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

When rules are first drafted, state agencies publish them as Proposed Rules, along with a notice of hearing, or a notice of intent to adopt rules without a hearing in the case of noncontroversial rules. This notice asks for comment on the rules as proposed. Proposed emergency rules, and withdrawn proposed rules, are also published in the State Register. After proposed rules have gone through the comment period, and have been rewritten into their final form, they again appear in the State Register as Adopted Rules. These final adopted rules are not printed in their entirety, but only the changes made since their publication as Proposed Rules. To see the full rule, as adopted and in effect, a person simply needs two issues of the State Register, the issue the rule appeared in as proposed, and later as adopted.

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Department of Natural Resources

Commissioner’s Order: Designation of State Forest Road: #0894 and #1676

Date: June 14, 2021

Statutory authority: *Minnesota Statutes*, section 89.71, subdivision 1

Supplements the Aitkin County Forest Road and Trail Designation Plan and Forest Classification &Road/Trail Designations for the East Central Forests (November, 2008)

BACKGROUND

Minnesota Statutes, section 89.002, subdivision 3, directs the Commissioner of Natural Resources to provide a system of state forest roads for access to state forest land and other forest landunder the Commissioner’s authority. This statute allows the Commissioner to manage, protect, and develop those lands and their resources consistent with the forest resource management policy in *Minnesota Statutes*, section 89.002, subdivision 1.

Minnesota Statues, section 89.71, subdivision 1, provides that the Commissioner must designateand undesignate state forest roads by written order published in the State Register.

All notice and procedural requirements outlined in Minnesota Statutes, and other applicablerules and law, have been complied with.

This Commissioner’s Order designates two routes. The route identified as **#0894-Haypoint Road**(Exhibit 1) in Aitkin County, currently a non-designated route, meets system road specifications and provides forest management and recreation access to State of Minnesota lands. The route designation is 0.83 miles in length.

The route identified as **#1676 – Tupper Trail Road** (Exhibit 2) in Aitkin County, currently a non-designated route, meets minimum maintenance road specifications and provides forest management and recreation access to State of Minnesota lands. The route designation is 0.42 miles in length.

Designation as either a system road or minimum maintenance road enables access to fundingfor maintenance and repairs.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, including *Minnesota Statutes*, section 89.71, subdivision 1, that the designation of **#0894-Haypoint Road as a system road (as identified in Exhibit 1) and #1676 – Tupper Trail Road as a minimum maintenance road (as identified in Exhibit 2)** shall become effective on June 14, 2021.

