

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to transportation; appropriating money for feasibility study of marked
1.3 Interstate Highway 35W corridor transit way.

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

1.5 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION.**

1.6 \$500,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Metropolitan Council for
1.7 fiscal year 2007 for a feasibility study, environmental studies, and preliminary engineering
1.8 of rail transit way options including, but not limited to, commuter rail and light rail, along
1.9 a corridor on or near marked Interstate Highway 35W. This is a onetime appropriation.
1.10 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.28, this appropriation is available until
1.11 June 30, 2009.

1.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2007.