Executive Director

7876.0100 ON-TRACK STABLING.

Subpart 1. [See repealer.]

Subp. 2. **Forms Allocation of stalls.** The association shall allocate stalls pursuant to a written stall application and agreement, on forms approved by the commission.

*[For text of subps 3 and 4, see M.R.]*

Subp. 4a. **Horses without required documentation.** If a horse arrives at a licensed racetrack without all documentation required under this part, the horse shall be denied entry to the grounds of the licensed racetrack or kept in an isolation area until the required documentation is submitted to the commission veterinarian.

*[For text of subps 5 to 7, see M.R.]*

Subp. 8. **Documents to be kept.** The association shall cause all stall applications, stall agreements, correspondence, and documents that influenced its decision to grant or deny stalls, including past performance charts, to be retained until the close of the race meeting or for such longer period as the commission may direct.

*[For text of subp 9, see M.R.]*
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Subp. 10. **Original certificate of veterinary inspection.** Any horse arriving on the grounds of a licensed racetrack must be accompanied by an original certificate of veterinary inspection issued not more than ten days prior to arrival. The certificate of veterinary inspection must be completed by an accredited veterinarian and must contain complete equine infectious anemia (EIA) test results, including the date, laboratory, and accession number of the most recent negative EIA test results. The certificate must also contain rectal temperature and date of most recent vaccination with a Food and Drug Administration-approved modified live or killed vaccine specific for EHV-1. The certificate of veterinary inspection must be surrendered to the stable gate personnel for immediate transmittal to the commission veterinarian. The certificate of veterinary inspection will remain valid for 30 days from the date of issue, with the date of issue counted as day one. Horses leaving the facility and returning during this 30-day period do not have to be accompanied by a new certificate of veterinary inspection. Horses leaving and returning after the 30-day period will need to be accompanied by a new original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to arrival.

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**7876.0110 OFF-TRACK STABLING.**

Subp. 3. **Horses must be at racetrack for race day inspection.** All horses shipped from another racetrack or off-track stabling facility to a racetrack for a race must be at the racetrack no later than 9:00 a.m. or later if approved by the stewards on the day on which the horse is scheduled to race.

Subp. 4. **Original certificate of veterinary inspection.** Any horse arriving on the grounds of a licensed racetrack must be accompanied by an original certificate of veterinary inspection issued not more than ten days prior to arrival. The certificate of veterinary inspection must be completed by an accredited veterinarian and must contain complete equine infectious anemia (EIA) test results, including the date, laboratory, and accession number of the most recent negative EIA test. The certificate must also contain rectal temperature and date of most recent vaccination with a Food and Drug Administration-approved modified live or killed vaccine specific for EHV-1. The certificate of veterinary inspection must be surrendered to the stable gate personnel for immediate transmittal to the commission veterinarian. The certificate of veterinary inspection will remain valid for 30 days from the date of issue, with the date of issue counted as day one. Horses leaving the facility and returning during this 30-day period do not have to be accompanied by a new certificate of veterinary inspection. Horses leaving and returning after the 30-day period will need to be accompanied by a new original certificate of veterinary inspection issued not more than ten days prior to arrival.

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tion area until the required documentation is submitted to the commission veterinarian.

**7876.0120 ON- AND OFF-TRACK STABLING OF NONRACING HORSES.**

Subpart 1. **Certificate of veterinary inspection.** Any horse arriving on the grounds of a licensed racetrack must be accompanied by an original certificate of veterinary inspection issued not more than ten days prior to the arrival. The certificate of veterinary inspection must be completed by an accredited veterinarian and must contain complete equine infectious anemia (EIA) test results, including the date, laboratory, and accession number of the most recent negative EIA test. The certificate must also contain rectal temperature and date of most recent vaccination with a Food and Drug Administration-approved modified live or killed vaccine specific for EHV-1. The certificates of veterinary inspection must be surrendered to stable gate personnel for immediate transmittal to the commission veterinarian. The certificate of veterinary inspection will remain valid for 30 days from the date of issue, with the date of issue counted as day one. Horses leaving the facility and returning during this 30-day period do not have to be accompanied by a new certificate of veterinary inspection. Horses leaving and returning after the 30-day period will need to be accompanied by a new original certificate of veterinary inspection issued not more than ten days prior to arrival. The horse must also have a negative equine piroplasmosis test as prescribed in part 7876.0100, subpart 11, or 7876.0110, subpart 5.

[For text of subp 2, see M.R.]

Subp. 3. **Horses without required documentation.** If a horse arrives at a licensed racetrack without all documenta-
tion required under this part, the horse shall be denied entry to the grounds of the licensed racetrack or kept in an isola-
tion area until the required documentation is submitted to the commission veterinarian.

**7877.0175 DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF RACING OFFICIALS.**

[For text of subps 1 to 7, see M.R.]

Subp. 8. **Commission veterinarian.** The commission veterinarian shall maintain a list of the following:

A. horses that are scratched because of illness or unsoundness;

B. horses that are pulled up because of lameness or other injury during a race;

C. horses that are bleeders, pursuant to part 7890.0140, subpart 1; and

D. horses that test positive for a prohibited substance or medication overage;

E. horses that have received a medication or treatment invoking a mandatory stand-down time; and

F. horses otherwise considered unfit to race in the professional judgment of the commission veterinarian or the association veterinarian.

The veterinarian's list shall be posted in a conspicuous and accessible place outside the commission veterinarian's office, and any horse whose name is on the list shall be ineligible to start in a race for five seven calendar days, or until the commission veterinarian or association veterinarian removes it from the list, whichever is later. All workouts required by the commission veterinarian for the purpose of potentially removing a horse from the veterinarian's list must be conduct-ed under the same medication requirements as those for race days. Horses requiring an official timed workout must have a published workout observed by the commission veterinarian, must pass a post-workout assessment of racing condition by the commission veterinarian, and are subject to testing under chapter 7892. Any horse with a positive test in violation of chapter 7890 shall not be released from the veterinarian's list until another official timed workout is completed and a negative post-workout test is obtained.

