

Reply to Common Council File No. 041038

From DOA-Budget and Policy Division

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Common Council File 041038 contains a resolution from the Milwaukee Health Department relative to the acceptance and funding of the Lead Outreach Grant. This new \$520,530 grant was awarded by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. It is comprised of \$417,309 in grantor share and \$103,221 in City matching funds. The grant period is January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2006.

The purpose of the grant is to develop and implement intensive and coordinated education, screening and housing advocacy in the Lead Program's target areas. It will contribute to decreasing childhood lead poisoning and increase the number of lead-safe housing units in Milwaukee.

This grant will fund two positions, a Health Project Coordinator Lead and a Lead Risk Assessor II. The city in kind match includes portions of a Public Health Nurse and a Public Health Educator II. The city will contract with two sub-grantees for specific outreach services.

**RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE THE RESOLUTION RELATING TO
ACCEPTANCE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE LEAD OUTREACH GRANT.**



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