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# Report Regional

Participation
in the Livable
Communities Act
Local Housing
Incentives Account –
2009

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A Report to the Legislature Fulfilling Minnesota Statute 473.254, Subdivision 9

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#### INTRODUCTION

The Metropolitan Livable Communities Act (LCA) requires the Metropolitan Council to report by February 1 of every year which municipalities elected to participate and which did not elect to participate in the local housing incentive account (LHIA) program for that calendar year (Minnesota Statutes 473.254, section 5, subsection 9).

#### LCA PARTICIPATION

The LCA supports regional policy which calls for the expansion of the opportunities for affordable and life-cycle housing throughout the region, creative planning that links jobs, transportation and housing, and revitalization of the region's older cities. Communities within the seven-county area that participate in the local housing incentives account program may receive grants or loans from the three funding accounts of the LCA Fund. These funds are the tax base revitalization account, livable communities demonstration account, and the local housing incentives account. Only LCA participating communities may apply for and receive grants from the polluted sites clean-up program administered by the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development. In addition, the law says the Council "shall give consideration to a municipality's participation" in the Local Housing Incentives Account program when making discretionary funding decisions.

As of the publication date of this report, 105 communities were participants in the LCA's local housing incentives program. There was no change in the communities participating in the LCA during 2008.

#### MUNICIPALITIES PARTICIPATING IN THE METROPOLITAN LIVABLE COMMUNITIES ACT LOCAL HOUSING INCENTIVES PROGRAM IN 2009

#### ANOKA COUNTY

Anoka Blaine Centerville Circle Pines

Columbia Heights Columbus

Coon Rapids Fridley Hilltop Lexington Lino Lakes Oak Grove Ramsey St. Francis

Spring Lake Park

#### **CARVER COUNTY**

Carver Chanhassen Chaska Cologne Hamburg Mayer

New Germany Norwood/Young

America Victoria Waconia Watertown

#### DAKOTA COUNTY

Apple Valley Burnsville Eagan Empire Twp. Farmington Hastings

Inver Grove Heights

Lakeville

Mendota Heights

Rosemount

South St. Paul Sunfish Lake West St. Paul

#### HENNEPIN COUNTY

Bloomington Brooklyn Center Brooklyn Park Champlin Crystal Dayton Eden Prairie Edina Excelsion

Golden Valley Hopkins Long Lake Loretto Maple Grove

Maple Plain Medina Minneapolis Minnetonka

Minnetonka Beach

Mound New Hope Orono Osseo Plymouth Richfield Robbinsdale Rogers St. Anthony St. Bonifacius

St. Louis Park Wayzata

#### RAMSEY COUNTY

Arden Hills Falcon Heights Lauderdale Little Canada

Maplewood Mounds View New Brighton North St. Paul Roseville St. Paul Shoreview Vadnais Heights White Bear Twp.

#### SCOTT COUNTY

Belle Plaine Elko-New Market

White Bear Lake

Jordan Prior Lake Savage Shakopee

#### WASHINGTON

#### **COUNTY**

Afton **Bayport** Cottage Grove

Forest Lake

Hugo

Lake St. Croix Beach

Landfall Mahtomedi Newport Oakdale

Oak Park Heights St. Paul Park Stillwater Willernie Woodbury

#### MUNICIPALITIES NOT PARTICIPATING IN THE LOCAL HOUSING INCENTIVES PROGRAM IN 2009

Andover

Baytown Twp. Belle Plaine Twp.

Benton Twp.

Bethel Birchwood Blakeley Twp.

Camden Twp. Castle Rock Twp.

Cedar Lake Twp.

Coates Corcoran

Credit River Twp.

Dahlgren Twp.

Dellwood Deephaven Denmark Twp. Douglas Twp.

East Bethel Eureka Twp. Gem Lake

Grant Greenfield

Greenvale Twp. Greenwood

Grey Cloud Twp.

Ham Lake Hampton Hampton Twp.

Hancock Twp. Hassan Twp.

Helena Twp.

Hollywood Twp. Independence

Jackson Twp. Lake Elmo

Lakeland

Lakeland Shores Laketown Twp.

Lilydale

Linwood Twp. Louisville Twp. Marine on St. Croix

Marshan Twp. May Twp. Medicine Lake

Mendota Miesville Minnetrista

New Market Twp.

New Trier Nininger Twp. North Oaks Nowthen Pine Springs Randolph Randolph Twp.

Ravena Twp. St. Lawrence Twp. St. Mary's Point

San Francisco Twp. Sand Creek Twp.

Scandia Sciota Twp. Shorewood

Spring lake Twp. Spring Park

Stillwater Twp. Tonka Bay

Vermillion

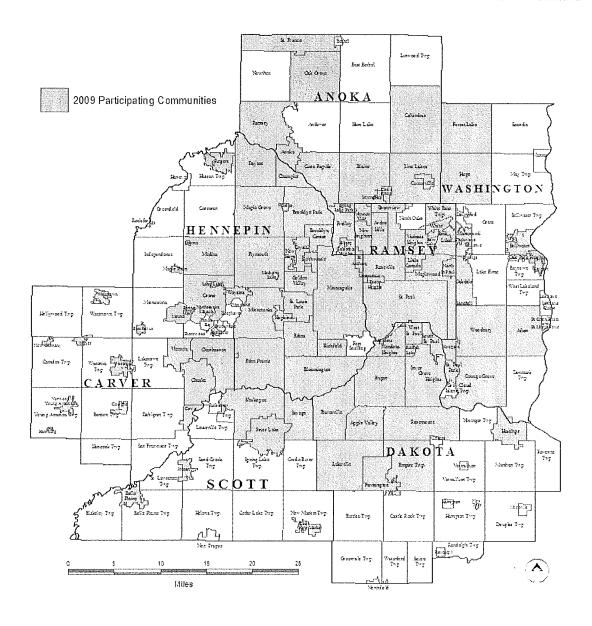
Vermillion Twp. Waconia Twp.

Waterford Twp. Watertown Twp. West Lakeland Twp.

Woodland

Young America Twp.

#### Livable Communities Act Participants, 2009



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