For purposes of this subpart, the five-day seven-day period during which a horse is ineligible to start begins to run on the first day the horse is placed on the list. The veterinarian's list is binding on all racetracks under the jurisdiction of the commission and shall include horses on the veterinarian’s list in other racing jurisdictions.
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The commission veterinarian shall conduct racing soundness examinations pursuant to part 7891.0100. If the veterinarian finds that any horse is unfit to race the veterinarian shall notify the stewards immediately in writing.

The commission veterinarian shall monitor horses in the paddock, post parade, and starting gate for signs of illness or injury and shall tend to disabled horses pursuant to part 7883.0160, subpart 14.

The commission veterinarian shall supervise the operation of a barn for the detention and testing of horses after each race pursuant to chapter 7890.

The commission veterinarian must post in a location accessible to all trainers, a list of all horses registered as «nerved» pursuant to part 7897.0100, subpart 11.

The commission veterinarian shall have the authority to draw and submit blood to the diagnostic laboratory from any horse or pony on the grounds of an association or licensed racetrack for the purpose of testing for equine infectious anemia (EIA) and other reportable infectious diseases as determined by the Minnesota Board of Animal Health, and shall supervise the removal from the racetrack of any horse or pony having positive EIA or reportable infectious disease test results.

In the event of a veterinary emergency where the owner’s veterinarian is not on racetrack grounds, the commission veterinarian or association veterinarian may administer emergency treatment to a horse after consulting with the owner or the owner’s agent if they are present on racetrack grounds. In all cases, the owner’s veterinarian will be notified and the case transferred to the owner’s veterinarian as soon as the owner’s veterinarian is present.

In the absence of an association veterinarian, a commission veterinarian shall assume the duties and responsibilities of the association veterinarian.

Subp. 8a. [See repealer.]

7890.0110 MEDICATIONS AND PRACTICES PROHIBITED.

Subp. 9. Endogenous, dietary, and environmental substances. No endogenous, dietary, or environmental substances other than those listed below shall be allowed in the test sample of a horse. Levels shall not exceed the limits found except as provided in the Racing Commissioners International Endogenous, Dietary, or Environmental Substances Schedule, which is incorporated by reference.

Subp. 10. Medications with regulatory limits. No medications other than those listed in specifically permitted under this subpart or found in part 7890.0100, subpart 13, items A to D, chapter shall be allowed in the post-race test sample of a horse. Serum or urine thresholds on the following permitted controlled therapeutic medications shall not exceed those found in the Association of Racing Commissioners International Controlled Therapeutic Medication Schedule for Horses, which is incorporated by reference.

Subp. 13. Use of electrical or mechanical devices. No electrical, mechanical, or battery-powered device or machine may be used to administer therapy or treatment to a horse within 48 hours of the time the horse is scheduled to race, unless approved in advance by the stewards in consultation with the commission veterinarian.

7890.0120 REPORTING PROCEDURES.

Subpart 1. Veterinarians must keep records. Veterinarians must submit daily to the commission veterinarian, in writing or electronically on a prescribed form, a report of all horses treated at a licensed racetrack. The form shall contain the date and time, name of horse treated, trainer of horse, any medications, drugs, substances (as provided in part 7890.0100, subpart 13, items A to D), or procedures prescribed, administered, dispensed, or performed for horses registered at a current race meeting, and any other information requested by the commission veterinarian. The form must
be filed by the treating veterinarian not later than post time of the race for which the horse is entered noon on the day following treatment. The form shall be signed by hand or digitally by the treating veterinarian. The form is considered private and its content shall not be disclosed except in the course of an investigation of a possible violation of chapters 7869 to 7899, or in a proceeding before the stewards or commission, or to the trainer or owner of record at the time of treatment. A timely and accurate filing of the form that is consistent with the analytical results of a positive test may be used as a mitigating factor in determining the nature and extent, if any, of a rules violation.

7890.0140 BLEEDERS.

Subp. 6. Furosemide may be permitted. A horse is eligible to race with furosemide if the licensed trainer and licensed veterinarian determine that it would be in the horse’s best interests to race with furosemide. Once a horse has raced with furosemide, it must continue to race with furosemide in all subsequent races unless a request is made to discontinue the use. If the use of furosemide is discontinued, the horse shall be prohibited from again racing with furosemide unless it is later observed to be bleeding pursuant to subpart 1 or the horse is claimed or transferred to a different licensed trainer. A horse that is claimed or transferred to a different licensed trainer is eligible to race with furosemide if the new trainer and a licensed veterinarian employed by the new owner or trainer determine that it would be in the horse’s best interest to race with furosemide. Requests for the use of or discontinuance of furosemide must be made to the commission veterinarian by the horse’s current trainer or assistant trainer on a form prescribed by the commission on or before the day of entry into the race for which the request is made.

Subp. 7. [Repealed, 14 SR 332]

Subp. 7a. Conditions required for furosemide administration. Furosemide shall be administered intravenously by a licensed veterinarian employed by the owner or trainer of the horse, or by the commission veterinarian. The furosemide must be administered a minimum of four hours before scheduled post time for any bleeder entered to race and the dose level of furosemide must be no less than 150 milligrams and must not exceed 250 milligrams (no less than three nor more than five milliliters of a 50 milligram/milliliter or five percent solution) per administration, except in cases where the horse has been determined by the commission veterinarian and the treating veterinarian to be a severe bleeder. In these cases, doses of up to 500 milligrams (no more than ten milliliters of a 50 milligram/milliliter or five percent solution) may be permitted. Any such horse that is claimed or transferred to a different licensed trainer shall revert to a dose of 150 mg to 250 mg unless the new trainer and a licensed veterinarian request a different dose and that dose is approved by the commission veterinarian.