Date: June 14, 2021

Sarah Strommen, Commissioner

Exhibit 1: #0894-Haypoint Road

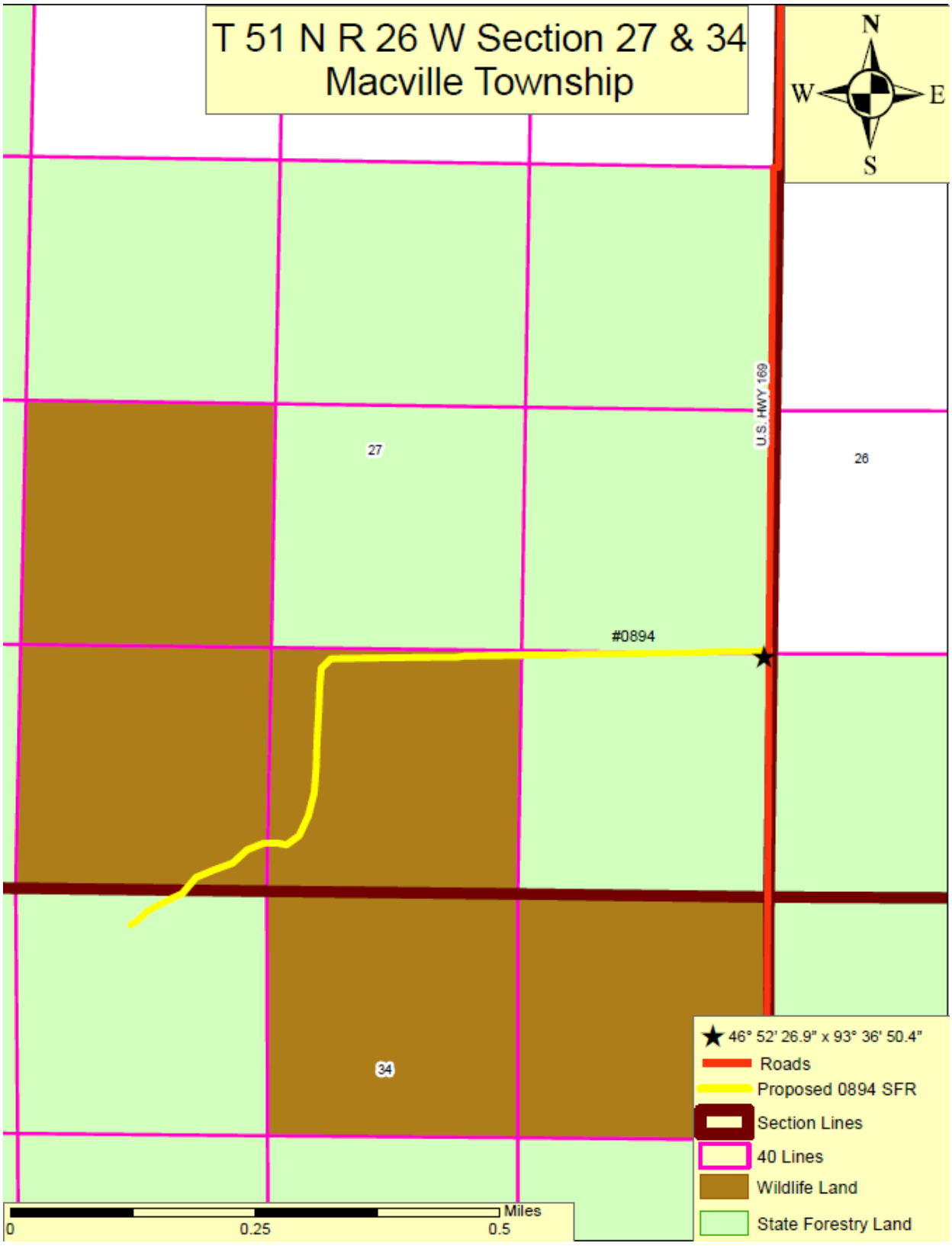
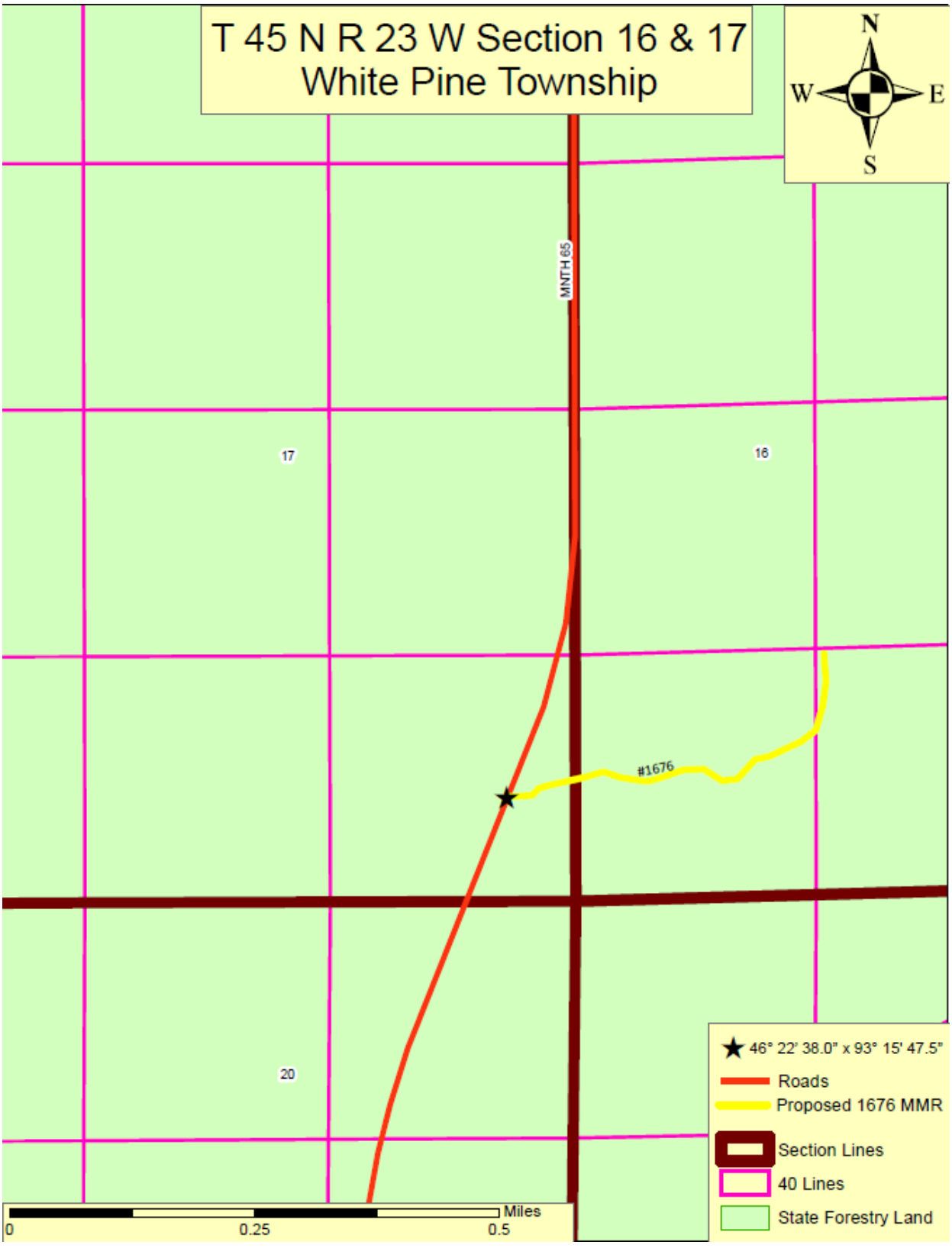


