

226.4	<u>State Government</u>		
226.5	<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>732,000</u>	<u>732,000</u>
226.6	<u>Federal TANF</u>	<u>227,428,000</u>	<u>247,890,000</u>

226.7 The amounts that may be spent for each
226.8 purpose are specified in the following sections.

226.9 Sec. 3. TANF MAINTENANCE OF EFFORT

226.10 Subdivision 1. Nonfederal Expenditures

226.11 The commissioner shall ensure that sufficient
226.12 qualified nonfederal expenditures are made
226.13 each year to meet the state's maintenance of
226.14 effort requirements of the TANF block grant
226.15 specified under Code of Federal Regulations,
226.16 title 45, section 263.1. In order to meet these
226.17 basic TANF maintenance of effort
226.18 requirements, the commissioner may report
226.19 as TANF maintenance of effort expenditures
226.20 only nonfederal money expended for allowable
226.21 activities listed in the following clauses:

226.22 (1) MFIP cash, diversionary work program,
226.23 and food assistance benefits under Minnesota
226.24 Statutes, chapter 142G;

226.25 (2) the child care assistance programs under
226.26 Minnesota Statutes, sections 142E.04 and
226.27 142E.08, and county child care administrative
226.28 costs under Minnesota Statutes, section
226.29 142E.02, subdivision 9;

226.30 (3) state and county MFIP administrative costs
226.31 under Minnesota Statutes, chapters 142G and
226.32 256K;

227.1 (4) state, county, and Tribal MFIP
227.2 employment services under Minnesota
227.3 Statutes, chapters 142G and 256K;

549.10	<u>State Government</u>		
549.11	<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>732,000</u>	<u>732,000</u>
549.12	<u>Federal TANF</u>	<u>302,921,000</u>	<u>323,383,000</u>
549.13	<u>Family and Medical</u>		
549.14	<u>Benefit Insurance</u>	<u>336,000</u>	<u>336,000</u>

549.15 The amounts that may be spent for each
549.16 purpose are specified in the following sections.

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549.26 requirements, the commissioner may report
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549.31 and food assistance benefits under Minnesota
549.32 Statutes, chapter 142G;

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550.3 142E.08, and county child care administrative
550.4 costs under Minnesota Statutes, section
550.5 142E.02, subdivision 9;

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550.7 under Minnesota Statutes, chapters 142G and
550.8 256K;

550.9 (4) state, county, and Tribal MFIP
550.10 employment services under Minnesota
550.11 Statutes, chapters 142G and 256K;

227.4 (5) expenditures made on behalf of legal
227.5 noncitizen MFIP recipients who qualify for
227.6 the MinnesotaCare program under Minnesota
227.7 Statutes, chapter 256L;

227.8 (6) qualifying working family credit
227.9 expenditures under Minnesota Statutes, section
227.10 290.0671, and child tax credit expenditures
227.11 under Minnesota Statutes, section 290.0661;

227.12 (7) qualifying Minnesota education credit
227.13 expenditures under Minnesota Statutes, section
227.14 290.0674; and

227.15 (8) qualifying Head Start expenditures under
227.16 Minnesota Statutes, section 142D.12.

227.17 **Subd. 2. Nonfederal Expenditures; Reporting**

227.18 For the activities listed in subdivision 1,
227.19 clauses (2) to (8), the commissioner may
227.20 report only expenditures that are excluded
227.21 from the definition of assistance under Code
227.22 of Federal Regulations, title 45, section
227.23 260.31.

227.24 **Subd. 3. Supplemental Expenditures**

227.25 For the purposes of this section, the
227.26 commissioner may supplement the
227.27 maintenance of effort claim with working
227.28 family credit expenditures or other qualified
227.29 expenditures to the extent such expenditures
227.30 are otherwise available after considering the
227.31 expenditures allowed in this section.

