



Minnesota Department of Transportation

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395 John Ireland Boulevard
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155-1899

September 1, 2004

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The Honorable Jim Knoblach, Chair
House Ways and Means Committee
453 State Office Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

The Honorable Steve Murphy, Chair
Senate Transportation Policy and Budget Division
306 Capitol
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

The Honorable Ron Erhardt, Chair
House Transportation Policy Committee
591 State Office Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

The Honorable William Kuisle, Chair
House Transportation Finance Committee
565 State Office Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

Minnesota Legislative Reference Library
645 State Office Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155-1050

RE: Yearly Listing of all Executed Design-Build Contracts

Dear Messrs. Knoblach, Erhardt, Murphy and Kuisle:

Minnesota Statutes 161.3428 requires the Commissioner of Transportation to submit to the Governor, chairs of the House of Representatives Ways and Means and Senate Finance Committees, the chairs of the House of Representatives and Senate committees with jurisdiction over transportation policy and finance, and the legislative reference library, a yearly listing of all executed design-build contracts. The report must identify the contractor, contract amount, duration, and services to be provided. The list and summary must be sorted by contractor, show the aggregate value of contracts, and state the termination date of each contract.

Since September 1, 2003, the Minnesota Department of Transportation executed only one design-build contract. The contract was awarded to Granite/McCrossan for \$135,629,716.10. The contract is for the design and construction of roadway and bridge improvements to I-494 between T.H. 5 and I-394 in Minnetonka and Eden Prairie. The final acceptance date for the contract is September 26, 2006.

If you have questions about this design-build project, please feel free to contact Joe Gladke, Mn/DOT Design-Build Program manager at 651-296-3283

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Carol Molnau'.

Carol Molnau
Lt. Governor/Commissioner