The practicing veterinarian must deposit with the commission veterinarian an unopened supply of furosemide and sterile hypodermic needles and syringes to be used for the administration. The furosemide must be administered under the supervision of a person employed by the commission.

A horse on the official furosemide list must show a detectable concentration of the drug in the post-race serum, or plasma, or urine sample.

7891.0100 RACING SOUNDNESS EXAMINATION.

Subp. 1c. Trainer must post stall. On each race day, trainers shall post a sign outside the entered horse’s stall stating that the horse is “in today.” The sign shall be posted by 8:00 a.m. on race day and must be removed after the horse has returned from racing on that day.

7892.0120 TAKING OF SAMPLES.

Subpart 1. Horses tested.
Proposed Rules

[For text of items A and B, see M.R.]

C. Out-of-competition testing for blood or doping agents, gene doping agents or both, growth hormone, exogeneous anabolic steroids, and clenbuterol may be performed at the request and under the direction of the stewards or the commission veterinarian on any horse nominated for graded stakes or specific racing series or events as agreed to on the nomination form by the owner of the horse. Horses to be tested may be selected at random or as otherwise reasonably determined by the stewards or commission veterinarian. Split samples shall be collected in accordance with subpart 5.

[For text of items D and E, see M.R.]
[For text of subps 2 to 6, see M.R.]

REPEALER. Minnesota Rules, parts 7876.0100, subpart 1; and 7877.0175, subpart 8a, are repealed.

Commissioner’s 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 commissioner orders are compiled in the year-end subject matter index for each volume of the State Register.

Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT)
Revisions to the 2011 Minnesota Uniform Traffic Control Devices Manual – Order No. 97233

This is the fifth 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) has 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, Subdivision 1 (2011). 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). (Minn. Stat. § 169.06, subd. 1 (2011); Federal Highway Administration, 23 C.F.R. § 655.603 (2011).)

The Commissioner adopted revisions and changes to the 2011 MN MUTCD by Order numbers:
1) 93167 dated July 12, 2012 published in the State Register of July 23, 2012;
2) 93799 dated July 8, 2013 published in the State Register of August 5, 2013;
3) 94040 dated December 11, 2013 published in the State Register of December 16, 2013;
4) 94687 dated February 10, 2015 published in the State Register of February 17, 2015, 94687 revised April 1, 2015 published in the State Register of April 13, 2015.

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 (2011), and 169.215, subd. 2 (2011), the Commissioner hereby adopts the revisions listed below:

Record of Revisions or Additions to the MN MUTCD
Commissioner’s Order

Revision Number 5
Date Issued 1-30-18
Pages Revised or Added Chapter 6K (the Field Manual) in its entirety.


Signed this 30 day of January 2018.

Charles A. Zelle
Commissioner of Transportation

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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 Board on Aging
Notice of Meetings

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the March 2018 meetings of the Minnesota Board on Aging will be held at 9:00 a.m., at 180 Kellogg Blvd East, St. Paul, MN 55101, Conference Room 3, St. Paul, Minnesota on the following dates:

March 16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the June, July and December 2018 meetings of the Minnesota Board on Aging will be held at 9:00 a.m., at 205 Radio Drive, Woodbury, MN 55125, St Croix ballroom, St. Paul, Minnesota on the following dates:

June 15
July 20
September 21*
December 7

For additional information please call 651-431-2500 or 1-800-882-6262.

Please check the MBA web site at www.mnaging.org for any changes to this notice.
### Minnesota Board on Aging Meetings 2018

#### Hyatt Place
180 Kellogg Blvd East  
**St. Paul, MN 55101**

**March 2018**
- **Program Operations Committee (POC)** 2/28/2018 9:00 - 12 noon
- **Diversity Committee (DC)** 3/15/2018 10:30 - 12 noon
- **Executive Committee (EXEC)** 3/15/2018 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.
- **Public Policy Committee (PPC)** 3/15/2018 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- **MN Board on Aging (MBA)** 3/16/2018 9:00 - 12 noon

#### Courtyard Marriott
205 Radio Drive  
**Woodbury, MN 55125**

**June 2018**
- **Program Operations Committee (POC)** 5/30/2018 9:00 - 12 noon
- **Diversity Committee (DC)** 6/14/2018 No Meeting – Wisdom Steps
- **Executive Committee (EXEC)** 6/14/2018 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.
- **Public Policy Committee (PPC)** 6/14/2018 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- **MN Board on Aging (MBA)** 6/15/2018 9:00 - 12 noon

**July 2018**
- **Program Operations Committee (POC)** 6/27/2018 9:00 - 12 noon
- **Diversity Committee (DC)** 7/19/2018 10:30 - 12 noon
- **Executive Committee (EXEC)** 7/19/2018 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.
- **Public Policy Committee (PPC)** 7/19/2018 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- **MN Board on Aging (MBA)** 7/20/2018 9:00 - 12 noon

**September 2018**
- **Program Operations Committee (POC)** 9/05/2018 9:00 - 12 noon
- **Diversity Committee (DC)* 9/20/2018 10:30 - 12 noon
- **Executive Committee (EXEC)* 9/20/2018 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.
- **Public Policy Committee (PPC)* 9/20/2018 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- **MN Board on Aging (MBA)* 9/21/2018 9:00 - 12 noon

**November 2018**
- **Diversity Committee (DC)** 11/07/2018 10:30 - 12 noon
Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association (MCHA)

Notice of Meetings

The Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association (MCHA) Request for Proposal Committee will meet on Thursday, February 22, 2018 at 10:30 AM.

The Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association (MCHA) Board of Directors will meet on Monday, March 12, 2018 at 3:00 PM.

For information on meeting locations and attendance at the above meetings, please contact MCHA at 952-593-9609 or email at peggy@mchamn.com.

Department of Health

Division of Health Regulation – Managed Care Systems Section

Notice of Application for Essential Community Provider Status

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application for designation as an Essential Community Provider (ECP) has been submitted to the Commissioner of Health by Volunteers of America of Minnesota – Vona Center for Mental Health. Clinical services are offered at Vona Center for Mental Health, 9220 Bass Lake Road, Suite 255, New Hope, MN 55428; VOA-MN Bar None Residential Treatment Center, 22426 Saint Francis Boulevard, Anoka, MN 55303; Minnesota School for the Deaf (MSAD), 615 Olaf Hanson Drive, Faribault, MN 55021; Minnesota School for the Blind (MSAB) at 400 6th Ave SE, Faribault, MN 55021; Metro Deaf School at 1471 Brewster St., St. Paul, MN; Volunteers of America Minnesota Education Center at 924 19th Ave S., Minneapolis, MN 55404; Volunteers of America Children’s Residential Treatment Center at 143 East 19th Street, Minneapolis, MN 55403; Volunteers of America Avanti Center for Girls at 10300 Flanders Street NE, Blaine, MN 55449; Volunteers of America Omegon at 2000 Hopkins Crossroads, Minnetonka, MN 55305; KIPP North Star Academy, 5034 N. Oliver Ave Minneapolis, MN 55430; Southside Family Charter School, 4500 Clinton Ave Minneapolis, MN 55419; VOA-MN St. Cloud Office, 1030 4th Street Southeast - Suite 106, St. Cloud, MN 56304.

An ECP is a health care provider that serves high-risk, special needs, and underserved individuals. In order to be designated as an ECP, a provider must demonstrate that it meets the requirements of Minnesota Statutes Section 62Q.19 and Minnesota Rules Chapter 4688. The public is allowed 30 days from the date of the publication of this notice to submit written comments on the application. The commissioner will approve or deny the application once the comment period and compliance review is complete.

For more information contact:

Anne Kukowski
Managed Care Systems Section
Division of Health Regulation
Minnesota Department of Health
P.O. Box 64882
St. Paul, MN 55164-0882
651-201-5173
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Department of Health
Division of Health Regulation – Managed Care Systems Section
Notice of Application for Essential Community Provider Status

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application for designation as an Essential Community Provider (ECP) has been submitted to the Commissioner of Health by SEMCAC Family Planning Clinic. Clinical services are offered at Semcac Family Planning Clinic, 76 West 3rd Street, Winona, Minnesota 55987.

An ECP is a health care provider that serves high-risk, special needs, and underserved individuals. In order to be designated as an ECP, a provider must demonstrate that it meets the requirements of Minnesota Statutes, Section 62Q.19 and Minnesota Rules, Chapter 4688. The public is allowed 30 days from the date of the publication of this notice to submit written comments on the application. The commissioner will approve or deny the application once the comment period and compliance review is complete.

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Minnesota Interagency Council on Homelessness
Notice of Meeting

A meeting of the Minnesota Interagency Council on Homelessness has been scheduled for Tuesday, February 20, 2018, at 1:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Lake Superior conference room at Minnesota Housing, 400 Wabasha Street North, Suite 400, Saint Paul, MN, 55102.

If you would like to attend the meeting or would like more information or to be notified of potential changes to the meeting location or time, please send an email to sue.hite-kirk@state.mn.us with your name, organization (if applicable), email address and day time telephone number.

Department of Human Services
Health Care Administration
Request for Comments on the Substance Use Disorder System Reform Section 1115 Medicaid Waiver Request

The Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) is announcing a 30-day comment period on the Substance Use Disorder (SUD) System Reform section 1115 Medicaid waiver request.

State law directs DHS to seek federal waiver authority to receive Medicaid matching funds for residential programs that have been determined as Institutions for Mental Disease (IMDs) to ensure continued access to this level of care for individuals with the most intensive treatment needs. Accordingly, the state proposes a five-year demonstration project waiver for its SUD delivery system under section 1115 of the Social Security Act which will test the impact of evidence-based provider referral arrangements and practices on improving health outcomes for Medicaid enrollees with substance use conditions. This demonstration project is an important component of the state’s larger reform effort to address the opioid crisis as well as transform the health care delivery system for Medicaid enrollees who need SUD treatment and services.

DHS plans to submit this waiver request in March 2018. A copy of the waiver request can be found at the SUD System Reform waiver request link on the Health Care Federal Waivers web page at
DHS invites public comment on the SUD System Reform waiver request. Comments received will be posted on the DHS website.

Written comments may be submitted to the following email mailbox: dhs.waiver.comments@state.mn.us or by mail to the address below. DHS would like to provide copies of comments received in a format that is accessible for people with disabilities.

Therefore, we request that comments be submitted in Microsoft Word format or incorporated within the email text. If you would also like to provide a signed copy of the comment letter, you may submit a second copy in Adobe PDF format or mail it to the address below. Comments must be received by March 13, 2018.

Marie Zimmerman
Medicaid Director
Minnesota Department of Human Services
P.O. Box 64983
St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0983

In addition to the opportunity to submit written comments during the 30-day public comment period, public hearings will be held to provide stakeholders and other interested persons the opportunity to comment on the waiver request. You may attend by phone or in person. If you would like to attend by phone, please send an email request to dhs.waiver.comments@state.mn.us to obtain the call-in information. If you would like to attend a hearing in person, the locations for the two public hearings are provided below. If you plan to testify by phone or in person, please send an email to dhs.waiver.comments@state.mn.us indicating that you will testify.

