

**LEGALS**

Ramsey County Abstract Office to re-locate to the Memorial Building where North Central Planning once was located. All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Volk, seconded by Commissioner Wilhelm to approve the following Homestead Credits: ID#39-0301-00093-000 tax years 2023 & 2024 – ID#39-2001-00004-000 ID#39-0000-00775-000 ID#39-1806-00064-002 ID#39-1806-00109-000 all tax year 2024. All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Volk, seconded by Commissioner Hodous to approve the Auditor to sign and return the proxy to the ND Insurance Reserve Fund for their Annual Meeting on May 8, 2025. All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Hodous, seconded by Commissioner Wilhelm to approve the Resolution of Support for continued operation of state-run Devils Lake Outlets (both West & East). All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Volk, seconded by Commissioner Hodous to approve the Resolution in Support of aquatic Nuisance Species Awareness Week May 4-10, 2025. All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Volk, seconded by Commissioner Wilhelm to approve closing the courthouse the afternoon of May 2, 2025 for the installation of the emergency switch for the generator. All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Volk, seconded by Commissioner Hodous to approve the letter of transfer in the amount of \$189,347.39 from the Human Service Zone to the Indirect Zone due to miscommunication as to what line item the funds to be deposited into. All members voted "AYE". Motion carried.

Announcements – Planning & Zoning Meeting, April 23, 2025 from 4:30-6:30 at Lake Region State College

Chairman Gessner adjourned the meeting at 8:10 a.m.

Chairman

Ramsey County Commission ATTEST:

Ramsey County Auditor (6:12)

**The Classifieds Attract Buyers!**

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**INVITATION FOR CONSTRUCTION BIDS SPIRIT LAKE NATION** Owner

**C/O Spirit Lake Water Resource Management 109 Bell Isle Rd. PO BOX 187 ST. MICHAEL, ND 58370**

Address

The Spirit Lake Nation will receive separate sealed bids for the construction of **SLWRM Tokio Service Area Phase 1, Contract 7-24A** at the Spirit Lake Water Resource Management Office located in St. Michael, North Dakota until **11:00 A.M.**, Local Time on the **10th day of July, 2025** where and at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The scope of WORK includes furnishing and installing approximately 11.6 miles of 6" - 1½" ASTM D2241 PVC gasketed joint pipe and 1" HDPE pipe, approximately 10 services; road crossings; connections to existing pipelines and other related appurtenances. The project is located on the Spirit Lake Reservation in Benson County, ND.

A bid alternate will be considered for this project to install equivalent HDPE piping in lieu the 6" - 1½" ASTM D2241 PVC pipe.

All Bids must be made on the "Bid Form" included as part of these documents.

Each BID must be accompanied by a separate envelope containing a copy of a current and valid **North Dakota Contractor's License** (must have been issued at least 10 calendar days before the date of Bid opening) and a **BIDDER's Bond** equal to and **BIDDER's** full amount of the BID, executed by the BIDDER as Principal and by a SURETY, conditioned that if the Principal's BID is accepted and the CONTRACT awarded to the Principal, the Principal, within fifteen days after notice of award, shall execute a CONTRACT in accordance with terms of the BID and a CONTRACTOR's BOND as required by law and the regulations and determinations of the **Spirit Lake Nation**.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the Presidents Executive Order No. 11246, as amended. The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the contract documents.

In the evaluation of Bids, the Spirit Lake Nation will give preference in the amount of five percent (5%) above the lowest responsive bid to Certified Indian Contractors. The qualified Indian owned firms must register with the loc-

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al TERO office prior to bid opening.

**TERO FEE & WORK PERMIT NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given to any and all Contractors who bid on projects on trust land within the exterior boundaries of the Spirit Lake Reservation that you are responsible for a one time payment of the TERO fee which amounts to three percent (3%) of the total amount of the contract. Tribal Work Permit fees - Per individual must be paid as follows \$100.00 for 6 months; and \$200.00 for one year.

Arrangements for the payment of these fees are to be made, prior to beginning work, with the TERO Office, contact information in Drawings. Also, prior to beginning work on any contract or subcontract, the Contractor shall file a report with the TERO Office and Tribal Finance showing:

1. Date of contract and amount of contract
2. Location of land on which the contract will be performed
3. Names and addresses of all parties of the contract
4. When work is expected to begin and end

Any questions regarding the above should be directed to the TERO Office.

**LICENSE & TAX NOTICE**

Any and All Business Activities conducted within the Exterior Boundaries of the Spirit Lake Tribe, Spirit Lake Indian Reservation, Fort Totten, North Dakota.

**LICENSE REQUIREMENT**

All Vendors, Businesses, Contractors, and Sub-Contractors are required to be licensed PRIOR to the onset of any work or company related activity (i.e., conducted on the Spirit Lake Reservation). License requirement includes all business related activity pertaining to Tribal, Federal and State projects or business activity.

