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Introduction and first reading  
Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to early childhood; appropriating money for a grant program for family,  
1.3 friend, and neighbor caregivers.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; GRANTS FOR FAMILY, FRIEND, AND NEIGHBOR**  
1.6 **CAREGIVERS.**

1.7 \$5,000,000 in fiscal year 2023 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner  
1.8 of human services for grants to community-based organizations working with family, friend,  
1.9 and neighbor caregivers to promote healthy development, social-emotional learning, early  
1.10 literacy, and school readiness. In awarding grants under this section, the commissioner shall  
1.11 prioritize community-based organizations working with family, friend, and neighbor  
1.12 caregivers who serve children from low-income families, families of color, Tribal  
1.13 communities, or families with limited English language proficiency.