

Minnesota Judicial Branch Policy

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Grants

I. POLICY STATEMENT

It is the policy of the Minnesota Judicial Branch to apply for and implement grants consistent with the strategic plan, operating goals, and fiscal resources of the courts.

The Judicial Branch shall establish uniform guidelines for processing grants administered by the Branch. The guidelines shall provide reasonable flexibility to pursue grants deemed desirable by the individual judicial districts and appellate courts. Grants may be made to the courts by the federal government, Minnesota state agencies, other government entities, or nonprofit organizations such as foundations. This policy applies to all Judicial Branch employees and judges.

II. IMPLEMENTATION AUTHORITY

Implementation of this policy shall be the responsibility of the State Court Administrator, acting as the Judicial Council's agent.

III. EXECUTIVE LIMITATIONS

In carrying out this implementation authority, the State Court Administrator shall consult with the Judicial Administrators and Directors Advisory Workgroup (JAD).