# PARTICIPATION IN THE LIVABLE COMMUNITIES ACT LOCAL HOUSING INCENTIVES ACCOUNT -2014

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 to the Minnesota Legislature by February 1 of every year which municipalities elected to participate and which did not elect to participate in the local housing incentives account program ("Program") for that calendar year (Minnesota Statutes 473.254, section 5, subsection 9).

#### **BACKGROUND**

The LCA supports regional policy that calls for the expansion of 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 Program may receive grants or loans from the three funding accounts of the LCA: the tax base revitalization account, livable communities demonstration account, and the local housing incentives account. Further, only LCA-participating communities may apply for and receive grants from the polluted sites cleanup program administered by the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development. Finally, the law says the Council "shall give consideration to a municipality's participation" in the Program when making discretionary funding decisions.

#### LCA PARTICIPATION

During 2013, 94 communities participated in the LCA Program.

#### MUNICIPALITIES PARTICIPATING IN THE METROPOLITAN LIVABLE COMMUNITIES ACT LOCAL HOUSING INCENTIVES PROGRAM IN 2014

#### **ANOKA COUNTY**

Anoka Blaine Centerville Columbia Heights Coon Rapids Fast Bethel Fridley Hilltop Lexington Lino Lakes Oak Grove Ramsey St. Francis

#### **CARVER COUNTY**

Carver

Chaska

Cologne Hamburg Mayer New Germany Norwood/Young America Victoria Waconia Watertown

#### **DAKOTA COUNTY**

Apple Valley Burnsville Eagan Farmington Hastings **Inver Grove Heights** Lakeville Mendota Heights Rosemount South St. Paul 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 Mound New Hope Orono Osseo Plymouth Richfield Robbinsdale Rogers St. Anthony

St. Bonifacius

St. Louis Park

Wayzata

#### **RAMSEY COUNTY**

Arden Hills Falcon Heights Lauderdale Maplewood Mounds View New Brighton North St. Paul Roseville St. Paul Shoreview Vadnais Heights White Bear Twp. White Bear Lake

#### SCOTT COUNTY

Belle Plaine Elko-New Market Jordan Prior Lake Savage

#### **WASHINGTON** COUNTY

Cottage Grove Forest Lake Hugo Lakeland Lake St. Croix Beach Mahtomedi Newport Oakdale St. Paul Park Stillwater Willernie

Woodbury

## MUNICIPALITIES NOT PARTICIPATING IN THE LOCAL HOUSING INCENTIVES PROGRAM IN 2014

Afton Lilydale

Andover Linwood Twp.

Bayport Little Canada

Baytown Twp. Louisville Twp.

Belle Plaine Twp. Marine on St. Croix

Benton Twp. Marshan Twp.
Bethel May Twp.
Birchwood Medicine Lake

Blakeley Twp. Mendota Camden Twp. Miesville

Castle Rock Twp. Minnetonka Beach

Cedar Lake Twp. Minnetrista

Chanhassen New Market Twp.

Circle Pines New Trier
Coates Nininger Twp.
Columbus North Oaks
Corcoran Nowthen

Credit River Twp.

Dahlgren Twp.

Dellwood

Deephaven

Denmark Twp.

Oak Park Heights

Pine Springs

Randolph

Randolph Twp.

Ravena Twp.

Douglas Twp. St. Lawrence Twp. St. Mary's Point Eureka Twp. San Francisco Twp. Sand Creek Twp.

Grant Scandia
Greenfield Sciota Twp.
Greenvale Twp. Shakopee
Greenwood Shorewood

Grey Cloud Twp. Spring Lake Park Ham Lake Spring Lake Twp.

Hampton Spring Park
Hampton Twp. Stillwater Twp.
Hancock Twp. Sunfish Lake
Hassan Twp. Tonka Bay
Helena Twp. Vermillion
Helbarood Twp.

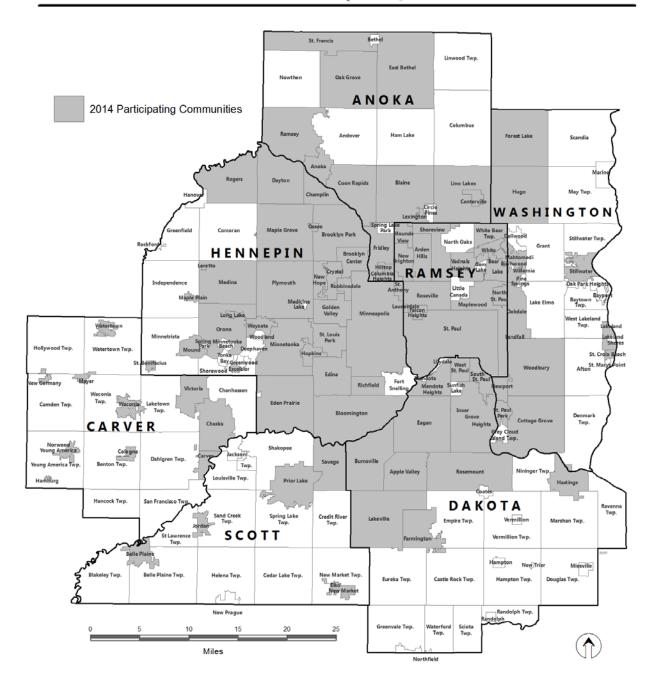
Hollywood Twp.
Independence
Jackson Twp.
Lake Elmo
Lakeland Shores

Vermillion Twp.
Waconia Twp.
Waterford Twp.
Watertown Twp.
West Lakeland Twp.

Laketown Twp. Woodland

Landfall Young America Twp.

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