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Accepting a grant from the Corporation for National and Community Service to support the Saint Paul VISTA Program.

WHEREAS, the City of Saint Paul has received a grant from the Corporation for National and Community Service providing up to 20 AmeriCorps VISTA members to the Saint Paul VISTA Program; and

WHEREAS, the Corporation for National and Community Service supplements efforts of local sponsoring organizations to work on clearly defined tasks which address issues of poverty; and

WHEREAS, the primary objective of the Saint Paul VISTA Program is to close the educational achievement gap between populations in Saint Paul through a comprehensive approach, including: enhancing formal and informal learning opportunities for Saint Paul youth, including before, during and after school; informing and preparing students for post-secondary educational and professional opportunities; and engaging parents, families and the community to support learning and youth success; and

WHEREAS the Corporation for National and Community Service has awarded a grant of \$286,996 to the City of Saint Paul for the 2017-2018 program year; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Saint Paul accepts this grant and authorizes the City of Saint Paul to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Corporation for National and Community Service.