228.1 **Subd. 4. Reduction of Appropriations; Exception**

228.2 The requirement in Minnesota Statutes, section
228.3 142A.06, subdivision 3, that federal grants or
228.4 aids secured or obtained under that subdivision
228.5 be used to reduce any direct appropriations
228.6 provided by law does not apply if the grants
228.7 or aids are federal TANF funds.

550.12 (5) expenditures made on behalf of legal
550.13 noncitizen MFIP recipients who qualify for
550.14 the MinnesotaCare program under Minnesota
550.15 Statutes, chapter 256L;

550.16 (6) qualifying working family credit
550.17 expenditures under Minnesota Statutes, section
550.18 290.0671, and child tax credit expenditures
550.19 under Minnesota Statutes, section 290.0661;

550.20 (7) qualifying Minnesota education credit
550.21 expenditures under Minnesota Statutes, section
550.22 290.0674; and

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550.24 Minnesota Statutes, section 142D.12.

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551.11 aids secured or obtained under that subdivision
551.12 be used to reduce any direct appropriations
551.13 provided by law does not apply if the grants
551.14 or aids are federal TANF funds.

228.8 **Subd. 5. IT Appropriations Generally**

228.9 This appropriation includes funds for
228.10 information technology projects, services, and
228.11 support. Funding for information technology
228.12 project costs must be incorporated into the
228.13 service level agreement and paid to Minnesota
228.14 IT Services by the Department of Children,
228.15 Youth, and Families under the rates and
228.16 mechanism specified in that agreement.

228.17 **Subd. 6. Receipts for Systems Project**

228.18 Appropriations and federal receipts for
228.19 information technology systems projects for
228.20 MAXIS, PRISM, MMIS, ISDS, METS, and
228.21 SSIS must be deposited in the state systems
228.22 account authorized in Minnesota Statutes,
228.23 section 142A.04. Money appropriated for
228.24 information technology projects approved by
228.25 the commissioner of Minnesota IT Services
228.26 funded by the legislature, and approved by the
228.27 commissioner of management and budget may
228.28 be transferred from one project to another and
228.29 from development to operations as the
228.30 commissioner of children, youth, and families
228.31 considers necessary. Any unexpended balance
228.32 in the appropriation for these projects does not
228.33 cancel and is available for ongoing
228.34 development and operations.

229.1 **Subd. 7. Federal SNAP Education and Training**
229.2 **Grants**

229.3 Federal funds available during fiscal years
229.4 2026 and 2027 for Supplemental Nutrition
229.5 Assistance Program Education and Training
229.6 and SNAP Quality Control Performance
229.7 Bonus grants are appropriated to the
229.8 commissioner of human services for the
229.9 purposes allowable under the terms of the

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551.17 information technology projects, services, and
551.18 support. Funding for information technology
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551.22 Youth, and Families under the rates and
551.23 mechanism specified in that agreement.

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551.26 information technology systems projects for
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551.29 authorized in Minnesota Statutes, section
551.30 142A.04. Money appropriated for information
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551.32 commissioner of Minnesota IT Services,
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552.16 purposes allowable under the terms of the

230.1 Subd. 3. Base Level Adjustment

230.2 The general fund base is \$95,066,000 in fiscal
230.3 year 2028 and \$95,066,000 in fiscal year 2029.

230.4 Sec. 5. CENTRAL OFFICE; CHILD SAFETY
230.5 AND PERMANENCY \$ 17,232,000 \$ 16,945,000

230.6 Sec. 6. CENTRAL OFFICE; EARLY
230.7 CHILDHOOD \$ 17,212,000 \$ 13,337,000

230.8 Subdivision 1. Child Care Attendance and
230.9 Record-Keeping System

230.10 \$5,555,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$1,639,000
230.11 in fiscal year 2027 are to develop a statewide
230.12 electronic attendance and record-keeping
230.13 system for the child care assistance program.
230.14 The system must provide the commissioner,
230.15 county agencies, and Tribal Nations that
230.16 administer the program with real-time access
230.17 to electronic attendance records to verify
230.18 children's enrollment in the program. This is
230.19 a onetime appropriation.

