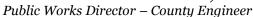
# Jess L. Greenwood, P.E.





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TO: Honorable County Commissioners

Scott Arneson, County Administrator

FROM: Jess L. Greenwood, Public Works Director

RE: 17 June 2025 County Board Meeting - CONSENT AGENDA

Award Kenyon Township Box Culvert Contract - S.A.P. 025-599-137

Date: 11 June 2025

#### Summary

It is requested that the County Board award the Kenyon Township Box Culvert contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

# **Background**

Bids for the contract were opened on June 10, 2025. The contract consists of the installation of one box culvert:

Replace R0901 in Kenyon Township with 25K13

Seven bids were received. The lowest bid was from Fitzgerald Excavating & Trucking at \$185,592.00, which is 35.84% under the engineer's estimate. Many bid items, including major items of work such as the box culverts, came in under what was estimated, indicating a decrease in costs potentially due to increased supply and/or lower demand.

#### Alternatives

- Award the work to the lowest responsible bidder.
- > Award to another bidder.
- Reject all bids.

### Recommendations

It is the recommendation of staff to award the construction contract for the Kenyon Township Box Culvert to Fitzgerald Excavating & Trucking from Goodhue, MN with the lowest responsible bid of \$185,592.00; additionally, staff is requesting change order authority in an amount not to exceed available funding.

# **Abstract of Bids**

Company	Bid Amount	%over/unde	<u>er estimate</u>
Fitzgerald Excavating & Trucking	\$185,592.00	35.84%	UNDER
Schumacher Excavating, Inc.	\$229,071.43	20.81%	UNDER
Alcon Excavating Inc.	\$230,572.15	20.29%	UNDER
Minnowa Construction, Inc.	\$241,215.80	16.61%	UNDER
Midwest Contracting, LLC	\$248,301.25	14.17%	UNDER
ICON, LLC	\$264,383.85	18.66%	UNDER
A-1 Excavating, LLC	\$358,918.00	24.07%	OVER

<sup>&</sup>quot;To effectively promote the safety, health, and well-being of our residents"

# BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS GOODHUE COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Date: 17 June	2025		
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Flanders Anderson Majerus Betcher Greseth	Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes	No No No No No	I, Scott Arneson, duly appointed, qualified and County Administrator of the County of Goodhue, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution with the original minutes of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, Goodhue County, Minnesota at their session held on the 17 <sup>th</sup> day of June 2025, now on file in my office, and have found the same to be a true and correct copy thereof.
			Witness my hand and official seal at Red Wing, Minnesota, this 17 <sup>th</sup> day of June 2025.  Scott Arneson
			County Administrator