

Reply to Common Council File No. 040144

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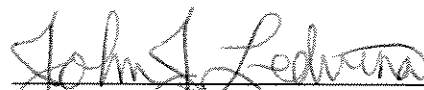
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Common Council File 040144 is a resolution from the Health Department relative to the application, acceptance and funding of the Sexually Transmitted Diseases Grant. This is a continuing grant offered by the State of Wisconsin Division of Health and Family Services. The purpose of this continuing grant is to reduce the incidence and complications of sexually transmitted diseases in Milwaukee by providing health education services and intervention activities.

Sexually transmitted disease incidence remains high in Milwaukee and increasingly overshadows other communicable disease rates. This grant assists the Health Department in achieving its objective to reduce illness and injury from communicable disease and the city-wide goal of improving the health of Milwaukee residents.

In the 2004 grant year, the grantor will provide \$116,636. The grant year is from January 1, 2004 to December 31, 2004. This grant funds two positions, a Microbiologist II and an Office Assistant III, as well as laboratory supplies.

RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE COMMON COUNCIL FILE NO. 040144 WHICH AUTHORIZES THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO APPLY, ACCEPT AND FUND THE SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES GRANT FROM THE WISCONSIN DIVISION OF HEALTH AND FAMILY SERVICES.



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