



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of IGR / Grants & Special Projects

Date: December 9, 2014

To: Honorable Lisa Goodman, Chair, Community Development and
Regulatory Services Committee

Referral to: Honorable John Quincy, Chair, Ways and Means/Budget Committee

Subject: Authorize a Cooperative agreement between City of Minneapolis and
the City of Robbinsdale, Minnesota, to facilitate a Minneapolis HOPWA
grant award to Clare Housing for construction of Clare Terrace in
Robbinsdale

Recommendation:

**Authorize a Cooperative agreement between City of Minneapolis and the City of
Robbinsdale to facilitate the transfer of the City of Minneapolis Housing
Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA) grant award of \$100,000 to
Clare Housing for the development and new construction of the 36-unit Clare
Terrace in Robbinsdale**

**Previous Directives: 2013R-192 May 10, 2013, Council authorized \$100,000 of
Minneapolis HOPWA entitlement grant funds to be allocated for development and
new construction of Robbinsdale Clare Terrace, and that the proper City officers be
authorized to execute the necessary contracts.**

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Approved by: Gene Ranieri, Director, IGR/Grants & Special Projects _____

Presenters in Committee: Peter O'Toole, Principal Resource Coordinator

Reviews

- Permanent Review Committee: N/A
- Policy Review Group (PRG): n/a

Financial Impact

- No financial impact

- Other financial impact: None

Community Impact

- Other: The City of Minneapolis HUD HOPWA grant, through its RFP process, provides housing opportunities for persons with HIV/AIDS for the 13 County eligible metropolitan statistical area (ESMA)

Supporting Information:

Each year, Minneapolis receives formula HOPWA funds from HUD. Minneapolis is responsible for identifying the needs and distributing these funds across the 13-county metropolitan area, including two counties in Wisconsin. To achieve this undertaking, the City of Minneapolis solicits applications annually for HOPWA funding through an RFP announced approximately at the end of February each year. Through this process, in 2013, the Minneapolis City Council approved an application from Clare Housing, a Minneapolis Non-profit corporation, and awarded \$100,000 for the construction and development of Clare Terrace in Robbinsdale, Minnesota.