



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of City Coordinator

Date: February 19, 2013

To: The Honorable Council Member Betsy Hodges,
Chair, Ways and Means Committee

Subject: Sustainable Communities Leadership Academy: Accelerating
Implementation Workshop

Recommendation: The City Coordinator accept the gift of funds from a HUD grant
program through the Metropolitan Council

Previous Directives: Not applicable

Department Information

Prepared by: Trudy Kjenstad
Approved by: Paul Aasen
Presenters in Committee: Paul Aasen

Financial Impact

- No financial impact.

Supporting Information

City Coordinator, Paul Aasen, has been invited to lead a team at the Sustainable Communities Leadership Academy: Accelerating Implementation workshop. This peer learning workshop will be a rare opportunity to connect, in a private and productive environment, with peers, to learn about innovations and exchange lessons learned. The workshop will take place in Arlington, VA on March 13 – 15, 2013.

The Metropolitan Council will pay for a portion of Mr. Aasen's travel costs through HUD grant funding