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Overview

This bill makes a general fund appropriation for a collaborative housing project located in the city of St. Louis Park. The project, which serves at-risk youth, received a \$50,000 appropriation for fiscal year 1998.

Appropriation. Appropriates \$100,000 from the general fund to the commissioner of children, families and learning for a grant for the Meadowbrook Collaborative Housing Project. The grant must be used to enhance services and outreach for at-risk young people. Grant money may be used for staff and program development. The Collaborative must focus on truancy reduction, developing at-risk youth, adult mentoring and making programs available to reduce the time available for adverse activities.