

# H.F. 430

First committee engrossment

**Subject** Appropriating funding for the Veterans Defense Project

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## Overview

This bill appropriates \$400,000 for fiscal year 2020 and \$400,000 for fiscal year 2021 to fund the Veterans Defense Project (VDP), a Minnesota-based nonprofit. VDP is authorized to use the funds to serve veterans. Areas of service include support through education, outreach, and legal training to assist veterans involved in the criminal justice system. Requires VDP to submit an annual report to the legislature.