Subd. 2. ESTABLISHMENT AND ADMINISTRATION. A transitional housing program is established to be administered by the commissioner. The commissioner may make grants to eligible recipients or enter into agreements with community action agencies or other public or private nonprofit agencies to make grants to eligible recipients to initiate, maintain, or expand programs to provide transitional housing and support services for persons in need of transitional housing, which may include up to six months of follow-up support services for persons who complete transitional housing as they stabilize in permanent housing. The commissioner shall ensure that money appropriated to implement this section is distributed as soon as practicable. The commissioner may make grants directly to eligible recipients.

Presented to the governor March 21, 1995

Signed by the governor March 22, 1995, 11:20 a.m.

CHAPTER 15-H.F.No. 362

An act relating to local government; towns; authorizing the town board to set up a petty cash fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 366.01, by adding a subdivision.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 366.01, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 12. IMPREST FUND. The town board may establish an imprest fund for the payment in cash of any proper claim against the town which it is impractical to pay in any other manner, except that no claim for salary or personal expenses of an officer or employee shall be paid from the fund. The town board shall appoint a custodian of the fund who shall be responsible for its safe-keeping and disbursement according to law. Money for the operation of the fund shall be secured by a transfer from the general fund. A claim itemizing all the various demands for which disbursements have been made from the fund shall be presented to the town board at the next town board meeting after the disbursements have been made. The town board shall act upon it as in the case of other claims and an order shall be issued to the custodian for the amount allowed. The custodian shall use the proceeds of the order to replenish the fund; and if the town board fails to approve the claim in full for any sufficient reason, the custodian shall be personally responsible for the difference.

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