



Legislative Update

April 16, 2024

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Original Language

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 477A.35, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5a. **Maintenance of effort.** As a condition of receiving aid under this section, a recipient must commit to maintaining its locally funded housing expenditures at a level that is not less than the average level of such expenditures maintained by the recipient for the three preceding fiscal years.

Proposed Amendment

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 477A.35, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5a. **Conditions for receipt.** (a) As a condition of receiving aid under this section, a recipient must commit to using monies to supplement, not supplant, existing locally funded housing expenditures, so that they are using the monies to create new, or to expand existing, housing programs.

(b) In the annual report required under subdivision 6, a recipient must certify its compliance with this subdivision, including an accounting of locally funded housing expenditures in the three prior fiscal years. If a recipient reduces one of its locally funded housing expenditures, the recipient must detail the expenditure, the amount of the reduction, and the reason for the reduction. The certification required under this paragraph must be made available publicly on the website of the recipient.

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