



**Request for City Council Committee Action
From the Department of Community Planning & Economic Development**

Date: October 24, 2005

To: Council Member Johnson Lee, Health and Human Services Committee

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Approved by Mike Christenson, Director, Economic Policy and Development

Subject: Request to increase the Minnesota Family Investment Program contract with Hennepin County (**City Contract # 21393**).

RECOMMENDATION: That the proper city officials be authorized to increase the Minnesota Family Investment Program contract with Hennepin County to \$553,886 for the period of January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005 in fund/org 0300 890 8943.

Previous Directives: None

Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

No financial impact – or – Action is within current department budget.
(If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information).

Background/Supporting Information:

Hennepin County and the City of Minneapolis have operated the Welfare Reform Programs under a Joint Powers Agreement since 1997. This contract with Hennepin County provides for the operation of the Welfare Reform Program during the period January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005. The request for an increase in this contract (# 21393) for an additional \$15,000 is to perform an evaluation of the Employment and Training Service Providers.