Public Hearing #1
Date: Thursday, February 22, 2018
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Location: Metropolitan Mosquito Control, 2099 University Ave. W., St. Paul, MN 55104

Public Hearing #2
Date: Friday, February 23, 2018
Time: 1:30 p.m.
Location: Department of Human Services, Elmer L. Andersen Human Services Building, 540 Cedar St., St. Paul, MN 55101. Room 2380

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)
Notice of Public Comment Period and Public Hearing for Draft Flying Cloud Airport (FCM) Zoning Ordinance

The Joint Airport Zoning Board (JAZB) for Flying Cloud Airport (FCM) is developing an Airport Zoning Ordinance for land uses around FCM. This is a continuation of the airport zoning effort started in 2009-2010 but not finalized. Similar to the previous zoning proposal, the Draft FCM Zoning Ordinance (Zoning Ordinance) limits the height of structures and vegetation and prohibits certain land uses in an area extending approximately 2 miles from the outer boundaries of FCM. The zoning is being conducted as required by Minnesota Statutes 360.061 – 360.074 and Minnesota Rules 8800.1200 and 8800.2400. Maps that are part of the proposed Zoning Ordinance show the precise boundaries for application of the Zoning Ordinance and the associated proposed restrictions.

The proposed Zoning Ordinance would:
• Limit the height of structures and vegetation out to approximately 2 miles to the west of FCM, and out to approximately 1.5 miles in all other areas around the airport. In most cases, however, the airport zoning height limitations
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would be less restrictive than maximum heights allowed in the municipal zoning code.

• Prohibit the development of structures in Safety Zone A, which is mostly contained to airport-owned property;
• Prohibit, in Safety Zone B, the construction of amphitheaters, hospitals, nursing homes, residential uses, schools, stadiums and ponds or other features which might attract waterfowl or other birds, with the exception that the proposed restrictions in Safety Zone B do not affect additions to existing residences, residential redevelopment or future residential development in certain Permitted Residential Areas;
• Require a contiguous open space within Safety Zone B of either 20% of the total Safety Zone B acreage or 20 acres, which ever is larger; and
• Prohibit, in Safety Zones A, B and C, the use of land that creates or causes interference with the operations of radio or electronic facilities on FCM or with radio or electronic communications between FCM and aircraft, makes it difficult for pilots to distinguish between Airport lights and other lights, results in glare in the eyes of pilots using FCM, impairs visibility in the vicinity of FCM, or otherwise endangers the landing, taking off, or maneuvering of aircraft in the runway approach areas.

THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD ON THE PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE WILL COMMENCE AT 8:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2018, AND CLOSE AT 5:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2018. During this period, written comments will be accepted and must be addressed to:

Secretary to the FCM Joint Airport Zoning Board
Metropolitan Airports Commission
6040 28th Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN  55450

Comments can also be emailed to fcm.zoning@mspmac.org

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE IS SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2018, AT THE EDEN PRAIRIE CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 8080 MITCHELL ROAD, EDEN PRAIRIE, MN. THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BEGIN AT 6:30 P.M. AND LAST UNTIL ALL PERSONS WISHING TO ADDRESS THE BOARD HAVE BEEN HEARD. AN OPEN HOUSE WILL BE HELD PRIOR TO THE PUBLIC HEARING STARTING AT 5:00 P.M. FOLLOWED BY A PUBLIC PRESENTATION FROM 6:00 P.M. TO 6:30 P.M.

Copies of the proposed Zoning Ordinance will be available for review beginning on Monday, February 12, 2018, at the following locations: the Metropolitan Airports Commission’s Main Office, 6040 28th Avenue South, Minneapolis; the City Halls of the cities of Eden Prairie, Shakopee, and Chanhassen; and the Eden Prairie Library, 565 Prairie Center Drive, Eden Prairie. The proposed Zoning Ordinance will also be available for review beginning February 12, 2018 on the MAC website at:


For further information about the public comment period, the open house or the public hearing, please call Shelly Cambridge, Secretary to the FCM Joint Airport Zoning Board, at (612) 726-8144.

Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR)
Notice of Request for Comment on a Proposed Administrative Penalty Order Plan for Enforcement of Excessive Soil Loss Requirements

The Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) is requesting public review and comment on a proposed draft Plan to support the implementation of Minnesota Statutes §103B.101, subd. 12(a) and (b) and §103F.401 to §103F.455, relating to prohibition of excessive soil loss.

Minnesota’s soil erosion law is found in Minn. Statutes §103F.401 through 103F.455. The law, which dates back to 1984, sets forth a public policy stating that a person may not cause excessive soil loss. However, the law was permissive
in that it only encouraged local governments to adopt soil erosion ordinances and could not be implemented without a local government ordinance. Minnesota Laws 2015, regular and 1st special sessions changed the law by:

1) repealing Minn. Statutes §103F.451 “Applicability”, which eliminates the requirement that the law is only applicable with a local government ordinance;
2) creating specific Administrative Penalty Order (APO) authority in Minn. Statutes §103B.101, subd. 12a, for BWSR and counties to enforce the law; and
3) amending Minn. Statutes §103F.421 “Enforcement” to remove local enforcement only through civil penalty and to revise requirements for state cost-share of conservation practices required to correct excessive soil loss.

