

Subject After-School Programs

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Overview

This bill modifies the after-school community learning programs statute, including grant criteria, and appropriates funds for after-school community learning programs grants.

Summary

Section Description

1 **After-school community learning programs.**

Subd. 1. Establishment. Modifies qualifications for organizations eligible to receive after-school community learning program grants, and adds requirements for how grants must be used.

Subd. 2. Objective. Modifies objectives of after-school community learning programs.

Subd. 3. Grants. Modifies grant proposal requirements. Requires applicants to explain how proposal will support required objectives, and how program will implement effective practices and provide staff access to professional development opportunities. Establishes criteria for grants.

Subd. 4. Technical assistance and continuous improvement. Requires the commissioner to monitor and contract with a nonprofit organization serving as the statewide after-school network for specified services.

2 **After-school program grant; appropriations.**

Appropriates funds for grants for after-school community learning programs. Allows the commissioner to use up to four percent of the appropriation to monitor grant and three percent of the appropriation to contract with the nonprofit organization serving as the statewide after-school network.



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