

Minnesota OSHA Fatality Investigation Summary (updated January 5, 2024) FFY 2023 (Oct. 1, 2022 – Sept. 30, 2023)

Fatality insp. # Date of incident Work site city/town	Type of business NAICS 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

Inspection data, including citations, can be viewed at osha.gov/data.

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318188018 12/24/22 Edina	Janitorial Services 561720 50	Employee fell in the parking lot.	Citation Issued
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 issue for 318189859. No citation was issued for the other employer.

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3/11/23 Bemidji	Other General Government Support 921190 5,000	Employee slipped on ice.	Case Open
3/23/23 Millville	Site Preparation Contractors 238910 2	Employee was struck by a road grader.	Case Open
4/25/23 Rice	Roofing Contractors 238160 3	Employee fell from the roof.	Case Open
5/22/23 Maplewood	Other Social Advocacy Organizations 813319 34	Employee rolled over an ATV.	Case Open
318194362 6/5/23 Elk River	Landscaping Services 561730 50	Employee found unresponsive in company vehicle.	No citations issued

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6/21/23 Lakeville	Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 3	Employee was electrocuted.	Case Open
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.	Case Open
318195278 6/29/23 Brooklyn Park	New Car Dealers 441110 25	An employee was found unresponsive.	No citations issued

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7/6/23 Andover	Residential Remodelers 236118 8 Roofing Contractors 238160 12	Employee fell from roof/ladder.	Case Open
318195542 7/6/23 Dover	Site Preparation Contractors 238910 1	Employee was struck by a tree.	No Inspection; no employer/employee relationship
7/20/23 Hastings	Environment, Conservation, and Wildlife Organizations 813312 94	An employee was found deceased in their tent.	Case Open
7/20/23 Park Rapids	Landscaping Services 561730 5	Employee fell from a trailer.	Case Open
8/1/23 Champlin	Roofing Contractors 238160 5	Employee fell from the roof.	Case Open

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8/10/23 New Richland	Other Animal Food Manufacturing 311119 100,000	Employee was found slumped over the driver's seat of a forklift.	Case Open
318197811 8/24/23 Isle	Ready-Mix Concrete Manufacturing 327320	Employee was crushed by a hopper.	No inspection due to out of MNOSHA jurisdiction
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.	Case Open
8/30/23 Plymouth	Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction 237310 300 Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction 237310 215	Employee was struck by a dump truck.	Case Open

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9/13/2023 Becker	Roofing Contractors 238160 1 Roofing Contractors 238160 12	Employee fell from a roof.	Case Open