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Official Notices

Pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* §§ 14.101, an agency must first solicit comments from the public on the subject matter of a possible rulemaking proposal under active consideration within the agency by publishing a notice in the *State Register* at least 60 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.

Department of Health

Public Hearing Regarding the Minnesota Department of Health Application to the Federal Department of Health and Human Services for Federal Fiscal Year 2021 Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Funding

The Minnesota Department of Health will sponsor a public hearing to obtain comments on the proposed uses of the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant funds during federal fiscal year 2021. Further information on the use of those funds is available upon request.

The public hearing will be conducted as part of a meeting of the State Preventive Health Advisory Committee to be held via phone and virtually Tuesday, June 29, 2021, by the Minnesota Department of Health due to COVID-19. The meeting and public hearing will begin at 2:00 p.m. and end at 3:00 p.m. Any person or group may submit either written or oral comments at the meeting.

Written comments must be submitted by noon Tuesday, June 29, to the email address below.

For further information about participating in the public hearing or the PHHS Block Grant, please contact:

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St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0975
(651) 201-5795
becky.neudecker@state.mn.us

Department of Human Services (DHS)

Health Care Administration

Public Notice Regarding Changes to Payment Rates and Methodologies, and Services under the Medical Assistance Program

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to recipients, providers of services, and to the public of certain changes made to the Medical Assistance (MA) Program.

This notice is published pursuant to *Code of Federal Regulations*, title 42, part 447, section 205 (42 CFR § 447.205), which requires publication of a notice when there is any significant proposed change in the methods and standards for setting payment rates for Medicaid services.

The changes are estimated to affect net spending in the Medical Assistance (MA) programs as described below. All estimates provided in this notice represent the expected change in total expenditures for each individual item from sources including both state and federal funds.

Information related to the implementation of this change will be sent to health care providers through newsletters and updates to the Minnesota Health Care Programs Provider Manual, available at ***http://www.dhs.state.mn.us***.

