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State of Minnesota  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION

H. F. No. 3323

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to education finance; increasing funding for education partnership pilot  
1.3 grants; appropriating money; amending Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter  
1.4 3, article 2, section 70, subdivision 26.

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

1.6 Section 1. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 3, article 2, section 70, subdivision  
1.7 26, is amended to read:

1.8 Subd. 26. **Education partnership pilots.** For education partnership pilot grants:

1.9		<del>501,000</del>		
1.10	\$	<u>668,000</u>	.....	2016
1.11		<del>501,000</del>		
1.12	\$	<u>668,000</u>	.....	2017

1.13 Of this amount, \$167,000 in each year is for the Northfield Healthy Community  
1.14 Initiative for a pilot site in Northfield; \$167,000 in each year is for the Jones Family  
1.15 Foundation for a pilot site in Red Wing; \$167,000 in each year is for Independent School  
1.16 District No. 535, Rochestor, for a pilot site in Rochestor; and \$167,000 in each year is  
1.17 for Independent School District No. 742, St. Cloud, for a pilot site in St. Cloud. Each  
1.18 partnership pilot program shall support community collaborations focused on academic  
1.19 achievement and youth development, use a comprehensive and data-driven approach to  
1.20 increase student success, and measure outcomes, such as kindergarten readiness, reading  
1.21 proficiency at third grade, high school graduation, and college and career readiness. ~~By~~  
1.22 ~~February 15, 2016,~~ Each partnership pilot grant recipient shall submit to the chairs and  
1.23 ranking minority members of the legislative committees with primary jurisdiction over  
1.24 kindergarten through grade 12 education a report describing the activities funded by the

2.1 grant, changes in outcome measures attributable to the grant-funded activities, and the  
2.2 recipient's program plan for the following year.

2.3 This is a onetime appropriation. Any balance from the first year may carry forward  
2.4 into the second year.