

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

DAKOTA COUNTY

Trash Compactors and Storage Facilities

Notice is hereby given that Dakota County will receive single prime sealed bids for the “Compactors and Storage Facilities” project until **2:00 p.m.** local time on **Thursday, February 26, 2026** at the office of Facilities Management (Suite #2500), Administration Center, 1590 Highway 55, Hastings, MN, 55033, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

There will not be a pre-bid meeting.

Bidding documents including the bid form, drawings and specifications can be obtained from Franz Reprographics and will be available on or after February 5, 2026. You may view and order bid documents by going to the Franz Reprographics web site at www.franzrepro.com, and selecting the Franz Public Plan Room. Please login with your email address and password, or Register if this is your first time in the Plan Room. Select the project from the list of public projects. Once you have selected the project, please review the Bid Details for information on ordering documents. To contact Franz Reprographics by phone 763-503-3401.

Prevailing wages are required on this project.

Bids must be submitted only on the bid form supplied in this RFB document. No oral, telegraphic or telephonic bids or modifications will be considered. Submit with each bid a certified check or acceptable bidder’s bond payable to Dakota County in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total base bid. The successful bidder is required to furnish satisfactory Labor and Material Payment Bond and Performance Bond equal to 100% of the total contract amount.

Bids may not be withdrawn within sixty (60) days after the opening bids. It is anticipated that the Dakota County Board of Commissioners will consider award of the project on March 24, 2026 at its regular meeting, and reserves the right to accept any bid or to reject any or all bids, or parts of such bids, and waive informalities or irregularities in bidding. The estimated construction cost is \$280,000.

Owner’s representative is Joe Lexa, Project Manager, Capital Projects Management.

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The Owner requires Substantial Completion of the project by November 15, 2026.

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