The Changes are as follows:

I. MA Services and Payment Rates

Effective for services on or after July 1, 2021, the Department will update payment rates and provider standards for Early Intensive Developmental and Behavioral Intervention (EIDBI) services in the following way:

The payment rate for the Coordinated Care conference will change to $97.98 per session. The reimbursement rate for the EIDBIs completed with two providers is specified per 15-minute unit at $21.04. The reimbursement rate for the comprehensive multi-disciplinary evaluation (CMDE) reimbursement rates increased to $43.58 per 15-minute unit to reflect 2021 changes. Finally, Individual Treatment Plan (ITP) providers are specified as Qualified Supervising Professionals, Level I Providers, and Level II Providers, per current standards.

This change is estimated to increase expenditures in the MA program by $402,000 in state fiscal year 2022 and $460,000 in state fiscal year 2023.

For more information or questions about submitting or reviewing comments, please contact Alley Zoellner at ***Alexandra.Zoellner@state.mn.us***.

Department of Human Services (DHS)

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I. MA Services and Payment Rates

Effective for services provided on or after July 1, 2021, all Federally Qualified Health Clinics (FQHC) and Rural Health Clinics (RHC) may elect to be paid using the prospective payment system or a new alternative rate methodology. Alternative payment methodologies I, II and III will be eliminated. Under the new rate methodology, the Commissioner is required to establish a single medical and a single dental encounter rate for each FQHC or RHC. The 2021 medical and dental encounter rates shall be determined using the actual allowable costs incurred by the FQHC or RHC in delivering patient services, using each FQHC's and RHC's Medicare cost reports from 2017 and 2018. The Commissioner must provide for a 60-day appeals process under section 14.57. The Commissioner will apply current Medicare cost principles as applicable to FQHC's and RHC's without the application of productivity screens and upper payment limits.

The new rate methodology will be rebased every two years and inflated in between by the Center for Medicare and

Medicaid Services (CMS) FHQ Market Basket inflator less productivity. The Commissioner shall reimburse FQHC's and RHC's an additional amount relative to their medical and dental organization encounter rates that is attributable to the tax required to be paid according to section 295.52, if applicable. FQHC's and RHC's may still submit change of scope requests, but a 2.5% or higher change threshold has been established. Laws of Minnesota 2019, First Special Session, Chapter 9, Article 7, section 30. This change is estimated to increase MA expenditures by $1,285,000 in state fiscal year 2022 and $1,363,000 in state fiscal year 2023.

Effective July 1, 2021, Payment for administration of COVID-19 vaccinations is made at the rates established by Medicare in effect at the time the service is provided. COVID-19 vaccine administration will be paid at 100% of the geographically adjusted (GCPI) Medicare equivalent rates. This rate is limited to cases where vaccine administration is separately reimbursable at the fee schedule rate and does not apply to bundled or encounter rates.

For more information or questions about submitting or reviewing comments, please contact Alley Zoellner at ***Alexandra.Zoellner@state.mn.us***.

Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)

Notice of Correction for Highway/Heavy Prevailing Wage Rates

On September 28, 2020, the Commissioner of Labor & Industry certified prevailing wage rates for highway and heavy construction projects in 10 regions. These rates were identified by annual voluntary survey of public works highway and heavy construction projects in Minnesota collected by the Department.

This is a Notice of Correction to wage rates listed below effective June 28, 2021. This correction is for all public works highway and heavy contracts advertised for bid on or after this date.

707 Electrician, in Region 6, certified rates are corrected as follows:

- **Certified rate:**
- Effective Date: 09/28/2020 Base rate-$46.00 Fringe rate-$31.20 Total rate-$77.20

- **Corrected rate effective June 28, 2021:**
- Effective Date: 7/1/2020 Base rate-$41.33 Fringe rate-$22.66 Total rate-$63.99
- Effective Date: 7/1/2021 Base rate-$44.23 Fringe rate-$22.66 Total rate-$66.89

Wage rate determinations are available online at:
http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/employment-practices/prevailing-wage-highway-and-heavy-rates

Questions regarding determinations may be directed to the following:

Division of Labor Standards & Apprenticeship
443 Lafayette Road N
St. Paul, MN 55155
Phone: 651-284-5091
Email: ***dli.prevwage@state.mn.us***

Department of Transportation (MnDOT)

Modal Planning and Program Management Division – Office of Transportation System Management

Notice of Public Comment Period for the Public Participation Plan for the 20-Year Minnesota State Highway Investment Plan Update

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the public is invited to review and provide comments through July 22nd on the Public Participation Plan for the 20-Year Minnesota State Highway Investment Plan Update. The Minnesota State Highway Investment Plan creates a fiscally constrained, performance-based investment direction for the state highway system.

