

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO SOLICIT CONSTRUCTION BIDS

## BLUE LINE LAKE ST/MIDTOWN STATION RENOVATION

The Metropolitan Council intends to solicit sealed bids for the construction of the Metro Transit Blue Line Lake Street/Midtown Station renovation project located at 2310 East Lake Street in Minneapolis, Minnesota. The station serves METRO Blue Line Light Rail Transit on an aerial platform.

The Invitation for Bids is anticipated to be issued in April 2026 for a Spring 2027 construction start. Please check the Council's Contracting Opportunities Page at [metro council.org/About-Us/What-We-Do/DoingBusiness/Contracting-Opportunities.aspx](https://metro council.org/About-Us/What-We-Do/DoingBusiness/Contracting-Opportunities.aspx) for updated information and to sign up for email alerts.

This federally funded project is a major renovation of the Blue Line aerial station, and the scope includes:

- Removing the existing partial canopy and attached overhead catenary system, platform shelters, elevators, escalators, and stair enclosures;
- Reconstructing a new canopy, reinstalling the overhead catenary system, platform amenities, new elevators, and new, widened outdoor staircases; and
- Construction of a new exterior pedestrian ramp and interior operational facility; and
- All associated civil, landscape, structural, mechanical, electrical, systems, temporary traffic work, associated testing, and certification to support the project.

Questions may be directed to:

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