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		Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety
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A bill for an act

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relating to public safety; appropriating money for behavior intervention and

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rehabilitation of at-risk youth.

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

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Section 1. AT-RISK YOUTH; APPROPRIATION.

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\$500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from the

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general fund to the commissioner of public safety for a grant to the 8012 Truce Center to

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continue to provide and expand community-based conflict resolution services that encourage

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and support at-risk youth. Center programs supported by these grant funds must include

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programs focused on:

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(1) offering a unique and inclusive approach to rehabilitation and reform by grounding

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youth in cultural roots and perspectives;

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(2) providing education supportive services and mentorship;

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(3) supporting at-risk youth by partnering with local schools to offer behavior intervention

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for at-risk youth;

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(4) mentoring youth ages eight to 18 years old and providing tutoring services, career

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training, and job placement services;

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(5) assisting with chemical dependency counseling for youth struggling with addiction;

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(6) increasing the scope of program mentorship services in high-risk areas to prevent

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violence and realize a decrease in crime and a positive impact on the immediate surrounding

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community where crime rates continue to rise;

- 2.1 (7) providing behavior intervention for at-risk youth by making mentorship services
2.2 mandated as part of sentencing for crimes committed;
- 2.3 (8) providing mediation services and classes for successfully addressing coparenting
2.4 issues, and educating families on the justice system and family court system; and
- 2.5 (9) ensuring safe and thriving communities through other community programs and
2.6 forms of community outreach.