

Minnesota OSHA Fatality Investigation Summary (updated April 9, 2025)

FFY 2024 (Oct. 1, 2023 – Sept. 30, 2024)

Fatality insp. # Date of incident Work site city/town	Type of business NAICS Total employees (national)	Description of event	Outcome of MNOSHA investigation
10/5/23 Montgomery	Fruit and Vegetable Canning 311421 3,000	Employee was crushed by a stack of totes.	Case Open
318199569 10/2/23 Oakdale	Commercial Printing 323111 600	Employee collapsed at work.	No Inspection- not work-related
318199890 10/9/23 Hallock	Sugar Beet Farming 111991 12	Employee was run over by a passing vehicle.	No Inspection- Farm appropriations rider
12/7/23 Mankato	Roofing Contractors 238160 35	Employee contacted powerlines.	Case Open

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12/6/23 Little Falls	Other Miscellaneous Durable Goods Merchant Wholesalers 423990 6	Employee was pulled into a log elevator.	Case Open
318201571 12/13/23 St Paul	General Medical and Surgical Hospitals 622110 999	Employee diagnosed with COVID-19.	No citations issued
318201829 12/19/23 Crookston	Executive Offices 921110 361	Employee was found collapsed on the floor.	No citations issued
318201712 9/27/23 Fulda	Soybean Farming 111110 11	Employee contacted an energized piece of farm equipment.	Citations Issued

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318201902 318202009 1/4/24 North Mankato	Commercial and Institutional Building Construction 236220 30 Other Foundation, Structure, and Building Exterior Contractors 238190 8,000	Employee fell from the roof.	Citations issued for 318201902; no citations for 318202009
318201910 12/8/23 Minneapolis	Supermarket and Other Grocery (except Convenience) Stores 445110 4	Employee was attacked by another person.	Citation Issued
318202041 1/9/24 Waseca	Other General Government Support 921190 130	Employee was found pulled into the rear auger of a salt/sand truck.	Citations Issued

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318202157 1/12/24 Isle	All Other Amusement and Recreation Industries 713990 1	Employee drowned as their SUV broke through the ice.	No Citations Issued
318202207 1/16/24 Brooklyn Park	Plumbing, Heating, and Air- Conditioning Contractors 238220 400	Employee was found deceased in an attic.	No Citations Issued
318202900 1/6/24 Owatonna	Roofing Contractors 238160 3	Employee fell from a roof.	Citations Issued
318203023 1/15/24 Bloomington	Financial Transactions Processing, Reserve, and Clearinghouse Activities 522320 60	Employee fell backwards.	Citations Issued
3/7/24 Virginia	General Freight Trucking, Long-Distance, Truckload 484121 1,000	Employee was found inside a tanker.	Case Open

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318204591 4/1/24 Rochester	Hotels (except Casino Hotels) and Motels 721110 25	Employee was found deceased in the maintenance closet.	Citations Issued
318205853 4/29/24 Dodge Center	Truck Trailer Manufacturing 336212 240	Employee was struck by a metal drum.	No Citations Issued
5/21/24 Apple Valley	All Other Support Services 561990 16	Employee drowned.	Case Open
5/30/24 Duluth	Roofing Contractors 238160 7	Employee was electrocuted.	Case Open
318206984 6/5/24 St Cloud	Landscaping Services 561730 3	Employee was found unresponsive while felling a tree.	Citation Issued
318207586 6/24/24 Holdingford	Residential Remodelers 236118 1	Employee fell from a ladder.	No Citations Issued

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6/25/24 Minneapolis	Roofing Contractors 238160 5	Employee fell from a roof.	Case Open
318208428 7/23/24 Waite Park	Overhead Travelling Crane, Hoist, and Monorail System Manufacturing 333923 72	An employee was crushed by a large box.	Citations Issued
318208956 8/1/24 Preston	Farm Supplies Merchant Wholesalers 424910 15	Employee collapsed at the work site.	Citation Issued
6/26/24 Le Center	Roofing Contractors 238160 15	Employee fell from a roof.	Case Open
318209954 7/30/24 Grand Rapids	General Line Grocery Merchant Wholesalers 424410 56	Employee fell and hit their head a metal ramp.	No citations issued

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318209897 8/21/24 Red Wing	Golf Courses and Country Clubs 713910 55	Employee fell from a golf cart.	Citations Issued
8/5/24 Maplewood	Other General Government Support 921190 3,723	Employee fell from a stage.	Case Open
318210424 9/6/24 Caledonia	Dairy Cattle and Milk Production 112120 15	Employee was found in a silage bunker.	Citations Issued
318210739 9/13/24 Faribault	Water and Sewer Line Related Structures Construction 237110 75	Employee was overcome while working in a manhole.	Citation Issued

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