



**Request for City Council Committee Action  
Health Department**

**Date:** June 22, 2015

**To:** HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT  
COMMITTEE

**Referral to:** WAYS & MEANS/BUDGET COMMITTEE

**Subject:** RECEIVE GRANT FROM THE MINNESOTA COALITION FOR  
BATTERED WOMEN FOR PARTICIPATION IN PROJECT CONNECT

**Recommendation:**

Council authorization for the proper City officials to:

1. accept an amount not to exceed \$15,000 from the Minnesota Coalition for Battered Women for participation in Project Connect to assist youth experiencing intimate partner violence, and
2. increase both the revenue estimate in fund/department 01600-8600152 (revenue code 372001) and the 2015 appropriation in fund/department 01600-8600152 by \$15,000.

**Previous Directives:** Approvals on May 10, 2013 and April 11, 2014 for prior grant awards.

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**Approved by:**

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Gretchen Musicant, Commissioner of Health

**Permanent Review Committee (PRC):** Approval \_\_\_\_ Not Applicable X  
**Policy Review Group (PRG)** Approval \_\_\_\_ Date of Approval \_\_\_\_ Not Applicable X

**Presenters in Committee:** Gretchen Musicant, Commissioner of Health

**Financial Impact (Check those that apply)**

X Action requires an appropriation increase to the \_\_\_\_ Capital Budget or X Operating Budget.  
X Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase.

**Background/Supporting Information Attached**

The School Based Clinic (SBC) program is in its third and final year of support from the Minnesota Coalition for Battered Women to participate in Project Connect. SBC staff has implemented a comprehensive action plan for educating both SBC patients and providers about reproductive coercion, domestic and sexual violence, intimate partner abuse, and dating violence specifically focusing on youth between the ages of 13 and 24 years. Funding for 2015 is estimated not to exceed \$15,000.