553.5 analysis of the child welfare system in
553.6 Minnesota. This is a onetime appropriation
553.7 and is available until June 30, 2029.

553.8 Subd. 4. Family and Medical Benefit Insurance

553.9 \$336,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$336,000 in
553.10 fiscal year 2027 are from the family and
553.11 medical benefit insurance fund for systems
553.12 costs to administer Minnesota Statutes, chapter
553.13 268B.

553.14 Subd. 5. Base Level Adjustment

553.15 The general fund base for this section is
553.16 \$102,534,000 in fiscal year 2028 and
553.17 \$102,172,000 in fiscal year 2029.

553.18 Sec. 5. OPERATIONS AND
553.19 ADMINISTRATION; CHILD SAFETY AND
553.20 PERMANENCY \$ 17,232,000 \$ 16,945,000

553.21 Sec. 6. OPERATIONS AND
553.22 ADMINISTRATION; EARLY CHILDHOOD \$ 17,166,000 \$ 12,698,000

553.23 Subdivision 1. Child Care Attendance and
553.24 Record-Keeping System

553.25 \$5,500,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$1,000,000
553.26 in fiscal year 2027 are to develop a statewide
553.27 electronic attendance and record-keeping
553.28 system for the child care assistance program.
553.29 This is a onetime appropriation.

230.20 Subd. 2. Base Level Adjustment

230.21 The general fund base is \$11,698,000 in fiscal

230.22 year 2028 and \$11,698,000 in fiscal year 2029.

230.23 Sec. 7. CENTRAL OFFICE; ECONOMIC

230.24 OPPORTUNITIES AND YOUTH SERVICES \$ 3,852,000 \$ 3,562,000

230.25 Sec. 8. CENTRAL OFFICE; FAMILY

230.26 WELL-BEING \$ 14,147,000 \$ 14,147,000

230.27 Appropriations by Fund

230.28 2026 2027

230.29 General 10,471,000 10,471,000

230.30 Federal TANF 3,676,000 3,676,000

230.31 Sec. 9. FORECASTED PROGRAMS;

230.32 MFIP/DWP \$ 230,473,000 \$ 268,167,000

230.33 Appropriations by Fund

230.34 2026 2027

553.30 Subd. 2. Base Level Adjustment

553.31 The general fund base for this section is

553.32 \$11,698,000 in fiscal year 2028 and

553.33 \$11,698,000 in fiscal year 2029.

554.1 Sec. 7. OPERATIONS AND

554.2 ADMINISTRATION; ECONOMIC
554.3 OPPORTUNITY AND YOUTH SERVICES \$ 4,182,000 \$ 3,646,000

554.4 Subdivision 1. Scan of and Report on

554.5 Out-of-School and Youth Programming

554.6 \$402,000 in fiscal year 2026 is to conduct the

554.7 scan of and prepare the out-of-school and

554.8 youth programming report. This is a onetime

554.9 appropriation.

554.10 Subd. 2. Base Level Adjustment

554.11 The general fund base for this section is

554.12 \$3,562,000 in fiscal year 2028 and \$3,562,000

554.13 in fiscal year 2029.

554.14 Sec. 8. OPERATIONS AND

554.15 ADMINISTRATION; FAMILY WELL-BEING \$ 14,147,000 \$ 14,147,000

554.16 Appropriations by Fund

554.17 2026 2027

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554.20 Sec. 9. FORECASTED PROGRAMS;

