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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill authorizes Anoka County to use design-build contracting on a pilot project, specifies various requirements for the contract solicitation and award, and requires a legislative report.

Section

- 1 Anoka county design-build pilot project.** Creates and specifies various aspects of a joint Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT)/Anoka County pilot project for reconstruction of the intersection at Trunk Highway 10 and Anoka County State-Aid Highway 83, including the process for design-build firm selection.

Subd. 1. Definitions. Defines terms.

Subd. 2. Pilot project established. Authorizes MnDOT and Anoka county to have a pilot project for the use of the design-build contracting method for highway construction work.

Subd. 3. Information session for county engineer. Requires that the Anoka county engineer must attend an information session to be provided by MnDOT on the design-build process.

Subd. 4. Licensing requirements. Establishes minimum qualifications for design-build contractors, including having a licensed designer associated with the firm.

Subd. 5. Design-build RFQ and RFP. Outlines the required process for creating a technical review committee and soliciting proposals from contractors through a request for qualifications and a request for proposals.

Subd. 6. Information session for prospective design-build firms. Requires that firms seeking the contract for the design-build pilot project must attend an

information session with MnDOT on the design-build process.

Subd. 7. Design-build award; computation; announcement. Establishes procedures for scoring of proposals, announcement of scores, and award of a design-build contract. Outlines the method of calculation of scores using price and technical score, with an optional time value factor.

Subd. 8. Legislative report. Mandates a report to the legislature, by December 15, 2011, on the pilot project. The report must include information on the selected design-build projects, an evaluation of the performance-based measurement process, and any recommendations for future legislation.