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STATE OF MINNESOTA
NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Health and Human Services

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to human services; appropriating money for a grant to the Metropolitan
1.3 Consortium of Community Developers for the Direct Support Professionals
1.4 Employee-Owned Cooperative Program.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **METROPOLITAN CONSORTIUM OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPERS;**
1.7 **APPROPRIATION.**

1.8 \$250,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$250,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from the
1.9 general fund to the commissioner of human services for a grant to the Metropolitan
1.10 Consortium of Community Developers, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, for the following
1.11 activities related to the Direct Support Professionals Employee-Owned Cooperative Program:
1.12 outreach and engagement, managing a screening and selection process, providing one-to-one
1.13 technical assistance, developing and providing training curricula related to cooperative
1.14 development and home and community-based waiver services, administering funds, and
1.15 reporting and program evaluation. These are onetime appropriations.

1.16 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2023.