Statute also directs BWSR to “adopt a plan containing procedures for the issuance of administrative penalty orders by local governments and the board” (Minn. Statutes §103B, subd. 12a (b)). BWSR is considering the following APO Plan for implementation of the excessive soil loss prohibition:

Administrative Penalty Order (APO) Plan for Enforcement of Excessive Soil Loss Requirements includes an overview of the enforcement responsibilities of counties and BWSR related to the excessive soil loss prohibitions of Minn. Stat. §103F.415, a model county administrative penalty order plan for use as guidance when counties choose to use APO as an enforcement mechanism, and the APO plan that BWSR will use when it is the enforcement authority.

The Draft APO Plan is located on the BWSR website (http://www.bwsr.state.mn.us/soils/index.html)

Information and comments will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. on March 12, 2018. Comments may be submitted via email to soillossrules@state.mn.us. Alternatively, comments may be submitted by U.S. mail as follows:

Suzanne Rhees
Conservation Projects Coordinator
Board of Water and Soil Resources
520 Lafayette Road
St. Paul, MN 55155

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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/

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Minnesota Department of Corrections

Notice of Request for Proposals to Provide American Indian Offender Reintegration Services

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Corrections (DOC) is seeking proposals to provide risk-reduction services with a preference for culturally specific programming which includes but is not limited to American Indian offenders. These funds are specifically intended for offenders residing in rural northern Minnesota counties. The funded program must demonstrate an improvement to public safety while reducing recidivism through collaborative partnerships in the following Minnesota locations: Location 1 - Becker, Beltrami, Cass, Clearwater, Hubbard, Itasca, and Mahnomen Counties; and Location 2 - Mille Lacs County. The county of residence must be one of the counties in Location 1 or Location 2.
More than one grant may be awarded. The term of this grant is anticipated to run from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019. The total amount of funding for one year in Location 1 is $200,000.00 and Location 2 is $50,000.00. Responder’s proposals may address one or both locations. The DOC may elect to extend the grant for three one-year terms based upon satisfactory delivery of services and appropriate funding levels.

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.

The deadline for proposal submission is 4:00 p.m. CDT on March 12, 2018. A written request by email is required to receive the full Request for Proposals. The Request for Proposals can be obtained by emailing Diane Lunda at Diane.Lunda@state.mn.us.

**Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED)**

**Notice of Grant Opportunity**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED) places notice of any available grant opportunities online at [https://mn.gov/deed/about/contracts/](https://mn.gov/deed/about/contracts/)

**Department of Human Services**

**Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division**

**Notice of Request for Proposals to Fund a Grantee to Operate the Minnesota Problem Gambling Helpline, a Statewide 24-Hour/7 Days/Week, Toll-Free Confidential Phone, Text and Online Chat Helpline for Persons Requesting Information Related To Gambling Problems and Referral to Gambling Treatment Services**

CORRECTED NOTICE FROM JANUARY 29, 2018, IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Human Services is requesting proposals to Operate the Minnesota Problem Gambling Helpline, a statewide 24-hour/7 days/week, toll-free confidential phone (1-800-333-HOPE), text (61222-HOPE) and online chat helpline for persons requesting information related to gambling problems and referral to gambling treatment services.

Work is proposed to start July 1, 2018. For more information, or to obtain a copy of the Request for Proposal, contact:

Ovester Armstrong, Jr.
Department of Human Services
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division
444 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, MN 55155-0977
Phone: (651) 431-2468
Fax: (651) 431-7449

ovester.armstrong@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, March 12, 2018. 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/id_000102](http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/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.
Department of Human Services
   Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division
Notice of Request for Proposals to Improve Opioid Supports and Services

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Human Services is requesting proposals to improve opioid supports and services in Minnesota, particularly to underserved communities, by three projects:

1. Increasing the distribution of naloxone to underserved communities,
2. Improving outcomes for persons within the African American community who are experiencing opioid misuse/use disorder, and
3. Improving training and education, particularly within minority communities.

Work is proposed to start March 1, 2018. For more information, or to obtain a copy of the Mini-Grant Application, contact:

Faye Bernstein
Department of Human Services
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division
P.O. Box 64977
444 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, MN 55155 64977
Phone: (651) 431-2230, Fax: (651) 431-7449
Faye.Bernstein@state.mn.us

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

Proposals submitted in response to this Mini-Grant must be received at the address above no later than 4:00 p.m., Central Time, February 26, 2018. Late proposals will not be considered. Fax ed or e-mailed proposals will not be considered.

The Mini-Grant Application can be viewed by visiting the Minnesota Department of Human Services RFP web site:
http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/id_000102

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State Contracts

**Informal Solicitations:** Informal solicitations for professional/technical (consultant) contracts valued at over $5,000 through $50,000, may either be published in the *State Register* or posted on the Department of Administration, Materials Management Division’s (MMD) Web site. Interested vendors are encouraged to monitor the P/T Contract Section of the MMD Website at [www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us](http://www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us) for informal solicitation announcements.

**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 published in the *State Register*. Certain quasi-state agency and Minnesota State College and University institutions are exempt from these requirements.

**Requirements:** There are no statutes or rules requiring contracts to be advertised for any specific length of time, but the Materials Management Division strongly recommends meeting the following requirements: $0 - $5000 does not need to be advertised. Contact the Materials Management Division: (651) 296-2600 $5,000 - $25,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a period of at least seven calendar days; $25,000 - $50,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a period of at least 14 calendar days; and anything above $50,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a minimum of at least 21 calendar days.

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**Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)**

**Request for Proposal (RFP) for Data Integration Platform**

**Background:**
Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State) is the fifth-largest system of higher education in the United States. It is comprised of 37 two-year and four-year state colleges and universities with 54 campuses located in 47 Minnesota communities. The System serves approximately 430,000 students each year. The Minnesota State Colleges and Universities is an independent state entity that is governed by a 15 member Board of Trustees. The law creating the system was passed by the Minnesota Legislature in 1991 and went into effect July 1, 1995. The law merged the state's community colleges, technical colleges and state universities into one system, other than the University of Minnesota campuses. For more information about Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, please view its website at [www.minnstate.edu](http://www.minnstate.edu).

