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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill provides grants to the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency for pilot projects to assist families with children with disabilities in achieving homeownership.

Section

- 1** **Appropriation.** This bill provides funding for a pilot project with grants through the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency to eligible families. Families with children under the age of 19 with a medically diagnosed disability and who have faced housing instability as renters due to the child's disability in the last two years are eligible for the program.

\$600,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the City of Lakes Community Land Trust to help eligible low and moderate income families purchase a home through their program.

\$600,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the housing finance agency to help eligible families build and adapt homes for their disabled children.