554.21 MFIP/DWP \$ 230,473,000 \$ 268,167,000

554.22 Appropriations by Fund

554.23 2026 2027

231.1	General	<u>103,272,000</u>	<u>120,504,000</u>		
231.2	Federal TANF	<u>127,201,000</u>	<u>147,663,000</u>		
231.3	Sec. 10. FORECASTED PROGRAMS; MFIP				
231.4	CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE	\$	<u>100,244,000</u>	\$	<u>137,333,000</u>
231.5	Sec. 11. FORECASTED PROGRAMS;				
231.6	NORTHSTAR CARE FOR CHILDREN	\$	<u>110,214,000</u>	\$	<u>116,160,000</u>
231.7	Sec. 12. GRANT PROGRAMS; SUPPORT				
231.8	SERVICES GRANTS	\$	<u>111,359,000</u>	\$	<u>111,359,000</u>
231.9	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>				
231.10		<u>2026</u>	<u>2027</u>		
231.11	General	<u>14,908,000</u>	<u>14,908,000</u>		
231.12	Federal TANF	<u>96,451,000</u>	<u>96,451,000</u>		
231.13	Sec. 13. GRANT PROGRAMS; BASIC				
231.14	SLIDING FEE CHILD ASSISTANCE CARE				
231.15	GRANTS	\$	<u>137,768,000</u>	\$	<u>135,212,000</u>
231.16	Sec. 14. GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILD CARE				
231.17	DEVELOPMENT GRANTS	\$	<u>139,319,000</u>	\$	<u>138,819,000</u>
231.18	<u>\$500,000 in fiscal year 2026 is from the</u>				
231.19	<u>general fund for child care provider access to</u>				
231.20	<u>technology grants under Minnesota Statutes,</u>				
231.21	<u>section 142D.23, subdivision 3, clause (5).</u>				
231.22	<u>This appropriation is available until fiscal year</u>				
231.23	<u>2029.</u>				

554.24	General	<u>99,272,000</u>	<u>116,504,000</u>		
554.25	Federal TANF	<u>131,201,000</u>	<u>151,663,000</u>		
554.26	Sec. 10. FORECASTED PROGRAMS; MFIP				
554.27	CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE	\$	<u>100,244,000</u>	\$	<u>137,333,000</u>
554.28	Sec. 11. FORECASTED PROGRAMS;				
554.29	NORTHSTAR CARE FOR CHILDREN	\$	<u>110,214,000</u>	\$	<u>116,160,000</u>
554.30	Sec. 12. GRANT PROGRAMS; SUPPORT				
554.31	SERVICES GRANTS	\$	<u>111,359,000</u>	\$	<u>111,359,000</u>
554.32	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>				
554.33		<u>2026</u>	<u>2027</u>		
554.34	General	<u>14,908,000</u>	<u>14,908,000</u>		
554.35	Federal TANF	<u>96,451,000</u>	<u>96,451,000</u>		
555.1	Sec. 13. GRANT PROGRAMS; BASIC				
555.2	SLIDING FEE CHILD ASSISTANCE CARE				
555.3	GRANTS	\$	<u>137,768,000</u>	\$	<u>135,212,000</u>
555.4	Sec. 14. GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILD CARE				
555.5	DEVELOPMENT GRANTS	\$	<u>139,120,000</u>	\$	<u>138,819,000</u>
555.6	<u>Subdivision 1. St. Cloud Area School District</u>				
555.7	<u>Preschool Programs Grant</u>				
555.8	<u>\$301,000 in fiscal year 2026 is for a grant to</u>				
555.9	<u>Independent School District No. 742 for the</u>				

231.24	Sec. 15. <u>GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILD</u>			
231.25	<u>SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT GRANTS</u>	\$	<u>50,000</u>	\$ <u>50,000</u>
231.26	Sec. 16. <u>GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILDREN'S</u>			
231.27	<u>SERVICES GRANTS</u>	\$	<u>43,204,000</u>	\$ <u>43,205,000</u>
231.28	<u>The commissioner shall allocate funds from</u>			
231.29	<u>the state's savings from the Fostering</u>			
231.30	<u>Connections to Success and Increasing</u>			
231.31	<u>Adoptions Act's expanded eligibility for Title</u>			
231.32	<u>IV-E adoption assistance as required in</u>			
231.33	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 142A.61, and as</u>			
231.34	<u>allowable under federal law. Additional</u>			
231.35	<u>savings to the state as a result of the Fostering</u>			
231.36	<u>Connections to Success and Increasing</u>			
232.1	<u>Adoptions Act's expanded eligibility for Title</u>			
232.2	<u>IV-E adoption assistance is for postadoption,</u>			
232.3	<u>foster care, adoption, and kinship services,</u>			
232.4	<u>including a parent-to-parent support network</u>			
232.5	<u>and as allowable under federal law.</u>			

