



## 2024 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 4

Introduced by: **Senator Rohl**

1 **An Act to revise provisions regarding township contracts for snow removal.**

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

3 **Section 1. That § 31-13-27 be AMENDED:**

4 **31-13-27.** ~~Contracts pursuant to~~ If the projected total cost of a contract for winter  
 5 road maintenance under § 31-13-26 ~~are authorized without advertising for bids if the total~~  
 6 ~~cost in a winter's season will not exceed thirty five hundred dollars. If the cost will be is~~  
 7 ~~less than thirty five hundred~~ ten thousand ~~dollars, the township supervisors may make~~  
 8 ~~contracts with any person, firm, or corporation, including any county, for the removal of~~  
 9 ~~snow on its roads, or repair of such roads damaged from or caused by melting snow,~~  
 10 ~~either at an hourly or day rate~~ are not required to advertise for bids for the contract.

11 ~~If it is anticipated~~ the township supervisors anticipate ~~that the cost in any one snow~~  
 12 removal or road repair costs during the winter season ~~would exceed that sum~~ ten thousand  
 13 dollars, ~~the snow removal or road repair shall be done by bids as provided by law~~ township  
 14 shall advertise for bids. ~~In case of such road damage, the work may be undertaken on~~  
 15 ~~bids as above specified~~ township may advertise for bids, or upon an contract as specified  
 16 in this section either at an hourly or day rate ~~for such work.~~