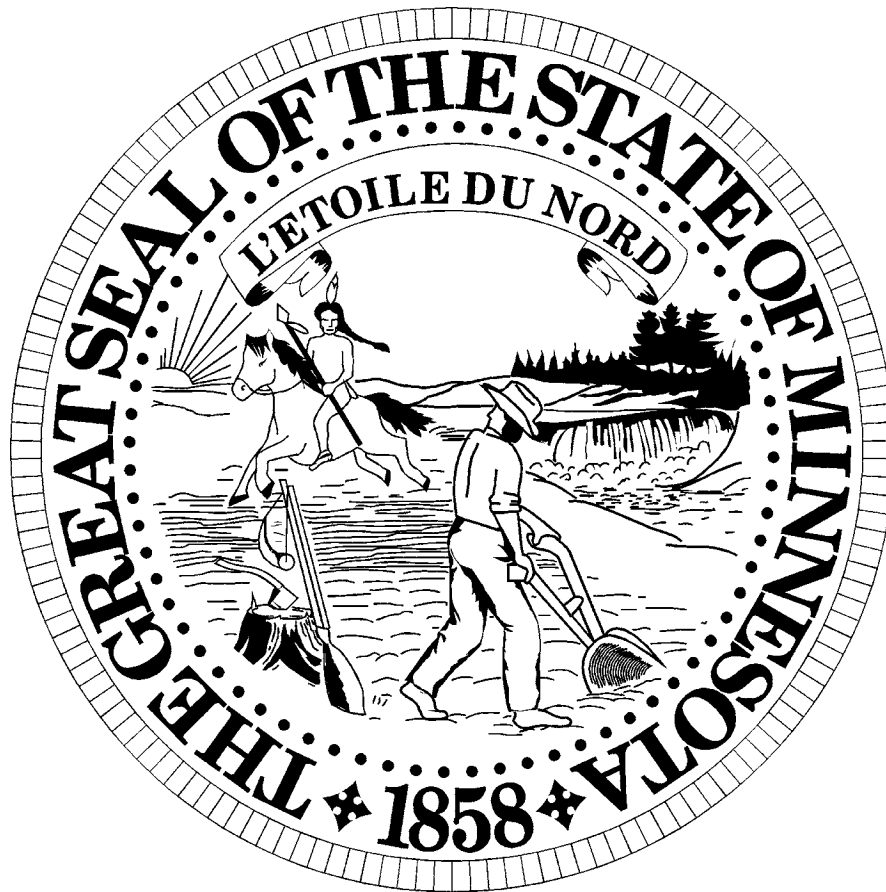


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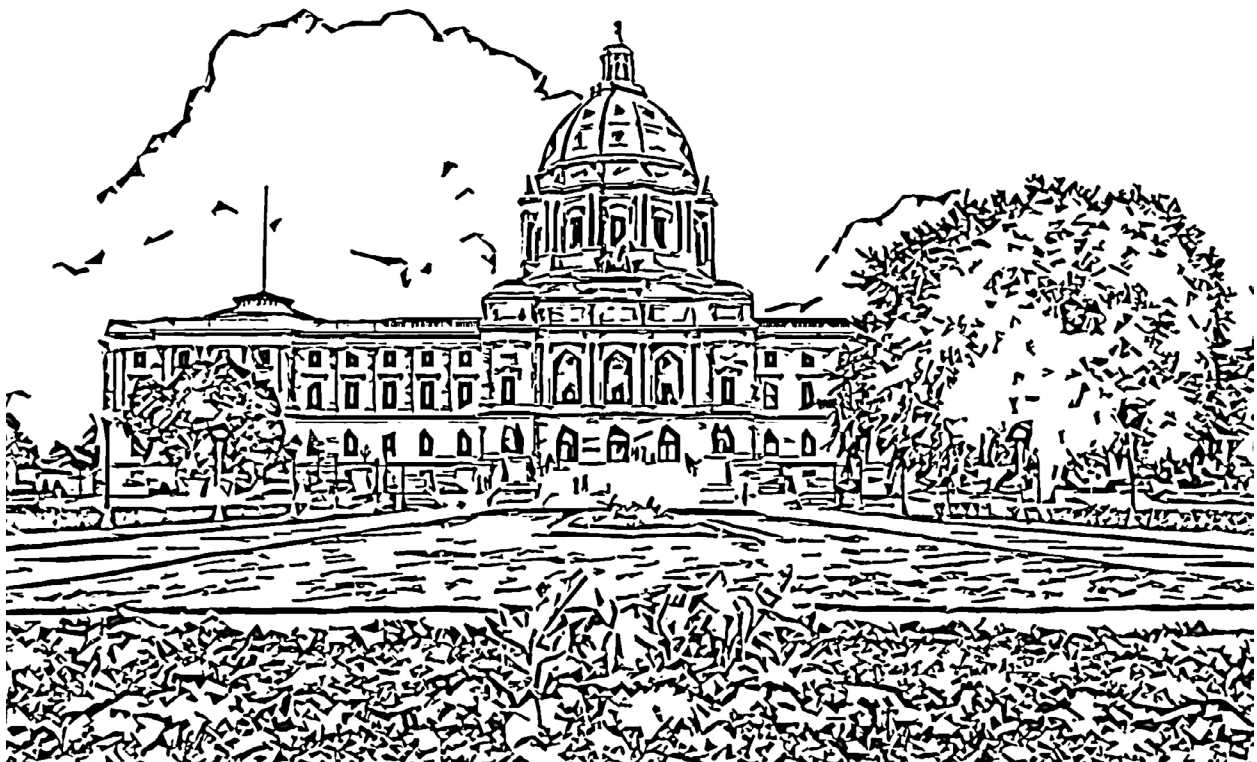
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An agency must first solicit Comments on Planned Rules or Comments on Planned Rule Amendments from the public on the subject matter of a possible rulemaking proposal under active consideration within the agency (Minnesota Statutes §§ 14.101). It does 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 Proposed emergency rules, and withdrawn proposed rules, are also published in the State Register.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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The *State Register* also publishes other official notices of state agencies and non-state agencies, including notices of meetings and matters of public interest.