1. Business License requires completion of licensing application and may take up to 14 days for approval. Supporting documentation is required as a part of the license application, (i.e., bonding, insurance, contracts, business experience, certifications, etc) please contact the Tribal Tax Department for assistance.
2. Business License Fee: 1 year = \$500.00; 3 Month Seasonal = \$200.00; 4 day Temporary = \$50.00
3. There is a \$10.00 license decal fee assessed per truck or semi for all construction activities on the Spirit Lake Reservation. Decals must be placed on the hood above the driver's left front tire.
4. Checks payable to the Spirit Lake Tax Department

**MATERIALS TAX**

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1. There will be a 4% Tribal Material Tax on all materials incorporated in a project or products purchased for a project.
2. Material tax form to be completed and returned with supporting invoice/s and documentation which demonstrates project material listing or material used.
3. Make checks payable to Spirit Lake Tax Department.

**\*\* Notice is herein provided: NO BUSINESS ACTIVITY can be conducted on the Spirit Lake Reservation without a Business License.**

**\*\* Please contact the Spirit Lake Tribe Tax Department for assistance, contact information in Drawings.**

The Owner reserves the right to hold all bids for a period of 61 days after the date fixed for the opening thereof, and to reject any or all bids, and to award the Contract, if awarded, to the Contractor with the Bid that is determined to be in the best interest and most advantageous to the Owner.

**PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS** (Contract Documents) are on file at the offices of Spirit Lake Water Resource Management, St. Michael, North Dakota and Bartlett & West, Inc., Bismarck, North Dakota, where they may be seen and examined between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., local time, Monday through Friday. Address of Engineer's office is:

**BARTLETT & WEST, INC.**  
3456 East Century Avenue  
Bismarck, ND 58503  
Telephone (701) 258-1110

Digital copies of the **PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS** (Contract Documents) are available at [www.bartwest.com](http://www.bartwest.com) or [www.questcdn.com](http://www.questcdn.com). Bidding documents may be downloaded for \$50.00 by entering the Quest project number 9726974 on the project search page. There will be no refund for this deposit. Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952.233.1632 or [info@questcdn.com](mailto:info@questcdn.com) for assistance with membership registration or questions regarding downloading of the bid package.

Optional 11" x 17" paper copies of the Drawings and Specification Books may be obtained from Bartlett & West at the above address upon receipt of a non-refundable deposit of \$100.00 for each set of documents obtained; checks to be payable to Bartlett & West, Inc. No refunds will be made.

Dated this 5th day of June, 2025

/s/ Roger Yankton Jr.  
Director, Water Resource Division (6:12, 19, 26)

**Classifieds Get Results**

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# Golfers from North Star, New Rockford-Sheyenne, Nelson County, Devils Lake compete in state golf tournaments

By Mojo Hill, Journal Sports

Lake Region high schools were well-represented at the Class B boys' golf state tournament this past Tuesday and Wednesday at James-town Country Club. Over in the Class A tournament at Vardon Golf Club in Burlington, Braxton Boline represented Devils Lake in the first year of the rejuvenated Firebirds golf program.

In the Class B field, North Star placed sixth out of 21 schools. The Bearcats had a total score of 656 (+80) over the two days — 330 (+42) on Day 1 and 326 (+38) on Day 2. Their top performer was Myles Jorde, who placed 19th out of 161 total contestants. He shot 159 overall and 15 over



North Star boys' golf (Photo via North Star Schools on Facebook)

par, with +8 the first day and +7 the next day.

Tavin Knudson (163, +19) placed 32nd, Hunter Hagler (167, +23) placed 45th, Miles Weber (168, +24) came in 50th and Ian Westlind (171, +27) added a 59th-place finish in a strong team performance for North Star. Eighth-grader Ezra Hausmann was the 161st placer, with a score of 228

(+84) that was 11 strokes behind next-to-last place.

New Rockford-Sheyenne was 17th as a team. The Rockets had a score of 706, 130 over par, between the two days. They were +64 on the first day and +66 on the second.

Jackson Schumacher was the top performer for NR-S, coming in 24th with a score of 160 (+16).

Kage Walford (177, +33) came in 83rd. Jax Demester, Shaun Reimche, Bennett Meier and Kason Nass all added places in the 100s.

Nelson County also had two golfers in the tournament. Rider Schmidt tied for 32nd out of the field of 161. He shot 77 (+5) on the first day and finished with a total score of 163 (+19). Jaxson Joramo was the other Charger to compete, finishing 154th.

In the Class A tournament, Boline was the lone representative of Devils Lake. He qualified during the EDC meet. Devils Lake didn't have a place

out of the 12 teams with scores, but Boline came in 79th out of the 101 golfers who competed. He shot 171 (+27) overall — 88 (+16) on Day 1 and 83 (+11) on Day 2.

Boline and Ava Beck made the boys' and girls' state tournaments, respectively, in the first year of the Devils Lake golf program's return.

Oak Grove won the Class B tournament, while Minot North was the A champion. Individual champions were Edgeley/Kulm's Joseph Kramlich on the B side and Bismarck Century's Parker Beck for the A.

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