MnDOT colleagues:

Effective Tuesday, May 24, **Minnesota Management and Budget has rescinded the COVID-19 Proof of Vaccination and Testing Policy (HR/LR #1446)**, effectively rescinding <u>MnDOT's policy</u> as well. Employees will no longer be required to provide proof of vaccination or undergo mandatory COVID-19 testing.

MnDOT employees will also no longer need to seek pre-approval or clearance for attending or hosting in-person meetings. The agency is rescinding the In-Person Meeting Protocol components of our <u>COVID Safety Plan</u>, also effective Tuesday, May 24.

Importantly, the <u>COVID-19 Employee Status and Health Screening</u> **remains in effect**, and employees should continue to complete that form either online or by phone. This allows us to continue to safeguard the workplace. You should self-monitor for signs and symptoms of COVID-19, stay home if sick or experiencing symptoms, and report to your supervisor if you are sick or experiencing symptoms.

Finally, these policy updates do not change anything regarding your working location as a MnDOT employee.

- If you are reporting on-site for all or a portion of your work, you should continue to do so.
- If you are teleworking for all or a portion of you work, you should continue to do so.

With our partners at MMB and across the State of Minnesota enterprise, we will continue to monitor changes in the pandemic and provide you with regular updates if any additional policies or procedures change in the months ahead.

As always, we are grateful for your flexibility as we navigate the changes of the COVID-19 pandemic. Thank you for your service and commitment!

Take care,

Nancy Daubenberger, P.E. (She/her) Interim Commissioner