555.10	<u>Preschool 4 Success program operated with</u>			
555.11	<u>the Rotary Club of St. Cloud. This is a onetime</u>			
555.12	<u>appropriation and is available until June 30,</u>			
555.13	<u>2027.</u>			
555.14	<u>Subd. 2. Great Start Compensation Support</u>			
555.15	<u>Payments</u>			
555.16	<u>\$129,887,000 in fiscal year 2026 and</u>			
555.17	<u>\$129,887,000 in fiscal year 2027 are for the</u>			
555.18	<u>Great Start Compensation Support Payments</u>			
555.19	<u>under Minnesota Statutes, section 142D.21.</u>			
555.20	Sec. 15. <u>GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILD</u>			
555.21	<u>SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT GRANTS</u>	\$	<u>50,000</u>	\$ <u>50,000</u>
555.22	Sec. 16. <u>GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILDREN'S</u>			
555.23	<u>SERVICES GRANTS</u>	\$	<u>41,704,000</u>	\$ <u>41,705,000</u>
555.24	<u>Subdivision 1. Restorative Practices Initiatives</u>			
555.25	<u>Grants</u>			
555.26	<u>The base funding for restorative practices</u>			
555.27	<u>initiatives grants under Minnesota Statutes,</u>			
555.28	<u>section 142A.76, subdivision 5, is reduced by</u>			
555.29	<u>\$1,500,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$1,500,000</u>			
555.30	<u>in fiscal year 2027.</u>			
555.31	<u>Subd. 2. Fostering Connections to Success and</u>			
555.32	<u>Increasing Adoptions Act</u>			
555.33	<u>The commissioner shall allocate funds from</u>			
555.34	<u>the state's savings from the Fostering</u>			
555.35	<u>Connections to Success and Increasing</u>			
555.36	<u>Adoptions Act's expanded eligibility for Title</u>			
556.1	<u>IV-E adoption assistance as required in</u>			
556.2	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 142A.61, and as</u>			
556.3	<u>allowable under federal law. Additional</u>			
556.4	<u>savings to the state as a result of the Fostering</u>			
556.5	<u>Connections to Success and Increasing</u>			
556.6	<u>Adoptions Act's expanded eligibility for Title</u>			
556.7	<u>IV-E adoption assistance is for postadoption,</u>			
556.8	<u>foster care, adoption, and kinship services,</u>			

232.6 Sec. 17. GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILDREN
232.7 AND COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANTS \$ 87,984,000 \$ 87,984,000

232.8 Sec. 18. GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILDREN
232.9 AND ECONOMIC SUPPORT GRANTS \$ 14,327,000 \$ 12,426,000

232.10 Subdivision 1. FAIM

232.11 \$209,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$210,000 in
232.12 fiscal year 2027 are from the general fund for
232.13 the family assets for independence program.
232.14 This is a onetime appropriation and is
232.15 available until fiscal year 2029.

232.16 Subd. 2. American Indian Food Sovereignty
232.17 Funding Program

232.18 \$500,000 in fiscal year 2026 is for the
232.19 American Indian food sovereignty funding
232.20 program under Minnesota Statutes, section
232.21 142F.15. This is a onetime appropriation and
232.22 is available until June 30, 2027.

232.23 Subd. 3. Minnesota Food Shelf Program

232.24 \$451,000 in fiscal year 2026 is for the
232.25 Minnesota food shelf program under
232.26 Minnesota Statutes, section 142F.14. This is
232.27 a onetime appropriation.

