

1.1 Senator moves to amend S.F. No. 2673 as follows:

1.2 Page 18, after line 31, insert:

1.3 **"(v) Listening Sessions; Juvenile Detention**
1.4 **Alternatives Initiative**

1.5 \$10,000,000 is for the following purposes:

1.6 (1) to conduct listening sessions throughout
1.7 the state to solicit feedback from communities,
1.8 local governmental units, nonprofits, and
1.9 community organization groups on available
1.10 grants under this paragraph. The sessions must
1.11 provide information to potential grantees on
1.12 the types of grants available and the process
1.13 of how to seek grants. In addition, the sessions
1.14 must seek input from attendees on the needs
1.15 and priorities of the communities represented
1.16 and the best way to meet these needs and
1.17 priorities through grant awards; and

1.18 (2) to increase funding to the Ramsey County
1.19 Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative and
1.20 to expand this initiative to other counties.

1.21 The base for this activity is \$7,500,000 in
1.22 fiscal year 2024 and thereafter.

1.23 **(w) Prevention Services Grants**

1.24 \$10,000,000 is for grants to local units of
1.25 government, nonprofits, and other community
1.26 organizations to be used to provide prevention
1.27 services to prevent juveniles from entering the
1.28 criminal or juvenile justice system.

1.29 The base for this activity is \$7,500,000 in
1.30 fiscal year 2024 and thereafter.

1.31 As used in this paragraph, "prevention
1.32 services" includes but is not limited to the
1.33 following:

- 2.1 (1) community-based violence prevention
2.2 programs;
- 2.3 (2) preventative mental health and substance
2.4 abuse services with a focus on youth;
- 2.5 (3) truancy reduction programs;
- 2.6 (4) programs offering culturally competent
2.7 support for youth victims of trauma;
- 2.8 (5) programs that offer support for single
2.9 parents or peer-to-peer support for parents;
- 2.10 (6) wrap-around services to ensure at-risk
2.11 youth receive full support;
- 2.12 (7) community-centered programs that offer
2.13 youth activities and colocated mental health
2.14 services, such as youth centers and recreational
2.15 leagues; and
- 2.16 (8) noncolonized behavioral health
2.17 interventions for youth.
- 2.18 **(x) Intervention Services Grants**
- 2.19 \$10,000,000 is for grants to local units of
2.20 government, nonprofits, and other community
2.21 organizations to be used to provide
2.22 intervention services to support work to
2.23 intervene on behalf of youth who are
2.24 interacting with the criminal or juvenile justice
2.25 system.
- 2.26 The base for this activity is \$7,500,000 in
2.27 fiscal year 2024 and thereafter.
- 2.28 As used in this paragraph, "intervention
2.29 services" includes but is not limited to the
2.30 following:
- 2.31 (1) programs that work to disrupt the cycle of
2.32 violence by providing space for community

3.1 healing and wrap-around services to
3.2 communities and individuals who have been
3.3 impacted by group or gun violence, including
3.4 those who have caused harm; and

3.5 (2) programs that work directly with youth
3.6 who have experienced or caused violence to
3.7 provide intervention and healing services and
3.8 that work with youth to prevent future
3.9 incidents.

3.10 **(y) Grants for Services that Reduce**
3.11 **Barriers and Invest in Communities**

3.12 \$10,000,000 is for grants to local units of
3.13 government, nonprofits, and other community
3.14 organizations to be used to provide services
3.15 that reduce barriers for youth in avoiding the
3.16 criminal or juvenile justice system and to
3.17 increase investment in their communities.

3.18 The base for this activity is \$7,500,000 in
3.19 fiscal year 2024 and thereafter.

3.20 As used in this paragraph, "services that
3.21 reduce barriers" includes but is not limited to
3.22 the following:

3.23 (1) youth employment programs, including
3.24 on-the-job training;

3.25 (2) youth employment or internship
3.26 opportunities in creative mediums and small
3.27 business development; and

3.28 (3) mentorship programs with a focus on
3.29 individualized guidance counseling, career
3.30 counseling, and mental health support for
3.31 justice-involved youth.

3.32 **(z) Expedited Disbursement**

4.1 The commissioner shall prepare and make
4.2 available to the public application materials
4.3 for grants issued under paragraphs (v) to (y)
4.4 within three months of an appropriation being
4.5 made to fund the grants.

4.6 The commissioner shall ensure that grant
4.7 applications under paragraphs (v) to (y) are
4.8 received and reviewed and awards are made
4.9 within six months of an appropriation being
4.10 made to fund the grants.

4.11 **(aa) Grant Program Administration;**

4.12 **Reports Required**

4.13 The commissioner shall ensure that the
4.14 administration of grants under paragraphs (v)
4.15 to (y) is conducted by the Office of Justice
4.16 Programs.

4.17 Applicants for grants under paragraphs (v) to
4.18 (y) must submit an application in the form and
4.19 manner established by the commissioner.

4.20 Applicants must specify the type of grant
4.21 being applied for under paragraphs (v) to (y)
4.22 and describe the ways in which grant funds
4.23 will be used in a manner that satisfies the
4.24 requirements for the individual grant.

4.25 When awarding grants under paragraphs (v)
4.26 to (y), the commissioner shall prioritize
4.27 programs that provide culturally specific
4.28 programming. A local unit of government may
4.29 apply for grants to be used by that applicant
4.30 to provide one or more services or as part of
4.31 a collaborative multijurisdictional group of
4.32 governmental units.

4.33 Each year by February 1, the commissioner
4.34 shall report to the chairs and ranking minority

- 5.1 members of the senate and house of
- 5.2 representatives committees and divisions
- 5.3 having jurisdiction over criminal justice
- 5.4 finance and policy on the implementation, use,
- 5.5 and administration of the grant programs
- 5.6 created under paragraphs (v) to (y). At a
- 5.7 minimum, the report must identify the grant
- 5.8 recipients, the amount of money granted to
- 5.9 each recipient, the purpose of the grant,
- 5.10 information on how the grant was used, and
- 5.11 an evaluation of the success of the grantee in
- 5.12 carrying out the activities funded by the grant."
- 5.13 Correct the section totals and the appropriation summary