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State of Minnesota, SS County of Anoka,

## Notice to Ditch Contractors

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Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the Brd day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the office of the county auditor in the court house in the City of Anoka, Anoka County, Minnesota, the Board of County Commissioners will sel. at public auction the job of digging and constructing repairs of the main ditch and branches of that system of drainage ditches designated and known as County Ditch No. 41 of said Anoka County, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Anoka County by their order bearing date the 10th day of August. 1917, and bids also are invited for the work as one job, also for one or more linear sections thereof, each of which sections is 100 feet long, and to be known and numbered by the stakes as shown by the report of the engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the source of each of the said main ditch and branches thereof and from thence successively down stream to the one including the outlet of said main ditch and branches thereof.

Said work must be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified in said engineer's report, and no bid will be entertained which exceeds 30 per cent over and above the estimated cost as stated in said engineer's report.

The successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond in the penal sum of not less than the contract price with not less than two freehold sureties, payable to the County of Anoka, State of Minnesota, for the use of said county and also for the use of all persons who may show themselves to be aggrieved or injured by any breach thereof or of the contract for which said bond is given; said bond shall be subject to the approval of the county auditor and conditioned that the contract and pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the work in the manner and within the time required in his contract therefor, and otherwise conditioned as provided by law.

The estimated amount of work to be done and

wise conditioned as provided by law.

The said order and engineer's report, estimates and profiles are on file and may be seen at the county anditor's office in the court house in the City of Anoka.

The estimated amount of work to be done and the estimated cost thereof is as follows:

Main Ditch—length 431 stations. 320 stations suitable for dry land dredge. One mile new work, balance clean out work. 8 ft. to 10 ft. bottom, 4 to 10 ft. cut, 1:1 slope. 47,964 cu. yds., est. at \$592.45. 111 stations handwork, 4267 cu. yds., est. at \$502. Cleaning estimated at \$51.00. Total estimate of Main Ditch \$10,396.85.

Branches 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 3, length 381 stations, 21 sta. of Branch 3, suitable for dry land machine, 6 ft. bottom, average cut 4 ft., 1987 cu. yds. est. at \$387.40; 360 sta. handwork, 2 ft. and 3 ft. bottom, average cut 3 ft., one mile new work, 14,398 cu. yds. est. at \$2693.15. clearing and culverts \$127.00. Total estimate of branches \$3207.-55.

The sale of jobs shall be public and all sales or bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the county auditor of said county for not less than ten per cent of the amount of bid. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Dated at Anoka, Minnesota, this 1st day of September. 1917.

ARTHUR A. CASWELL, County Auditor.

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ARTHUR A. CASWELL,
County Auditor,
by CARRIE STARRETT PIPER,
Deputy, Sept. 4-11-18

Printer's Fees \$\_\_\_\_\_

R.P. CHASE being duly sworn, on oath says: That he knows o
his own knowledge that the annexed printed Hole - To
Ditch Contractor # 41
hereto attached, was taken from the columns of the newspape
known as THE ANOKA HERALD, and was published in said news
paper for successive weeks, first on Tuesday, the
day of left, 1917, and thereafte
on each successive Tuesday until and including Tuesday, the
/8 day of Jep/ , 1912. That during the
whole time of said publication affiant was the secretary of the An
oka Herald Publishing Company, which was during said time, and
still is, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, and
the proprietor, printer and publisher of said newspaper. That fo
more than one year prior to the commencement of said publication
therein, said newspaper has been, and still is, a weekly newspaper
issued, priated and published on Tuesday of each week, in the Eng
lish language, in column and sheet form, equivalent in space to
more than four pages with five columns of at least seventeen and
three-quarters inches length to each page, from a known office, es
tablished in such place of publication, equipped with skilled work
men and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same
and located and printed in the City of Anoka, County of Anoka and
State of Minnesota, from whence it purported to be, was and is, is
sued; and that during all said time it contained, and still contains
general and local news, comment and miscellany, not wholly dupli
cating any other publication, and not entirely made up of patents
plate matter and advertisements, and that during all said time it ha
been, and still is, circulated in and near its place of issue and publi
cation to the extent of more than two hundred and forty copies
regularly delivered to paying subscribers. That on the Ninth day o
August, 1911, the affidavit of R. P. Chase, Secretary of said corpor
ation, publisher of said newspaper, was filed in the office of the
County Auditor of said Anoka County, for the purpose of complying
with Section 5516 of the Revised Laws, 1905.
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Notary Public, Anoka County, Minnesota. Judilo My-Commission expires