232.28 Subd. 4. Prepared Meals Food Relief

232.29 \$451,000 in fiscal year 2026 is for prepared
232.30 meals food relief grants under Laws 2023,
232.31 chapter 70, article 12, section 33. This is a
232.32 onetime appropriation.

556.9 including a parent-to-parent support network
556.10 and as allowable under federal law.

556.11 Sec. 17. GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILD AND
556.12 COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANTS \$ 87,984,000 \$ 87,984,000

556.13 Sec. 18. GRANT PROGRAMS; CHILD AND
556.14 ECONOMIC SUPPORT GRANTS \$ 18,167,000 \$ 18,159,000

556.21 Subd. 2. Minnesota Food Shelf Programs

556.22 \$2,000,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$2,000,000
556.23 in fiscal year 2027 are for food shelf programs
556.24 grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
556.25 142F.14. This is a onetime appropriation and
556.26 is available until June 30, 2027.

556.27 Subd. 3. Prepared Meals Food Relief Grants

556.28 \$971,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$966,000 in
556.29 fiscal year 2027 are for prepared meals food
556.30 relief grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
556.31 142F.141. This is a onetime appropriation and
556.32 is available until June 30, 2027.

233.1 Subd. 5. **Minnesota Food Bank Program**
233.2 \$500,000 in fiscal year 2026 is for Minnesota's
233.3 regional food banks with an annual operating
233.4 budget of less than \$100,000,000 that the
233.5 commissioner contracts with for the purposes
233.6 of the emergency food assistance program
233.7 (TEFAP). The commissioner shall distribute
233.8 funding under this paragraph in accordance
233.9 with the federal TEFAP formula and
233.10 guidelines of the United States Department of
233.11 Agriculture. Funding must be used to purchase
233.12 food that will be distributed free of charge to
233.13 TEFAP partner agencies. Funding must also
233.14 cover the handling and delivery fees typically
233.15 paid by food shelves to food banks to ensure
233.16 that costs associated with funding under this
233.17 paragraph are not incurred at the local level.
233.18 This is a onetime appropriation.

233.19 Subd. 6. **Base Level Adjustment**
233.20 The general fund base is \$12,216,000 in fiscal
233.21 year 2028 and \$12,216,000 in fiscal year 2029.

233.22 Sec. 19. **GRANT PROGRAMS; EARLY**
233.23 **LEARNING GRANTS** \$ 138,688,000 \$ 132,838,000

556.15 Subdivision 1. **Regional Food Bank Grants**
556.16 \$2,980,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$2,977,000
556.17 in fiscal year 2027 are for regional food bank
556.18 grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
556.19 142F.16. This is a onetime appropriation and
556.20 is available until June 30, 2027.

557.1 Subd. 4. **Base Level Adjustment**
557.2 The general fund base for this section is
557.3 \$12,216,000 in fiscal year 2028 and
557.4 \$12,216,000 in fiscal year 2029.

557.5 Sec. 19. **GRANT PROGRAMS; EARLY**
557.6 **LEARNING GRANTS** \$ 132,838,000 \$ 132,838,000

557.7 Subdivision 1. **Early Childhood Literacy**
557.8 **Programs**
557.9 The base funding for early childhood literacy
557.10 programs under Minnesota Statutes, section
557.11 142D.12, subdivision 3, is reduced by
557.12 \$7,950,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$7,950,000
557.13 in fiscal year 2027.

557.14 Subd. 2. **Grants for Early Learning Scholarships**
557.15 \$97,290,000 in fiscal year 2026 and
557.16 \$97,290,000 in fiscal year 2027 are from the
557.17 general fund for early learning scholarships

233.24 Sec. 20. GRANT PROGRAMS; YOUTH
233.25 SERVICES GRANTS \$ 8,141,000 \$ 8,141,000

557.18 grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
557.19 142D.25.

557.20 Subd. 3. Head Start Program Grants

557.21 \$34,398,000 in fiscal year 2026 and
557.22 \$34,398,000 in fiscal year 2027 are from the
557.23 general fund for head start program grants
557.24 under Minnesota Statutes, section 142D.12.