### **Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Public Hearing Regarding the Minnesota Department of Health Application to the Federal Department of Health and Human Services for Federal Fiscal Year 2023 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 2023. 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 Wednesday, October 18, 2023, by the Minnesota Department of Health. The meeting and public hearing will begin at 9:00 a.m. and end by 10:00 a.m. Any person or group may submit either written or oral comments at the meeting.

Written comments must be submitted by noon Tuesday, October 17, to the email address below.

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

Becky Sechrist  
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Minnesota Department of Health  
P.O. Box 64975  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0975  
[becky.sechrist@state.mn.us](mailto:becky.sechrist@state.mn.us)

### **Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Community Health Division, Center for Public Health Practice Request for Comments on the First Draft of the 2023 Statewide Health Assessment**

The Minnesota Department of Health requests comments and feedback on the first draft of the 2023 statewide health assessment from 10/2/2023 to 10/23/2023. The statewide health assessment is published every five years and is required for state health departments that pursue Public Health Accreditation Board accreditation.

Interested individuals or groups may submit written or oral comments. Written comments may be provided online by noon on Monday 10/23/2023. Oral comments may be provided during one of the following one-hour virtual listening sessions: 10/16/2023 at 6pm, 10/16/2023 at 11:30am, or 10/18/2023 at 3:00pm.

**Where to get more information:** Detailed information about the public comment period and a copy of the draft health assessment is available at: <https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/practice/healthymnpartnership/sha.html>

The statewide health assessment was developed in collaboration between the Healthy Minnesota Partnership and Minnesota Department of Health. Data and information were gathered from across Minnesota organizations and government agencies to explain how conditions (social determinants, systems, and structures) impact the health of all people in Minnesota.

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Public comments will be reviewed and used to ensure that the assessment more accurately represents the current picture of health and wellbeing across the state. The final statewide health assessment will be used to develop the subsequent statewide health improvement framework in 2024 and will inform other health improvement efforts.

If you have questions about the statewide health assessment or public comment period, contact:  
[health.healthymnpartnership@state.mn.us](mailto:health.healthymnpartnership@state.mn.us)

## Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA)

### Watershed Division

#### Notice of Availability of the Draft Crow Wing River Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategy Report Update 2023 and Request for Comment

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) produced this report to set pollution reduction goals and strategies for the watershed, and is requesting written comments during the public comment period:

- Public comment period begins: October 9, 2023
- Public comment period ends: November 8, 2023

Comments may be submitted to the MPCA by the two methods below:

1. Online at [www.pca.state.mn.us/publiccomments](http://www.pca.state.mn.us/publiccomments)
2. U.S. Mail to the following address:

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
c/o Bonnie Goshey  
7678 College Rd, Ste 105  
Brainerd, MN 56425-8625

The draft report is available for review on the *MPCA's Public Notice Page*.