**Nature of RFP:**
Minnesota State System Office is requesting proposals for the purchase and implementation of a cloud-based data integration and integration management solution. This RFP is undertaken by Minnesota State System Office pursuant to the authority contained in provisions of Minnesota Statutes § 136F.581 and other applicable laws.

**Purpose:**
The ability to effectively create and manage integrations across numerous SaaS and homegrown systems and services is foundational in supporting core business capabilities.

The purpose of this RFP is to choose a fully-developed, cloud-based data integration platform and integration management solution that will support Minnesota State in creating integrations between premise-to-premise, premise-to-cloud and cloud-to-cloud applications, data sources, databases, and API’s.

**Problem Statement:**
Minnesota State has hundreds of integrations between its ERP systems and satellite, vendor, and shadow systems. In addition, we have multiple integrations across teaching and learning systems, registration systems, campus systems and others. To date all integrations are coded manually and specifically for each integration need.

The existing highly customized, ad hoc data integration environment is not sufficient to meet future business needs. Continuation of the current integration practices is no longer sustainable.

The Minnesota State Architecture team has been charged with implementing a standardized, centralized, secure, cloud-based data integration solution that will provide discoverable, reusable data integrations across a broad variety of cloud-based and on-premise technologies, platforms, applications and services.
State Contracts

General Selection Criteria:
The solution will be selected based on criteria that include, but are not limited to:

The proposed solution is a Software as a Service (SaaS, iPaaS) solution, capable of integrating data to and from on premise and cloud databases, storage providers, ERP applications, RESTful API's and Message Queues.

The RFP respondent is the publisher or an authorized reseller of the solution. The vendor of proposed solution has had a commercially available SaaS/IPaaS product with sales for a minimum of three years in public sector or Higher Education.

The proposed solution substantially complies with current national accessibility specifications and standards, including Section 508 of the 1973 Rehabilitation Act and the World Wide Web Consortium’s (W3C) Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0 AA.

Selection and Implementation Timeline:

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Any questions please contact: Jennell Flodquist (email: jennell.flodquist@minnstate.edu phone: 651-201-1524)
The RFP can be downloaded at the following URL: http://www.minnstate.edu/vendors/index.html

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)
System Office
Request for Proposal (RFP) for a Vendor to Conduct an Economic Impact Study

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State) is requesting proposals for a vendor to conduct research and provide an analysis based on five measures of economic impact. The vendor will deliver one statewide economic impact report, as well as up to 37 individual college/university reports.

Minnesota State must receive All responses to this RFP no later than 4:00 P.M. Central Time on Thursday, March 1, 2018 and should be delivered to:

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities
Margie Takash, Administrative Project Support
Marketing and Communications Division
30 7th Street East, Suite 350
St. Paul, MN 55101

Inquiries about this RFP must be directed to:

Margie Takash, Administrative Assistant
Marketing and Communications Division
30 E. 7th Street, Suite 350
St. Paul, MN 55101
Telephone: 651-201-1830
Email: Margie.takash@minnstate.edu

For a complete copy of the RFP and required submission materials, please visit the RFP website at http://www.mnscu.edu/vendors/index.html.
State Contracts

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)
Inver Hills Community College and Dakota County Technical College
Notice of Request for Proposals for Food Service

Inver Hills Community College and Dakota County Technical College are requesting proposals for food services that provide for the needs of students, staff and faculty for wholesome food at moderate prices. The food services should be inviting, responsive to the students and staff needs, and serve as a positive force in attracting and retaining students and community support.

To receive a complete copy of the proposal, please contact Karla Colwell by email at: karla.colwell@inverhills.edu

Proposals must be sealed with a notation on the outside of the envelope stating: Food Service Proposal – DELIVER IMMEDIATELY

Mail or deliver (faxes and email will not be accepted) sealed proposal must be delivered no later than 12:00 P.M., FRIDAY, February 23rd, 2018 to:

Inver Hills Community College
2500 80th Street E Inver Grove Heights MN 55076
Attn: Karla Colwell
Business Office, College Center Building Second Floor
Phone: (651) 450-3871

PROPOSAL CLOSE DATE IS FRIDAY, February 23rd, 2018 – 12:00 P.M

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)
North Hennepin Community College
Notice of Availability of Request for Proposal (RFP) for Food Services

North Hennepin Community College is soliciting proposals from qualified vendors to provide food service at its college campus located in Brooklyn Park, Minnesota. Services contemplated include food service in its student center, retail, catering and event service.

The full Request for Proposal is available here: http://www.minnstate.edu/vendors/index.html

Proposals are due March 19, 2018 no later than 5:00 p.m. CST. Late responses will not be considered. Submittal details are contained in the RFP.

North Hennepin Community College reserves the right to award, delay or cancel this solicitation at its sole and complete discretion.

Department of Commerce
Notice of Contract Opportunity for Underground Petroleum Storage Tank Removal

Notice of Availability of Contract for abandoned underground petroleum storage tank removal services to the Department of Commerce and its Petrofund division.

The Minnesota Department of Commerce is requesting proposals for the purpose of establishing Master Contracts with qualified environmental consultants that have experience with removing and assessing potential releases from underground petroleum storage tanks. Consultants will be expected to be registered with the Minnesota Petroleum Tank Release Compensation Board, and provide contract services that include tank removal oversight, soil and water sampling, contaminated soil removal and disposal oversight, subcontracting, reporting and other consultant services related to the removal of abandoned underground petroleum storage tanks in Minnesota.
State Contracts

A Request for Proposals will be available from this office beginning Monday, February 12, 2018 through March 9, 2018. A written request by e-mail is required to receive the Request for Proposal.