557.25 Subd. 4. School Readiness Plus Program Grants

557.26 \$900,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$900,000 in
557.27 fiscal year 2027 are from the general fund for
557.28 school readiness plus program grants under
557.29 Minnesota Statutes, section 142D.07.

557.30 Subd. 5. Reach Out and Read Minnesota Grant

557.31 \$250,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$250,000 in
557.32 fiscal year 2027 are for a grant to Reach Out
557.33 and Read Minnesota to establish a statewide
558.1 plan that encourages early childhood
558.2 development through a network of health care
558.3 clinics under Laws 2023, chapter 54, section
558.4 20, subdivision 20.

558.5 Sec. 20. GRANT PROGRAMS; YOUTH
558.6 SERVICES GRANTS \$ 8,891,000 \$ 8,891,000

558.7 Subdivision 1. Grants-in-Aid to Youth
558.8 Intervention Programs

558.9 \$6,036,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$6,036,000
558.10 in fiscal year 2027 are for grants to youth
558.11 intervention programs under Minnesota
558.12 Statutes, section 142A.43, subdivision 1.

558.13 Subd. 2. Youth Intervention Programs
558.14 Association Grant

558.15 Notwithstanding the percentage requirement
558.16 under Minnesota Statutes, section 142A.43.

233.26 Subdivision 1. Restorative Practices Initiative
233.27 Grant

233.28 \$1,750,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$1,750,000
233.29 in fiscal year 2027 are from the general fund
233.30 for restorative practices initiative grants. The
233.31 general fund base for this appropriation is
233.32 \$2,500,000 in fiscal year 2028 and \$2,500,000
233.33 in fiscal year 2029.

234.1 Subd. 2. Base Level Adjustment

234.2 The general fund base is \$8,891,000 in fiscal
234.3 year 2028 and \$8,891,000 in fiscal year 2029.

234.4 Sec. 21. TECHNICAL ACTIVITIES \$ 74,493,000 \$ 74,493,000

234.5 This appropriation is from the federal TANF
234.6 fund.

234.7 Sec. 22. APPROPRIATIONS; FOOD ASSISTANCE.

234.8 (a) \$2,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 is appropriated from the general fund to the
234.9 commissioner of children, youth, and families for food shelf programs under Minnesota

558.17 subdivision 3, \$355,000 in fiscal year 2026
558.18 and \$355,000 in fiscal year 2027 are for a
558.19 grant to the Minnesota Youth Intervention
558.20 Programs Association for collaboration,
558.21 program development, professional
558.22 development training, technical assistance,
558.23 tracking, and analyzing and reporting outcome
558.24 data for the community-based grantees of the
558.25 program.

558.26 Subd. 3. Office of Restorative Practices

558.27 \$2,500,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$2,500,000
558.28 in fiscal year 2027 are from the general fund
558.29 for the Office of Restorative Practices under
558.30 Minnesota Statutes, section 142A.76.

558.31 Sec. 21. TECHNICAL ACTIVITIES \$ 71,493,000 \$ 71,493,000

558.32 This appropriation is from the federal TANF
558.33 fund.

235.13 Subd. 3. **Social service information system technology improvements.** \$5,059,000
235.14 of the fiscal year 2024 general fund appropriation in Laws 2023, chapter 70, article 20,
235.15 section 2, subdivision 4, paragraph (g), is canceled to the general fund.

235.16 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment, or
235.17 retroactively from June 30, 2025, whichever is earlier.

235.18 Sec. 25. **TRANSFERS.**

235.19 Subdivision 1. **Programs and grants.** The commissioner of children, youth, and families,
235.20 with the approval of the commissioner of management and budget, may transfer
235.21 unencumbered appropriation balances for the biennium ending June 30, 2027, within fiscal
235.22 years among MFIP; MFIP child care assistance under Minnesota Statutes, section 142E.08;
235.23 the entitlement portion of Northstar Care for Children under Minnesota Statutes, sections
235.24 142A.60 to 142A.612; and early childhood family education under Minnesota Statutes,
235.25 section 142D.11, between fiscal years of the biennium. The commissioner shall inform the
235.26 chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over
235.27 children and families finance and policy quarterly about transfers made under this
235.28 subdivision.

