



*Resolution*  
*of the*  
**Board of County Commissioners**  
*St. Louis County, Minnesota*  
*Adopted on: September 8, 2015 Resolution No. 15-551*  
*Offered by Commissioner: Dahlberg*

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**Award of Bid: Grader Blades, Cutting Edges, Pick Blades and Bits**

WHEREAS, The Public Works Department's 2015 budget includes replacement of grader blades, cutting edges, plow shoes, pick blades, bits, and carbide blades; and

WHEREAS, The Purchasing Division issued a Request for Bids for this purchase; and

WHEREAS, H & L Mesabi of Hibbing, MN, submitted the low bid meeting specifications for Category 1 and Category 2 (grader blades, wing blades, one way blades and snow plow and wing shoes) in the amount of \$140,217.23; and

WHEREAS, Winter Equipment of Willoughby, OH, submitted the low bid meeting specifications for Category 3 (pick blades and pick bits) in the amount of \$35,070.28; and

WHEREAS, Valk Manufacturing, New Kingstown, PA, submitted the low bid meeting specifications for Category 4 (carbide insert cutting edges) in the amount of \$26,655.96; and

WHEREAS, Complete bids were not received for Category 5 items (JOMA blades), therefore, the Minnesota State Contract will be used in the estimated amount of \$50,000;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the St. Louis County Board authorizes the following purchases:

Categories 1 and 2 (grader blades, wing blades, one way blades, plow shoes and wing shoes) from H & L Mesabi of Hibbing, MN, in the amount of \$140,217.23;

Category 3 (pick blades and pick bits) from Winter Equipment of Willoughby, OH, in the amount of \$35,070.28;

Category 4 (carbide insert cutting edges) from Valk Manufacturing of New Kingstown, PA, in the amount of \$26,655.96;

Category 5 (JOMA blades) from the Minnesota State Contract for an estimated amount of \$50,000.

The total purchase of \$251,943.47 is payable from Fund 200, Agency 207001, Object 657000.

Commissioner Dahlberg moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:  
Yeas – Commissioners Jewell, Boyle, Dahlberg, Rukavina, Nelson, Raukar and Chair Stauber – 7  
Nays – None

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
Office of County Auditor, ss.  
County of St. Louis

I, DONALD DICKLICH, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, A.D. 2015, and that this is a true and correct copy.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, A.D., 2015.

DONALD DICKLICH, COUNTY AUDITOR

By

Clerk of the County Board/Deputy Auditor

## BID TABULATION

### Grader Blades, Cutting Edges, Pick Blades and Bits

**Bid No. 5240**

**Opening: Wednesday, June 8, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.**

Name / City State	Bid Deposit		Non-Collusion	Addenda - 0	Lump Sum Category 1 (Item 1)	Lump Sum Category 2 (Items 2-5)	Lump Sum Category 3 (Items 6-11)	Lump Sum Category 4 (Items 12-13)	Lump Sum Category 5 (Items 14-16)
	Bid Bond	Check Number							
Valk, New Kingstown, PA	X		X		\$53,935.78	\$63,909.00 (items 2&3 only)	No Bid	\$26,655.96	No Bid
H & L Mesabi, Hibbing, MN	X	239704	X		\$51,183.60	\$89,033.63	\$38,207.70	\$34,582.14	\$46,398.00
Winter, Willoughby, OH	X	281700800	X		No Bid	No Bid	\$35,070.28	\$37,359.60	\$1,927.44 (item 16 only)
Ironhawk, Euclid, OH	X	1923829	X		No Bid	No Bid	\$41,280.74	\$31,893.18	\$35,312.94
									Awarded to KRIS Eng off State Contract

Bids Opened By: Rosie Hagberg/s/

In Presence Of: Life Verlooy/s/