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DATE	D-PG	OFFICIAL STATUS
03/08/2016	4914	Introduction and first reading Referred to Finance

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A bill for an act
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relating to community involvement; appropriating money for grants to the city of
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St. Paul district councils to broaden community involvement.
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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
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Section 1. **APPROPRIATION.**
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\$43,000 in fiscal year 2016 and \$337,000 in fiscal year 2017 are appropriated from
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the general fund to the Metropolitan Council for grants to district councils of the city of St.
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Paul. The objective of the grant program is to increase ethnic and age diversity within the
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governance of and participation in the activities of each district council. The maximum
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grant to a district council in fiscal year 2016 is \$2,500. A district council that receives a
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grant in fiscal year 2016 may apply for a grant in an increased amount for fiscal year 2017
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for the same purpose, upon showing the Metropolitan Council that expenditures from the
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initial grant award helped achieve the objective of the grant program. Any amount of
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this appropriation that is not disbursed as a grant by the end of fiscal year 2017 reverts
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to the general fund.
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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2015.