

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 3732, the delete everything amendment
1.2 (H3732DE1), as follows:

1.3 Page 2, after line 12, insert:

1.4 "Sec. 2. **OFFICE OF COMMUNITY INVESTMENT; APPROPRIATION.**

1.5 \$400,000 in fiscal year 2027 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner
1.6 of employment and economic development for the establishment and operation of a
1.7 centralized Office of Community Investment overseen by a director appointed by the
1.8 commissioner. This director will be responsible for overseeing all grant processes at the
1.9 Department of Employment and Economic Development, including coordinating across
1.10 the agency to provide strategic direction for grant-making, orienting program design around
1.11 achieving specific goals with documentable outcomes, ensuring compliance with all state
1.12 and federal grant requirements, streamlining operations, increasing the accessibility and
1.13 transparency of grant-making, maintaining best practices, and tracking grant outcomes."

1.14 Amend the title accordingly