## Department of Veterans Affairs

### Notice of Veteran Domiciliary Resident Quality of Care Working Group Meetings

The 2023 Minnesota Legislature created a Veteran Domiciliary Resident Quality of Care Working Group. See Minnesota Session Laws - 2023, Regular Session, Chapter 38, HF No. 1937, Art. 2, Sec. 8 <https://www.revisor.mn.gov/laws/2023/0/Session+Law/Chapter/38/>

<https://www.revisor.mn.gov/bills/text.php?number=HF1937&type=ccr&session=ls93&version=0>

The bill notes that “The working group shall meet on a regular basis ... The working group shall review and analyze the acuity of domiciliary residents and the current care model, including admission, care plans, and day-to-day care, and the current staffing structure and ratios.”

The working group is scheduled to meet starting Wednesday, October 11 from 4 to 6 p.m. and every other Wednesday thereafter at the same time through December 20.

The meetings are open to the public.

Veteran Domiciliary Resident Quality of Care Working Group meetings are available for the public to observe, but are not open for public participation.

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# Official Notices

Public observers may join in person at the Veterans Services Building, 20 W 12<sup>th</sup> St., St Paul, Minnesota, in the Veterans Hall located in the east wing of the building. Attendees may also join virtually via a Teams meeting.

Click on the link below to join the Teams meeting:

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Join on your computer, mobile app or room device

***Click here to join the meeting***

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Or call in (audio only)

+1 651-395-7448,,509155059# United States, St. Paul

Phone Conference ID: 509 155 059#

Questions may be directed to Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs Legislative Director Ben Johnson at [ben.johnson@state.mn.us](mailto:ben.johnson@state.mn.us).

## 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: <https://mn.gov/admin/citizen/grants/>

## 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>

## Department of Human Services Contracts and Legal Compliance Division Notice of Changes to Grant Request for Proposal noticing in the State Register for the Department of Human Services

The Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) will no longer publish individual grant RFP notices to the State Register effective March 27, 2023. The RFPs and RFIs can be viewed by visiting the Minnesota Department of Human Services Grants, Requests for Proposals (RFP) and Requests for Information (RFI) website: <https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/grants-rfps/open-rfps/>.

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The RFPs and RFIs do not obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in the respective notices. The State reserves the right to cancel solicitations. All expenses incurred in responding to the RFPs and RFIs are solely the responsibility of the responder.

## **Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry Construction Codes and Licensing Division Notice of Request for Proposals for the Building Official Training Municipal Grant Program**

The Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry announces the availability of \$520,000 in grant funding for the implementation and coordination of the Building Official Training Municipal Grant Program in the State of Minnesota. The performance period for eight (8) grants will be from the date the contract is executed to December 31, 2024.

### **I. Background**

The Building Official Training Municipal Grant Program (hereafter referred to as the **BOT Grant** or **BOT**) from the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) was created to provide support through partial funding and training guidance to qualifying municipalities who wish to establish training programs that will educate and train individuals on their path to becoming building officials. This will be achieved through the implementation and coordination of partnerships between the State of Minnesota and those qualifying municipalities.

Funding for the BOT Grant program is provided by the Construction Codes and Licensing Division (CCLD) permit surcharge surplus as allowed in MN. Statute 326B.148 subdivision 1.

### **II. Objective of the RFP**

The BOT Grant Program will, through funding and training guidance, assist qualified municipalities to establish inclusive training programs that will provide on-the-job training and education under the direct supervision of a Minnesota Certified Building Official. The municipality's trainee will achieve 20 points for experience in building plan review and building inspections per MN. Rule 1301.0300 section C (1) by serving as a construction code inspector as specified in MN. Statute 326B.135 and detailed in Mn. Rule 1301.1400. The grant program goal for the trainee is to gain a Building Official-Limited (BO-L) certification.

### **III. Eligibility**

Proposals will be accepted from qualifying municipalities and funding will be allocated through a competitive grant process. The deadline to submit a grant proposal to the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry is 4 p.m. October 25, 2023. The grant review committee will review and score grant applications and proposals

### **IV. Application Process**

For information about this grant, eligibility, documents, proposal requirements and deadlines email your requests to: [bot.dli@state.mn.us](mailto:bot.dli@state.mn.us) also the documents are available at [www.dli.mn.gov/bot](http://www.dli.mn.gov/bot).

