

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 3009 as follows:

1.2 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

1.3 "Section 1. [256.9755] CAREGIVER SUPPORT PROGRAMS.

1.4 Subdivision 1. **Program goals.** It is the goal of all area agencies on aging and
1.5 caregiver support programs to support family caregivers of persons with Alzheimer's
1.6 disease or other related dementias who are living in the community by:

1.7 (1) promoting caregiver support programs that serve Minnesotans in their homes and
1.8 communities; and

1.9 (2) providing, within the limits of available funds, the caregiver support services
1.10 that will enable the family caregiver to access caregiver support programs in the most
1.11 cost-effective and efficient manner.

1.12 Subd. 2. **Authority.** The Minnesota Board on Aging shall allocate to area agencies
1.13 on aging the state and federal funds which are received for the caregiver support program
1.14 in a manner consistent with federal requirements.

1.15 Subd. 3. **Caregiver support services.** Funds allocated to an area agency on aging
1.16 for caregiver support services must be used in a manner consistent with the federal Older
1.17 Americans Act caregiver support program to reach family caregivers of persons with
1.18 Alzheimer's disease or related dementias. The funds must be used to provide social,
1.19 nonmedical, community-based services and activities that provide respite for caregivers
1.20 and social interaction for participants."

1.21 Amend the title accordingly