235.29 Subd. 2. **Administration.** Positions, salary money, and nonsalary administrative money
235.30 may be transferred within the Department of Children, Youth, and Families as the
235.31 commissioners deem necessary, with the advance approval of the commissioner of
235.32 management and budget. The commissioners shall report to the chairs and ranking minority
236.1 members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over children and families finance
236.2 quarterly about transfers made under this subdivision.

236.3 Subd. 3. **Interdepartmental transfers.** Administrative money may be transferred
236.4 between the Department of Children, Youth, and Families and Department of Human
236.5 Services or the Department of Education as the commissioners deem necessary, with the
236.6 advance approval of the commissioner of management and budget. The commissioners
236.7 shall report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with
236.8 jurisdiction over children and families finance and policy quarterly about transfers made
236.9 under this subdivision.

236.10 Sec. 26. **EXPIRATION OF UNCODIFIED LANGUAGE.**

236.11 All uncodified language contained in this article expires on June 30, 2027, unless a
236.12 different expiration date is explicit or an appropriation is made available beyond June 30,
236.13 2027.

559.30 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment or
559.31 retroactively from June 30, 2025, whichever is earlier.

559.1 Sec. 22. **TRANSFERS.**

559.2 Subdivision 1. **Programs and grants.** The commissioner of children, youth, and families,
559.3 with the advance approval of the commissioner of management and budget, may transfer
559.4 unencumbered appropriation balances for the biennium ending June 30, 2027, within fiscal
559.5 years among MFIP; MFIP child care assistance under Minnesota Statutes, section 142E.08;
559.6 the entitlement portion of Northstar Care for Children under Minnesota Statutes, sections
559.7 142A.60 to 142A.612; and early childhood family education under Minnesota Statutes,
559.8 section 142D.11, between fiscal years of the biennium. The commissioner shall inform the
559.9 chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over
559.10 children and families finance and policy quarterly about transfers made under this
559.11 subdivision.

559.12 Subd. 2. **Administration.** Positions, salary money, and nonsalary administrative money
559.13 may be transferred within the Department of Children, Youth, and Families as the
559.14 commissioner deems necessary, with the advance approval of the commissioner of
559.15 management and budget. The commissioner shall report to the chairs and ranking minority
559.16 members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over children and families finance
559.17 quarterly about transfers made under this subdivision.

559.18 Subd. 3. **Temporary authority for interagency transfers with Department of Human**
559.19 **Services.** Beginning July 1, 2025, and until September 30, 2025, administrative money may
559.20 be transferred between the Department of Children, Youth, and Families and the Department
559.21 of Human Services or the Department of Education as the commissioners deem necessary,
559.22 with the advance approval of the commissioner of management and budget. The
559.23 commissioners shall report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative
559.24 committees with jurisdiction over children and families finance and policy quarterly about
559.25 transfers made under this subdivision.

560.1 Sec. 24. **GRANT ADMINISTRATION COSTS.**

560.2 The administrative costs retention requirement under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.98,
560.3 subdivision 14, is inapplicable to any appropriation in this article for a grant.

560.4 Sec. 25. **EXPIRATION OF UNCODIFIED LANGUAGE.**

560.5 All uncodified language contained in this article expires June 30, 2027, unless a different
560.6 expiration date is explicit or an appropriation is made available beyond June 30, 2027.

236.14 Sec. 27. **APPROPRIATIONS GIVEN EFFECT ONCE.**

236.15 If an appropriation, transfer, or cancellation in this article is enacted more than once

236.16 during the 2025 regular session, the appropriation, transfer, or cancellation must be given

236.17 effect once.