Public engagement is key to ensuring the investment direction reflects Minnesotans' priorities for investment on the state highway system. The Public Participation Plan outlines how MnDOT plans to connect with the public, stakeholders and partners to update the 20-Year Minnesota State Highway Investment Plan.

The Public Participation Plan can be accessed electronically at ***http://www.minnesotago.org***. A hard copy is available by mail with written request to the contact shared below.

Written comments will be accepted through July 22nd and should be addressed to:

Josh Pearson
Email: ***joshua.pearson@state.mn.us***
651-366-3773

For more information, contact Josh Pearson at 651-366-3773 or ***joshua.pearson@state.mn.us***, or visit ***http://www.minnesotago.org***. Follow the planning process on Twitter, @MnDOT, or Facebook, ***www.facebook.com/MnDot***.

State Grants & Loans

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

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

Department of 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/open-rfp.jsp***

State Grants & Loans

Department of Human Services (DHS)

Aging and Adult Services Division

Notice of Request for Proposals to enhance Adult Protective Services to respond to COVID-19

The Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS or State) is requesting proposals from Minnesota county social service agencies that receive reports of alleged maltreatment of vulnerable adults, as defined by Minnesota Statutes 626.5572, subd. 13, part (c), to expand, improve, and enhance county-administered Adult Protective Services (APS) in response to the COVID-19 pandemic in order to stop, remediate, or prevent maltreatment of vulnerable adults through person-centered, trauma-informed, and culturally appropriate responses.

DHS is seeking proposals for the grant period September 27, 2021, through September 30, 2022.

For more information contact:

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Department of Human Services
Aging and Adult Services Division
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444 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, MN 55164-0976
dhs.adultprotection@state.mn.us

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

To obtain this information in a different format, please email ***Emily.Waymire@state.mn.us***.

Proposals submitted in response to this Request for Proposals (RFP) must be received at the email address listed in the RFP no later than **4:00 p.m., Central Time, on Monday, August 2, 2021. Late proposals will not be considered.** Proposals received via other methods will not be considered.

The RFP can be viewed by visiting the Minnesota Department of Human Services Grants, Requests for Proposals (RFP) and Requests for Information (RFI) web site: ***https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/grants-rfps/open-rfps/***

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 (DHS)

Housing and Support Services Division

Notice of Request for Proposals to perform Social Security Advocacy Services

The Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS or State) is requesting proposals to provide Social Security Advocacy services throughout the state of Minnesota. The goals of this RFP are to:

- Expand the number of contracted Social Security Advocacy services agencies throughout Minnesota, and
- Improve access to Social Security disability benefits for individuals experiencing or at-risk for homelessness, and
- Meet an individual where they are at in the Social Security disability application process, and
- Allow Social Security Advocacy applicants one year to apply to become a DHS contracted advocate.

This RFP for Social Security Advocacy Services is a pay-for-performance grant with payments made to contracted advocates upon notice of Social Security Administration approval of an individual's Social Security disability benefits with receipt of electronic invoice and supporting documentation.

DHS is seeking proposals for the grant period January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2027.

For more information contact:

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

To obtain this information in a different format, please email ***Emily.Waymire@state.mn.us***.

Proposals submitted in response to this Request for Proposals (RFP) must be received at the street address and email address listed in the RFP no later than **4:00 p.m., Central Time, by the following dates:**

- **September 30, 2021**
- **December 31, 2021**
- **March 31, 2022**
- **June 30, 2022**

Late proposals will not be considered. Faxes will not be considered. Proposals received via other methods will not be considered.

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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* 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.

