DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Minnesota OSHA fatality investigation summary (updated April 21, 2026)

Federal-fiscal-year 2023 (Oct. 1, 2022, through Sept. 30, 2023)

Fatality inspection number Date of incident Worksite city or town	Type of business NAICS code Total employees (national)	Description of event	Outcome of MNOSHA investigation
318185378 10/3/22 Marshall	Grain and Field Bean Merchant Wholesalers 424510 9,000	Employee was struck by a fertilizer spreader.	Citations issued
318186871 11/15/22 Rochester	Religious Organizations 813110 30	Employee was found deceased in a shed.	Citations issued
318187333 12/1/22 Delano	Wood Kitchen Cabinet and Countertop Manufacturing 337110 1	An employee was found unresponsive on the floor.	No citations issued
318187911 12/25/22 Owatonna	Farm Supplies Merchant Wholesalers 424910 298	Employee fell from the roof.	No citations issued
318188018 12/24/22 Edina	Janitorial Services 561720 50	Employee fell in the parking lot.	Citation issued

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318188299 1/3/23 Mapleton	Other Animal Food Manufacturing 311119 46	Employee fell from a fixed ladder of a truck.	Citations issued
318188992 1/20/23 Hillman	Logging 113310 3	Employee was struck by a log.	Citations issued
318189859 318189842 2/21/23 Edina	Drywall and Insulation Contractors 238310 180 New Multifamily Housing Construction (except Operative Builders) 236116 8	Employee fell through an open stairwell.	Citation issued for 318189859; no citation was issued for the other employer
318190691 3/11/23 Bemidji	Other General Government Support 921190 5,000	Employee slipped on ice.	Citation issued
318191111 3/23/23 Millville	Site Preparation Contractors 238910 2	Employee was struck by a road grader.	Citations issued

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318192614 4/25/23 Rice	Roofing Contractors 238160 3	Employee fell from the roof.	Citations issued
318193752 5/22/23 Maplewood	Other Social Advocacy Organizations 813319 34	Employee rolled over an ATV.	Citations issued
318194362 6/5/23 Elk River	Landscaping Services 561730 50	Employee found unresponsive in company vehicle.	No citations issued
318194792 6/21/23 Lakeville	Electrical Contractors ans Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 3	Employee was electrocuted.	Citations issued
318195211 318195195 318195203 6/15/23 Minneapolis	Painting and Wall Covering Contractors 238320 8 Residential Remodelers 236118 8 Painting and Wall Covering Contractors 238320 8	An employee caught fire while spraying primer.	Citations issued for all three employers

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318195278 6/29/23 Brooklyn Park	New Car Dealers 441110 25	An employee was found unresponsive.	No citations issued
318195336 318195344 7/6/23 Andover	Residential Remodelers 236118 8 Roofing Contractors 238160 12	Employee fell from roof/ladder.	Citations issued for both employers
318195542 7/6/23 Dover	Site Preparation Contractors 238910 1	Employee was struck by a tree.	No inspection; no employer/employee relationship
318196144 7/20/23 Hastings	Environment, Conservation, and Wildlife Organizations 813312 94	An employee was found deceased in their tent.	No citations issued
318196268 7/20/23 Park Rapids	Landscaping Services 561730 5	Employee fell from a trailer.	Citation issued
318197035 8/1/23 Champlin	Roofing Contractors 238160 5	Employee fell from the roof.	Citations issued

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318197134 8/10/23 New Richland	Other Animal Food Manufacturing 311119 100,000	Employee was found slumped over the driver's seat of a forklift.	Citation issued
318197811 8/24/23 Isle	Ready-Mix Concrete Manufacturing 327320	Employee was crushed by a hopper.	No inspection due to being out of MNOSHA jurisdiction
318198157 8/29/23 Sleepy Eye	Farm and Garden Machinery and Equipment Merchant Wholesalers 423820 110	Employee was struck in the head by a part tractor.	Citations issued
8/30/23 Plymouth	Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction 237310 300 Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction 237310 215 Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction 237310 1	Employee was struck by a dump truck.	Case open

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318199767 318198793 318198785 9/13/2023 Becker	Roofing Contractors 238160 7 Roofing Contractors 238160 1 Roofing Contractors 238160 12	Employee fell from a roof.	Citations issued for 318199767; no citations for 318198793 or 318198785