



## Pipestone Hay and Straw Auction - Pipestone, MN

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### Hay Auction Weighted Average Report for 1/31/2023 - Final

#### Hay Auction

|               | This Week | Last Reported<br>(1/24/2023) | Last Year |
|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-----------|
| <b>Tons:</b>  |           |                              |           |
| Hay           | 320       | 319                          | 380       |
| Total         | 320       | 319                          | 380       |
| <b>Bales:</b> |           |                              |           |
| Hay           | 130       | 125                          | 277       |
| Straw         | 263       | 126                          | 340       |
| Total         | 393       | 251                          | 617       |

#### Hay (Conventional)

##### Alfalfa - Premium (Per Bale)

|              | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|--------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Small Square | 130        | 6.60               | 6.60             |                    |                 |

##### Alfalfa - Good (Per Ton)

|                  | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Square 3x4 | 9          | 205.00             | 205.00           |                    |                 |
| Large Round      | 20         | 200.00-210.00      | 205.50           |                    |                 |

##### Alfalfa - Fair (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 54         | 180.00-195.00      | 183.96           |                    |                 |

##### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Fair (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 22         | 180.00-185.00      | 181.90           |                    |                 |



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### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Utility (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 10         | 130.00             | 130.00           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Premium (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 45         | 180.00-195.00      | 187.44           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Good (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 105        | 165.00-180.00      | 173.69           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Fair (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 37         | 140.00-165.00      | 150.83           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Utility (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 20         | 75.00-135.00       | 106.75           |                    |                 |

### Straw (Conventional)

#### Corn Stalk - (Per Bale)

|       | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Round | 31         | 35.00-43.00        | 39.87            |                    |                 |

#### Rye - (Per Bale)

|              | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|--------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Small Square | 112        | 5.10-5.20          | 5.13             |                    |                 |

#### Wheat - (Per Bale)



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|              | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|--------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Small Square | 120        | 5.10               | 5.10             |                    |                 |

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Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

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