## **Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) Office of Civil Rights Request for Proposal: Minnesota Highway Construction Training Program**

MnDOT requests responses from workforce centers, community-based organizations, training institutions, colleges, and trades associations to develop and administer one or more programs in highway construction career development and training.

Responses must be received no later than 2:00 P.M. Central Daylight Time on October 12, 2023. Late responses will not be considered.

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To view the RFP go to: <http://www.dot.state.mn.us/civilrights/requests-for-proposals.html>

For more information, visit: *Workforce Training Programs - Civil Rights - MnDOT (state.mn.us)*

## Minnesota Department of Transportation

### Office of Civil Rights

#### Request for Proposal: SFY 2024 Certified Small Business Micro Grant Program

MnDOT requests responses from Minnesota-based Certified Small Businesses to financially assist them with their eligible expenses that increases their business capacity and/or industry knowledge to assist in their pursuit of MnDOT projects/contracts.

Responses must be received no later than 02:00 p.m. Central Standard Time on April 30, 2024 or until funding is exhausted. Late responses will not be considered.

To view the RFP go to: [mndot.gov/civilrights/requests-for-proposals.html](http://mndot.gov/civilrights/requests-for-proposals.html).

For more information, visit: [mndot.gov/civilrights/micro-grant.html](http://mndot.gov/civilrights/micro-grant.html).

## 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, Office of State Procurement (OSP) Website. Interested vendors are encouraged to monitor the P/T Contract Section of the OSP Website at <https://mn.gov/admin/osp> 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 Office of State Procurement strongly recommends meeting the following requirements: \$0 - \$5000 does not need to be advertised; \$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.

Contact the Office of State Procurement at: (651) 296-2600

## Department of Administration

### Real Estate and Construction Services

#### Notice of Availability of Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Construction Manager at Risk for Hastings Veterans Home Campus Upgrade

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State of Minnesota Department of Administration, represented by Real Estate and Construction Services Division (RECS), is seeking Construction Manager at Risk services to provide services for an upgrade of the Minnesota Department of Veteran Affairs (MDVA) Hastings campus, Hastings, MN.

A full Request for Qualifications is available on the Department of Administration's website at <https://mn.gov/admin/osp/vendors/solicitations-and-contract-opportunities/> click "Virtual Plan Room – Construction Contracts". Project Name "RECS RFQ CMR Hastings Veterans Home Campus Upgrade", QUESTCDN Project Number: 8733925, RECS Project Number: 75HA0057. To be considered for selection and a contract, responses must be submitted by the date and time indicated in the RFQ.

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A Mandatory Pre-Qualifications Submittal/Proposal Meeting is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, October 18, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. CDT. Firms must Pre-Register for the Mandatory Pre-Qualifications Submittal/Proposal Meeting by 3:00 p.m. CDT, Tuesday, October 17, 2023. Project questions will be taken by Talia Landucci Owen at [talia.landucci-owen@state.mn.us](mailto:talia.landucci-owen@state.mn.us). Questions regarding this RFQ must be received by Friday, October 20, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. CDT.

Responses must be received by the Real Estate and Construction Services, Department of Administration, Talia Landucci Owen, no later than Tuesday, October 31, 2023 by 12:00 noon CDT. Late responses will not be accepted.

The Department of Administration, Real Estate and Construction Services Division is not obligated to complete the proposed project and reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

## Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (Minnesota State) Notice of Bid and Contracting Opportunities

Minnesota State is now placing additional public notices for contract opportunities, goods/commodities and related services on its Vendor and Supplier Opportunities website (<https://www.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 email the Minnesota State Procurement Unit at [Sourcing@MinnState.edu](mailto:Sourcing@MinnState.edu).

## Department of Commerce Division of Energy Resources Request for Proposals for Energy Storage System Capacity Study

The Minnesota Department of Commerce (“Department”) seeks proposals from qualified organizations or individuals to (1) produce a report analyzing the energy storage system capacity required to achieve the state renewable energy standard and carbon-free goals under Minnesota Statutes, section 216B.1691, and (2) to host a meeting to obtain recommendations from stakeholders and the public on policies and programs to accelerate energy storage system deployment to achieve the storage capacity the study determines to be required. This Request for Proposal (RFP) has a maximum funding of \$250,000.

