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Dear Committee Members,

YWCA Minneapolis provides free out-of-school time programs to over 1,100 youth each year. Our comprehensive programs serve k-12 youth at over 25 locations, including YWCA Midtown. While each program has a unique delivery model, the common strategies across all YWCA Minneapolis youth programs are safety, community and leadership, future-orientation, enrichment, and health.

The Youth Intervention Programs Grant provides organizations sustainable funding, ensuring that we can continue to provide high quality programs to youth in the community. An investment in youth programs is an investment in public safety, career and future readiness, and community connection. I urge you to pass the bill in support of Youth Intervention Programs.

Very truly yours,



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