Department of Administration

Notice of Availability of Request for Proposal (RFP) for Strategic Facilities Planning for Current Leased and Owned Office Space and Parking and Transit Study for State Owned, Leased and Street Parking on the Capitol Complex, State of MN

RFP to conduct comprehensive review and evaluation of current leased and owned office space, identify gaps and future anticipated needs and make recommendations on achievable and affordable facilities strategies and best practices; In consultation with stakeholders, prepare a facilities strategic plan for the Minnesota Department of Administration. Conduct a parking and transit study for state owned, leased and street parking on the Capitol Complex.

- This Solicitation Event is being conducted in the SWIFT system. Log in to the ***Supplier Portal*** to view this event. You will need to search for Event ID **2000012049**

Department of Agriculture

Agriculture Marketing and Development Division

Request for Proposals (RFP) for Video Production Services

DETAILS: The Minnesota Department of Agriculture is requesting proposals for the purpose of planning, filming, editing, and coordinating all aspects necessary to create seventeen educational videos that highlight the Harvest of the Month program and food items. The selected entity will work with the Harvest of the Month team to develop these videos.

COPY REQUEST: You may request a copy of the Request for Proposals by sending an email to:

Sue Knott, Education Specialist
MN Agriculture in the Classroom, Minnesota Department of Agriculture
sue.knott@state.mn.us

PROPOSAL DEADLINE: Proposals in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement must be received at the email address above not later than **4:00 p.m. Central Time on July 12, 2021. Late proposals will not be considered.**

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)

Non-Construction Related Bid and Contracting Opportunities

Minnesota State is now placing additional public notices for P/T contract opportunities, goods/commodities, and non-construction related services on its Vendor and Supplier Opportunities website (***http://minnstate.edu/vendors/index.html***). 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.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, or are having problems viewing the information on the Vendor and Supplier Opportunities website, please call the Minnesota State Procurement Unit at 651-201-1444, Monday-Friday, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State)

Winona State University

Request for Proposals for Faculty-led Cities of Fairytales (Prague and Budapest) Travel Study Program

Notice is hereby given that Winona State University is seeking proposals for **Faculty-led Travel Study Program** entitled Cities of Fairytales (Prague and Budapest) to take place in May 2022. Proposal specifications are available by contacting Laura Mann, Purchasing Director, PO Box 5838, 106 Somsen Hall, Winona, MN 55987 or via email to ***lmann@winona.edu***. Sealed proposals must be received by Laura Mann, Purchasing Director, at Winona State University, PO Box 5838 or 175 West Mark Street, Business Office, Somsen Hall 106, Winona, MN 55987, by Thursday, September 16, 2021 at 3:00 pm CST. Winona State University reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any irregularities or informalities in proposals received.

Department of Employment and Economic Development

State Services for the Blind (SSB)

Request for Proposals for General Liability Insurance Coverage for Business Enterprises Program (BEP) Businesses

The Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development, State Services for the Blind (SSB), Request for Proposals for General Liability Insurance coverage for Business Enterprises Program (BEP) businesses.

The Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development is seeking proposals for General Liability Insurance coverage targeted to BEP businesses.

The RFP is posted on DEED's website: ***https://mn.gov/deed/about/contracts/***. Responses must be received no later than 5:00 pm, Central Daylight Time, on July 21, 2021.

Board of Medical Practice

Notice of Contract Opportunity for Medical Coordinators, Medical Consultants, Evaluators and Course Providers

PROJECT NAME: Medical Coordinators, Medical Consultants, Evaluators and Course Providers

DETAILS: The Minnesota Board of Medical Practice is requesting proposals for the purpose of contracting with specialists who will be available on short notice to perform professional and technical services in the duties of medical coordinators, medical consultants, specialized evaluators, and course providers.

Work is anticipated to start after July 5, 2021.

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

Ruth Martinez
Executive Director
2829 University Avenue SE, Suite 500
Minneapolis, MN 55414
Ruth.Martinez@state.mn.us

PROPOSAL DEADLINE: Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement will be received and reviewed throughout the duration of the Request. Proposals must be submitted by U.S. Mail to the attention of Ms. Martinez at the Board's office.

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 Request 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 all 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/*.

