



**Request for City Council Committee Action
From the Department of Health & Family Support**

Date: January 24, 2007

To: HEALTH, ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
Referral to: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
WAYS & MEANS/BUDGET COMMITTEE

Subject: APPROVAL OF AWARDS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC
HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR CDBG PUBLIC SERVICE
FUNDS, AND AUTHORIZATION TO CONTRACT WITH APPROVED
AGENCIES

Recommendation: Council action to:

1. approve the attached list of agencies and amounts recommended for funding by the Public Health Advisory Committee, following a competitive RFP process for federal HUD Community Development Block Grant Public Service funds, for the period of June 1, 2007 through May 31, 2009.
2. authorization for the proper City officials to enter into annual contracts with the approved list of agencies for the period of June 1, 2007 – May 31, 2009, with the second year of funding contingent upon funds and performance. The final amount for each contract is contingent upon funding from HUD, and the total for all contracts will not exceed \$681,000 annually in fund/orgs 0400-860-8623 and 0400-860-8605.

Previous Directives:

November 3, 2006, Council approval of funding priorities.

December 1, 2006, Council authorization to issue the Request for Proposals.

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Approved by:

Gretchen Musicant, Commissioner of Health

Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval ____ Not Applicable X

Policy Review Group (PRG) Approval ____ Date of Approval ____ Not Applicable X

Presenters in Committee: Gretchen Musicant, Commissioner of Health

Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

X No financial impact (If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information).

Background/Supporting Information Attached

The Department is requesting approval of the attached list of agencies recommended by the Minneapolis Public Health Advisory Committee (PHAC) for HUD CDBG Public Service funding for Years 33 and 34.

These agencies were selected following a competitive RFP process that involved notifying over 500 community agencies and individuals about the availability of the funds. A total of 48 proposals were received with requests for \$3,010,504 in funding for the available maximum of \$681,000. A review committee consisting of representatives from the Public Health Advisory Committee, and community representatives that reflected both expertise in the priority areas and cultural competency, provided the review and recommendations for funding to the PHAC.

Agency	Priority Area	Amount Recommended
Southside Family Nurturing Center	Early Childhood	50,000
St Stephen's Human Services	Early Childhood	50,000
Greater Minneapolis Council of Churches	Seniors	50,000
Living at Home/Block Nurse Programs (Nokomis, Southeast, Longfellow/Seward)	Seniors	75,000
Asian Media Access	Teen Pregnancy Prevention	30,000
Employment Action Center	Teen Pregnancy Prevention	50,000
Minneapolis Public Schools TAPPP	Teen Pregnancy Prevention	76,000
Children's Dental Services	Uninsured	11,000
Lao Assistance Center of Minnesota	Uninsured	55,000
St Mary's Health Clinics	Uninsured	21,000
Fremont Community Health Services, Inc	Uninsured	50,000
Domestic Abuse Project	Youth Violence	40,000
Minneapolis Urban League	Youth Violence	75,000
MIGIZI Communications, Inc	Youth Violence	48,000
Total		\$681,000

Total Funds by priority category

Early Childhood	
Seniors	\$125,000
Teen Pregnancy Prevention	\$156,000
Uninsured	\$137,000
Youth Violence Prevention	\$163,000