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This bill establishes a single funding mechanism for all three probation delivery systems in Minnesota. The bill creates a Community Supervision Formula to allocate funds appropriated for probation services. The formula is modeled after the current formula in section 401.10 and includes criteria for establishing initial base funding. The bill also creates a “secondary formula” for dividing a county’s allocation in CPO and Contract counties. Strikes current formula language from 401.10 and replaces it with a cross-reference to the new community supervision formula. Similar changes are made in sections 244.19 and 244.20 to reflect creation of the single funding mechanism.