

City of South St. Paul  
Dakota County, Minnesota

**RESOLUTION NO. 2026 – 30**

**APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO SUPPORT NEIGHBORS, INC. COMMUNITY FOOD  
SHELF OPERATIONS**

**WHEREAS**, the City of South St. Paul (“City”), has learned that members of its public, including families living or working in the City, currently face financial hardship as a result of immigration tactics being utilized by the federal Department of Homeland Security, and Immigration and Customs Enforcement (“ICE”) agents; and

**WHEREAS**, Minn. Stat. § 465.039, provides cities authority to appropriate monies out of their general fund, or other unrestricted funds, to provide grants to nonprofit organizations operating community food shelves that provide food to the needy without charge; and

**WHEREAS**, the current financial hardship of many South St. Paul residents and other members of public have caused food insecurity; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of South St. Paul finds that the transfer of \$15,000 from its general fund to the Community Food Shelf Operations at Neighbors, Inc. will help relieve some of this food insecurity.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of South St. Paul, Minnesota, that the City Council approves a grant to Neighbors, Inc. for its Community Food Shelf Operations in the amount of \$15,000; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Administrator is authorized to take such actions to effectuate this grant in accordance with the City Council directive of February 17, 2026.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of South St. Paul, Minnesota, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 2026.



Deanna Werner, City Clerk