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## Summary

This bill would appropriate \$200,000 per year to the Minnesota Department of Agriculture for grants to the Center for Rural Policy and Development. Under current law, the base for these grants is \$0 in fiscal years 2024 and 2025. In 2021, the legislature appropriated onetime funding of \$150,000 per year for fiscal years 2022 and 2023 (Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 2, subdivision 5, paragraph (h)).