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The Department of Public Safety (DPS) respectfully submits to the Legislature its report on the receipts and expenditures of the anatomical gift account and anatomical gift education grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 171.075 pursuant to Laws 2011, Chapter 80. This report was prepared with the assistance of LifeSource, a Minnesota organ procurement organization.

The anatomical gift education grant program was enacted during the 2011 legislative session to allow Minnesota applicants for a driver's license or an identification card the option to donate \$2 to support public education of organ, tissue and eye donation.

Currently, 2,526,736 Minnesotans are registered as organ donors. This number represents 50% of licensed drivers and 22% of state identification card holders. As of December 31, 2012, DPS collected **\$61,317** in donations for the "You and \$2" program.

Collaborative partners Minnesota Lions Eye Bank, American Donor Services, and LifeSource are actively involved in carrying out grant activities designed to increase the number of Minnesotans who register to be organ, tissue and eye donors. LifeSource, as the organization that best met the legislative requirements related to managing the grant, is the lead agency and fiscal agent.

To date, no expenditures have been incurred; all activity has been planning. Planned expenditures include the cost of video production, distribution, curriculum development, and printing.

Initial goals created in September 1, 2012:

- Produce a driver education video for the teenage audience, and revise printed materials available to instructors and students.
- Develop a driver education curriculum guide to include description of resources available and instructions on usage. Include information about how to schedule outside speakers for classes and how to order additional materials.
- Mail information about new curriculum and materials to drivers' education instructors in Minnesota.
- Develop a video for use in driver's license agent and deputy registrar offices.

Activities through December 31, 2012:

- Monthly meetings with DPS staff and the three collaborative partners.
- Developing Memorandum of Agreement for collaborative partners to sign.
- Execution of grant contract documents with LifeSource.
- Researching and developing a creative approach to producing a driver education video.
- Soliciting student feedback on contents of the video.
- Identifying an appropriate video producer.
- Soliciting feedback from driver education instructors on curriculum contents.
- Researching curriculum contents developed in other states.