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02/13/2025	372	Introduction and first reading Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety

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A bill for an act

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relating to public safety; appropriating money for shelter services for racially

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diverse youth.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. APPROPRIATION; AT-RISK YOUTH IN ROCHESTER, ST. CLOUD,

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AND EXCELSIOR.

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\$375,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$375,000 in fiscal year 2027 are appropriated from the

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general fund to the commissioner of public safety for the Office of Justice Programs to

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award grants of \$125,000 each fiscal year to 180 Degrees in the Rochester regional area,

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St. Cloud regional area, and central Minnesota region west of the Twin Cities to address

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racial disparities of youth using shelter services. The 180 Degrees shelters in each region

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shall establish and operate a program connected to shelter services to engage in community

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outreach, mobile case management, family reunification, aftercare, and follow up when

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family members are released from shelter services. This program shall specifically address

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the large geographic rural areas served where at-risk youth enter shelters in Rochester, St.

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Cloud, and Excelsior.