Hennepin County Consultant Selection Group

Request for Proposals for Architectural/Engineering Services

Hennepin County, through a staff selection group, will be selecting architectural/ engineering firms for master planning services for the Adult Corrections Facility Campus Master Plan project.

To obtain a Request for Proposal, please follow the link below and navigate to Hennepin County's Supplier Portal. In the Supplier Portal, you will be able to download the RFP and all attachments as well as submit your proposal.

https://www.hennepin.us/business/work-with-henn-co/contract-opportunities

A letter of interest is not required for RFP noted above. All proposals received by the deadline noted in the RFP will be reviewed by the staff consultant selection group. If you experience difficulty locating or downloading the RFP, please contact Hennepin County Purchasing and Contract Services at 612-348-3181.

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

Notice of Call for Bids for 2021 MAC Technology Upgrades - CBP

Airport Location:	**Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport**
Project Name:	**2021 MAC Technology Upgrades - CBP**
MAC Contract No:	**106-2-991**
Bids Close At:	**2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2021**
Bid Opening At:	**3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2021 via teleconference**
Teleconference Dial In #:	**+16124056798**
Conference ID #:	**681090675#**

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 2021 MAC Technology Upgrades – CBP project includes camera replacements and upgrades in Terminal 1 for Customs and Border Protection (CBP) including the Federal Inspections Services area, Concourse G gates, baggage handling, and their offices.

Note: You can sign up on our Web site (***www.metroairports.org***) to receive email notifications of new business opportunities or go directly to ***MAC's E-News Subscription Service*** 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 7%.

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 Alliiance; at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; Dodge Data and Analytics; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring drawings and specifications may secure a complete digital set at ***http://www.franzrepro.com***. Click on the “Plan Rooms” tab and select the “Franz Public Plan Room”. Bidders may download the complete set of digital bidding documents for $ 50.00 by entering **106-2-991-00** in the “search projects” box then click “refresh/search” button. Contact Franz at 763-503-3401 or ***support@franzrepro.com*** for assistance. Hard copy drawings and specifications are available for purchase at Bidders expense.

MAC Internet Access of Additional Information: A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on June 21, 2021, at MAC’s web address of ***MAC’s Construction Bids Webpage*** (construction bids).

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

Notice of Call for Bids for 2021 LED Lighting Conversion in Valet Parking

Airport Location:	**Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport**
Project Name:	**2021 LED Lighting Conversion in Valet Parking**
MAC Contract No.:	**106-2-957**
Bids Close At:	**2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2021**
Bid Opening At:	**3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2021 via teleconference**
Teleconference Dial In #:	**+6124056798**
Conference ID #:	**681090675#**

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 the replacement of existing lighting with new LED light fixtures, some re-feeding of fixtures to be on the emergency circuit, and some removal of old non-functioning lighting at the Valet entrance and exit ramps.

Note: You can sign up on our Web site (www.metroairports.org) to receive email notifications of new business opportunities or go directly to ***MAC’s E-News Subscription Service*** 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 7%.

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 drawings and specifications may secure a complete set at ***http://www.franzrepro.com***. Click on the “Plan Rooms” tab and select the “Franz Public Plan Room”. Bidders may download the complete set of digital bidding documents for $50.00 by entering 106-2-957-00 in the “search projects” box then click “refresh/search” button. Contact Franz at 761-503-3401 or **support@franzrepro.com** for assistance. Hard copy drawings and specifications are available for purchase at Bidders expense.

MAC Internet Access of Additional Information: A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on June 28, 2021, at MAC's web address of ***MAC's Construction Bids Webpage*** (construction bids).

Metropolitan Emergency Services Board (MESB)

Request for Proposals for Audit Services

The Metropolitan Emergency Services Board (MESB) is soliciting proposals from qualified firms of certified public accountants to audit the MESB's financial statements for the fiscal year ending in December 31, 2021, with the option of auditing the MESB's financial statements for the four subsequent fiscal years.

To see full Request for Proposals document go to ***www.mn-mesb.org***. All questions and correspondence should be directed to Jill Rohret, Executive Director, in writing at ***jrohret@mn-mesb.org***.

Proposals are due by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, July 30, 2021.




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