Legislation passed in 2023 (see *Minnesota Sessions Laws 2023, Chapter 60 (HF2310), Article 12, Sec. 74*) requires the Department to produce a study of the energy storage system capacity required to achieve the state renewable energy standard and carbon-free goals under Minnesota Statutes, section 216B.1691. Further, the legislation requires the Department to host a meeting to obtain recommendations from stakeholders and the public on policies and programs to accelerate energy storage system deployment to achieve the storage capacity the study determines to be required. The legislation allows these tasks to be performed by an independent consultant.

A Request for Proposals (RFP) and required forms are available to view and download on the Minnesota Department of Commerce’s RFP website at <https://mn.gov/commerce/business/rfp.jsp> through the submission deadline.

Proposals must be submitted by no later than Monday, October 30, 2023 at 5:00 PM Central Time. Proposals must be submitted to [energy.contracts@state.mn.us](mailto:energy.contracts@state.mn.us). Instructions for submitting proposals are detailed in the RFP. **Late 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.

## Department of Corrections Request for Proposals for Cognitive Behavioral Curriculums

**PROJECT NAME:** Cognitive Behavioral Curriculums

**DETAILS:** The Department of Corrections (“DOC”) requests proposals to deliver cognitive behavioral curriculum(s), in a small group format, which addresses four, or more, criminogenic needs to a targeted population consisting of high-risk individuals in the communities of St. Paul and Minneapolis. “High-risk” is defined by receiving a “high” or very-high” risk score on the MnSTARR recidivism assessment tool.

The DOC has collaborated with community partners to deliver a program grounded in evidence-informed practices serving high-risk release violators called Opportunity for Change (“O4C”) since 2017. It is anticipated that in 2021, the O4C program will also serve non-release violators (individuals who release at 2/3 of their sentence) in need of supportive services. Goals of the program are to implement interventions that align with effective programming and yield promising results in reductions in recidivism, technical violations and increases pro-social opportunities for released individuals. Additional strategies used by the O4C team to increase success include cognitive behavioral interventions, case planning and referrals, housing, mentorship, personal finance education, and employment connections.

It is the goal of this project that the targeted population will have the opportunity to participate in evidence-informed programming which is designed to reduce their risk of returning to prison.

Work is anticipated to start on, or after, January 1, 2024

**COPY REQUEST:** To get a copy of the Request for Proposals, please send a written request, by email to [Malinda.steffan@state.mn.us](mailto:Malinda.steffan@state.mn.us) or follow this link: <https://mn.gov/doc/staff-partners/doing-business-doc/request-proposals/>.

**PROPOSAL DEADLINE:** Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement must be received via email or mail no later than **4 p.m. Central Standard Time, Monday, October 16, 2020. Late 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.

## Department of Corrections Request for Proposals for Mentoring Services & Pro-social Activities

**PROJECT NAME:** Mentoring Services & Pro-social Activities

**DETAILS:** On September 25, 2023 the Department of Corrections (DOC) will be requesting proposals to coordinate and provide mentoring services and pro-social activities to higher risk participants released from correctional facilities residing in the twin cities metro area.

The DOC has collaborated with community partners to deliver a program grounded in evidence-informed practices (EBP) serving higher risk release violators called Opportunity for Change (O4C) since 2017. Goals of the program are to implement interventions that align with effective programming and yield promising results in reductions in recidivism, technical violations, and other rule infractions and increases pro-social opportunities for released individuals. Additional strategies used by the O4C team to increase success include case planning and referrals, stability in housing, cognitive-behavioral groups, and employment connections. This request for proposal particularly increases opportunities for the participants to connect with pro-social peers in the community (Minneapolis and St. Paul). The proposal should outline the ability to coordinate prosocial and appropriate activities for participants and connect some team-identified participants in need of more direct mentorship and support. All prosocial activities will be approved by the MN DOC and county supervision agents. For more direct mentorship and support for some participants, mentoring grounded in the Circles of Support and Accountability (COSA) model will be favored. Work is anticipated to start after January 1, 2024.

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## Department of Corrections

### Request for Proposals for Opportunity for Change (O4C) Program Hub and Employment Services

**PROJECT NAME:** Opportunity for Change (O4C) Program Hub and Employment Services

**DETAILS:** On September 25, 2023 the Department of Corrections (DOC) requests proposals to provide employment seeking, obtainment, and sustainability services to higher risk participants released from correctional facilities residing in the twin cities metro area. Additionally, the DOC is seeking space for two program hub spaces, centrally located in St. Paul. Each hub must have office space for one DOC staff person and day and evening group space one to two times per week.

