

Freeborn County, MN
County Project
CLOSING DATE: Tuesday, February 17, 2026 at 11:00 AM

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS-

NOTICE is hereby given that **SEALED PROPOSALS** will be received until 11:00 AM on Tuesday, February 17, 2026, by the Board of County Commissioners at the Office of the County Engineer, 3300 Bridge Ave, Albert Lea, MN 56007, at which time the proposals will be opened. Proposals will be considered at the County Board meeting either on Tuesday, March 3, 2026, or on Tuesday, March 17, 2026, for the following project:

FEDERAL PROJECT NUMBER: SP 024-070-034

STATE AID PROJECT NO: SAP 024-635-026

CONTRACT NUMBER: 263526

LOCATION: On CSAH 35 between CSAH 26 and the East County Line. Beginning of project located at a point 323' north of the southwest corner section 9, T104N, R20W, Freeborn County, MN.

TYPE OF WORK: Full Depth Reclamation, Bituminous Surface, 2' Bituminous Shoulders with Rumble StriPes.

The major items of work are approximately:

2215.504	FULL DEPTH RECLAMATION	S Y	146425
2232.504	MILL BITUMINOUS SURFACE (2.0")	S Y	146425
2360.509	TYPE SP 9.5 WEARING COURSE MIXTURE (2,C)	TON	19710
2360.509	TYPE SP 12.5 WEARING COURSE MIXTURE (2,C)	TON	29970
2582.503	6" SOLID LINE MULTI-COMPONENT	L F	105520

Proposals, Plans and Specifications are available at: Freeborn County Engineer's Office, 3300 Bridge Ave, Albert Lea, MN 56007. Cost \$35.00 (non-refundable incl. tax). Plans and Proposals may be downloaded for no charge from Freeborn County's web site. Go to <https://mn-co-freeborn.app.rtvision.com/oneoffice/> to request access.

Bids must be sealed, identified on the envelope and accompanied by a Bidder's Bond or Certified Check in an amount equal to at least 5% of the total bid made payable to the Auditor/Treasurer of Freeborn County.

Minimum wage rates to be paid by the Contractor and all Subcontractors have been predetermined and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, P.L. 87-581 and implementing regulations.

READ CAREFULLY THE WAGE SCALES AND DIVISION A OF THE SPECIAL PROVISIONS AS THEY AFFECT THESE PROJECTS

The Minnesota Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders: in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Act), as amended and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Subtitle A Part 21, Non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation, it will affirmatively assure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded maximum opportunity to participate and/or to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, disability, age, religion, sex or national origin in consideration for an award;

in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, and Title 23, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 230 Subpart A-Equal Employment Opportunity on Federal and Federal-Aid Construction Contracts (including supportive services), it will affirmatively assure increased participation of minority groups and disadvantaged persons and women in all phases of the highway construction industry, and that on any project constructed pursuant to this advertisement equal employment opportunity will be provided to all persons without regard to their race, color, disability, age, religion, sex or national origin;

in accordance with the Minnesota Human Rights Act, Minnesota Statute 363A.08 Unfair discriminatory Practices, it will affirmatively assure that on any project constructed pursuant to this advertisement equal employment opportunity will be offered to all persons without regard to race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, status with regard to public assistance, membership or activity in a local commission, disability, sexual orientation, or age;

in accordance with the Minnesota Human Rights Act, Minnesota Statute 363A.36 Certificates of Compliance for Public Contracts, and 363A.37 Rules for Certificates of Compliance, it will assure that appropriate parties to any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement possess valid Certificates of Compliance.

If you have employed more than 40 full-time employees in any state, on any single working day during the previous 12 months, you must have a compliance certificate issued by the Minnesota Department of Human Rights to bid on any job in this advertisement. Please contact the Department of Human Rights immediately if you need assistance in obtaining a certificate.

The following notice from the Minnesota Department of Human Rights applies to all contractors:

"It is hereby agreed between the parties that Minnesota Statute, section 363A.36 and Minnesota Rules, parts 5000.3400 to 5000.3600 are incorporated into any contract between these parties based on this specification or any modification of it. A copy of Minnesota Statute 363A.36 and Minnesota Rules, parts 5000.3400 to 5000.3600 is available upon request from the contracting agency."

"It is hereby agreed between the parties that this agency will require affirmative action requirements be met by contractors in relation to Minnesota Statute 363A.36 and Minnesota Rules 5000.3600. Failure by a contractor to implement an affirmative action plan or make a good faith effort shall result in revocation of its certificate or revocation of the contract (Minnesota Statute 363A.36, Subd. 2 and 3)."

A minimum goal of **DBEN** Good Faith Effort to be subcontracted to Disadvantaged Business Enterprises.

The Freeborn County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities therein.

Philip Wacholz P.E.
Freeborn County
County Engineer

Publish on Freeborn County Web site and MnDot eAdvert site starting: Saturday, January 24, 2026