



Data Privacy Notice (Tennessee Warning)

In submitting this vendor form to the Minnesota Department of Transportation, you are being asked to provide your federal tax identification number, which may be your Social Security number if you are a sole proprietor. Your Social Security number, in whole or in part, is private data under Minnesota Statutes, section 13.355. Before you give MnDOT permission to collect and/or release private data about you, please review the information listed on this data privacy notice (also called a Tennessee Warning).

Under Minnesota Statutes, section 16C.285, subdivisions 2 and 3, a subcontractor or motor carrier on a MnDOT construction contract must meet minimum criteria to be eligible to be awarded a subcontract regardless of the value of the subcontract. The minimum criteria includes having a valid federal tax identification number or a valid Social Security number if an individual. While you may legally refuse to supply Social Security number data, MnDOT employees need one of the two kinds of federal tax identification number in order to verify your status as a responsible contractor and process your vendor form. Your Social Security information may also be accessible to anyone you specifically authorize, pursuant to courts order, and by any other person or entity authorized by state or federal law (e.g., Attorney General's Office, Legislative Auditor's Office, and law enforcement agencies).