



City of Saint Paul

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Legislation Text

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Authorizing the Police Department to submit an application for funds under a Request for Proposals issued by the U.S. Conference of Mayors and Target Corporation.

WHEREAS, Chapter 10 of the Saint Paul City Charter recognizes the City Council's authority over the budget and spending of the City of Saint Paul; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 86 of the Saint Paul Administrative Code requires all contracts be authorized by the Saint Paul City Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 86.12 of the Saint Paul Administrative Code requires City Council approval prior to submission of grant applications; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Conference of Mayors and Target Corporation have collaborated to release a Request for Proposals - for their Police Reform and Equitable Justice Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the application submitted will be for the SPPD's Community Outreach and Stabilization (COAST) Unit, in which specially-trained officers work with licensed clinical social workers to respond to individuals with mental health and chemical dependency challenges; and

WHEREAS, this grant, if awarded, does not include a matching funds requirement; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Saint Paul, upon recommendation of the Mayor, that the Police Department may submit an application for funds under a Request for Proposals issued by the U.S. Conference of Mayors and Target Corporation