COPY REQUEST: To request a copy of the Request for Proposals, please send an email to:

John Houck
Petrofund Division
john.houck@state.mn.us

Other department Petrofund personnel and Petroleum Tank Release Compensation Board members are NOT allowed to discuss the Request for Proposals with interested parties, including responders.

PROPOSAL DEADLINE: Proposals submitted in response to this advertisement must be received by mail no later than March 9, 2018. Late proposals will not be considered. Emailed/Faxed proposals will not be considered.

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.

Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT)
Engineering Services Division
Notices Regarding Professional/Technical (P/T) Contracting

P/T Contracting Opportunities: MnDOT is now placing additional public notices for P/T contract opportunities on the MnDOT’s Consultant Services website. 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.

Taxpayers’ Transportation Accountability Act (TTAA) Notices: MnDOT is posting notices as required by the TTAA on the MnDOT Consultant Services website.

MnDOT’s Prequalification Program: MnDOT maintains a Pre-Qualification Program in order to streamline the process of contracting for highway related P/T services. Program information, application requirements, application forms and contact information can be found on MnDOT’s Consultant Services website. Applications may be submitted at any time for this Program.

MnDOT Consultant Services website: www.dot.state.mn.us/consult

If you have any questions regarding this notice, or are having problems viewing the information on the Consultant Services website, please call the Consultant Services Help Line at 651-366-4611, Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 4:00pm.
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/.

Lower Minnesota River Watershed District
Request for Proposals: Engineering Services

Pursuant to MSA 103B.227, Subdivision 5, the Lower Minnesota River Watershed District hereby solicits proposals for consulting engineering services for 2018 through 2020.

Additionally, the LMRWD is looking for assistance with its Education & Outreach Program. This position could be performed as part of the engineering and technical services contract or as a separate contract with an individual or firm that provides Education & Outreach consulting services.

Written proposals (five copies) setting forth specific information as to expertise in watershed district matters, fee schedules and names, experience and qualifications of personnel who will responsible for handling watershed business should be sent to:

Lower Minnesota River Watershed District
Attention: Linda Loomis, District Administrator
112 East Fifth Street, Suite 102
Chaska, MN 55318

Proposals shall be submitted on or before the close of business Friday, March 2, 2018.

Please limit your proposals to ten pages or less. Please set forth in your written proposal company experience and the qualifications and experience of the individual(s) who propose(s) to perform services for the District and the resumes of staff who would assist in providing the contractual services.

Rates of individuals should be provided.

The Board of Managers will review all proposals, and reserves the right to request additional information from any and all proposers, to conduct interviews of the proposers, specifically lead staff proposed to provide services, to reject any and all proposals, and to otherwise take such action as it deems in the best interest of Lower Minnesota River Watershed District.

For further information about the Lower Minnesota River Watershed District, contact Linda Loomis, Administrator at (763) 545-4659 or visit: http://lowermnriverwd.org/
**Lower Minnesota River Watershed District**  
**Request for Proposals: Legal Services**

Pursuant to MSA 103B.227, Subdivision 5, the Lower Minnesota River Watershed District hereby solicits proposals for a legal consultant for 2018 through 2020.

Written proposals (five copies) setting forth the experience of the company/individual(s) who would be interested in providing legal services for the Lower Minnesota River Watershed District should be sent to:

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**Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)**  
**Notice of Call for Bids for 2018 East Curbside Check-In**

**Airport Location:** Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport  
**Project Name:** 2018 East Curbside Check-In  
**MAC Contract No.:** 106-2-767  
**Bids Close At:** 2:00 p.m. on March 13, 2018

**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 provides for interior and exterior work.

**Note:** You can sign up on our Web site ([www.metroairports.org](http://www.metroairports.org)) to receive email notifications of new business opportunities or go directly to [https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNORGMAC/subscriber/topics?gsp-CODE_RED](https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNORGMAC/subscriber/topics?gsp-CODE_RED) and choose this and other topics about which you are interested.

**Targeted Group Businesses (TGB):** The goal of the MAC for the utilization of Targeted Group Businesses on this project is 8%.

**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.
Project Labor Agreement: This project is subject to the MAC’s Project Labor Agreement requirements. A copy of the Project Labor Agreement and Contract Riders are included in the Appendix.

Availability of Bidding Documents: Bidding documents are on file for inspection at the office of Alliiance; at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; Dodge Data and Analytics; 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; PH: 763.503.3401; FX: 763.503.3409. Make checks payable to: Alliiance. 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 February 12, 2018, at MAC’s web address of http://www.metroairports.org/Airport-Authority/Business-Opportunities/Solicitations.aspx (construction bids).

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)
Notice of Call for Bids for 2018 Terminal 1-Lindbergh Tram System Upgrades P4

Airport Location: Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport
Project Name: 2018 Terminal 1-Lindbergh Tram System Upgrades P4
MAC Contract No: 106-2-852
Bids Close At: 2:00 p.m. March 13, 2018

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 provides for consolidating the electrical power for the concourse tram to the new concourse tram distribution gear installed in previous phase.

Note: You can sign up on our Web site (www.metroairports.org) to receive email notifications of new business opportunities or go directly to https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNORGMAC/subscriber/topics?gsp-CODE_RED and choose this and other topics about which you are interested.

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; Dodge Data and Analytics; 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; PH: 763.503.3401; FX: 763.503.3409. Make checks payable to: Michaud Cooley Erickson. Deposit per set (refundable): $100. 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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