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This request for proposal particularly increases opportunities for the participants to gain and maintain employment. The proposal should outline the ability to provide employment support, including, but not limited to, assessing employment readiness, provide cognitive behavioral interventions related to successful employment experiences, and be responsive to barriers participants have facing employment. Additionally, proposals should provide a structured program space for O4C as outlined above.

Work is anticipated to start after January 1, 2024

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## Department of Corrections Request for Proposals for Personal Finance Educational Instruction

**PROJECT NAME:** Personal Finance Educational Instruction

**DETAILS:** On September 25, 2023 the Department of Corrections (DOC) requests proposals from qualified responders to coordinate and conduct innovative strategies for providing educational instruction on personal finance for incarcerated and/or corrections systems involved people on correctional supervision.

This request for proposal particularly increases opportunities for the participants to gain a basic understanding of personal finances through participation in financial education classes in order to become more financially stable.

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## Minnesota Judicial Branch Notice of Request for Proposals for Courtroom Technology Equipment and Services

The Minnesota Judicial Branch, acting through its 4th Judicial District is soliciting proposals for Courtroom Technology: Equipment, Installation and Integration Services, and Support and Maintenance Services. All interested parties can view the solicitation at: *Minnesota Judicial Branch - News and Announcements* ([mncourts.gov](http://mncourts.gov)).

Proposals are due by 12:00pm on November 10, 2023. Submissions must be sent electronically to:

Paul Hinz  
[Paul.Hinz@courts.state.mn.us](mailto:Paul.Hinz@courts.state.mn.us)

## 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.

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MnDOT Consultant Services website: [www.dot.state.mn.us/consult](http://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: <https://mn.gov/admin/osp> as well as the Office of Grants Management (OGM) at: <https://mn.gov/admin/citizen/grants/>.

## Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

### Notice of Call for Bids for 2023 Airside Roadway Pavement Restoration

**Airport Location:** Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport  
**Project Name:** 2023 Airside Roadway Pavement Restoration  
**MAC Contract No.:** 106-1-355  
**Bids Close At:** 2:00 PM on October 17, 2023  
**Bid Opening Conference Call:** 3:00 PM on October 17, 2023  
**Teleconference Dial In #:** 1-612-405-6798  
**Conference ID #:** 681 090 675#

**Notice to Contractors:** Electronic Bid Submission for the project listed above will be received by the MAC, a public corporation, via *QuestCDN's website* until the official time and date as displayed in QuestCDN Online.

**Note:** You can sign up on our web site (<https://metroairports.org/doing-business/solicitations>) to receive email notifications of new business opportunities.

**Targeted Group Businesses (TGB):** The goal of the MAC for the utilization of Targeted Group Businesses on this project is 2%.

**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 available at the QuestCDN Online indicated below and at the Minnesota Builders Exchange; Rochester Builders Exchange; Dodge Data and Analytics; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents for personal use may secure a complete digital set at the *QuestCDN website*. Bidders may download the complete set of digital documents for \$22.00, or other fee as determined by QuestCDN, by entering eBidDoc™ #8688997 in the "Search Projects" page. Contact Quest Construction Data Network at (952) 233-1632 or [info@questcdn.com](mailto:info@questcdn.com) for assistance. Hard copy bidding documents will not be made available to Bidders. Bid documents for this project may be viewed for no cost at QuestCDN Online. For this project, bids will **ONLY** be received electronically. Contractors submitting an electronic bid will be charged an additional \$42.00, or other fee as determined by QuestCDN, at the time of bid submission via the online electronic bid service QuestCDN Online.

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**MAC Internet Access of Additional Information:** A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids for this project will be available on October 2, 2023, at MAC's web address of <https://metroairports.org/doing-business/solicitations> (construction bids).

## Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC) Notice of Call for Bids for 2023 FCM Hangar Door Replacement

**Airport Location:** Flying Cloud Airport  
**Project Name:** 2023 FCM Hangar Door Replacement  
**MAC Contract No.:** 114-2-002  
**Bids Close At:** 2:00 PM on October 18, 2023  
**Bid Opening Conference Call:** 3:00 PM on October 18, 2023  
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**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.

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## Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC) Notice of Call for Bids for Terminal 1 Access Roadway Bridge Rehabilitation

**Airport Location:** Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport  
**Project Name:** Terminal 1 Access Roadway Bridge Rehabilitation  
**MAC Contract No.:** 106-3-612  
**Bids Close At:** 2:00 PM on October 17, 2023  
**Bid Opening Conference Call:** 3:00 PM on October 17, 2023  
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**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 G.

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