

## **Beltrami Home Security Grant** **Guidelines**

Crime & safety programs were noted as a top priority by Beltrami residents in the 2016 Neighborhood Priority Plan survey. In response, the Housing & Livability Committee proposed the creation of a flexible grant program aimed at increasing home security in Beltrami. On May 2nd, 2016, the BNC Board of Directors approved the creation of the Beltrami Home Security Grant.

This flexible grant program will allow residents to choose what home security option makes the most sense for their particular situation. If a resident is unsure on where to start, we will recommend they start with a free Home Security Audit from the MPD. For more information about the security audit, please contact Nick Juarez: [nicholas.juarez@minneapolismn.gov](mailto:nicholas.juarez@minneapolismn.gov) or 612-673-2797.

### **Funding:**

5/2/16: NRP II (C34015), \$1,500

### **Eligibility**

Approval of application will be based on the following eligibility criteria:

- Location of property to be improved: Any owner or resident of residential building(s) can make an application. Renters must have written permission from the property owner to make improvements. The property must be located within the borders of the Beltrami Neighborhood (North: Broadway Street NE; South: Hennepin Avenue East; East: Interstate 35W; West: Beltrami Avenue NE and Harrison Street NE; Zip Code: 55413)
- Limits: One grant per household or unit; 4 or more applications at the same multi-family building subject to approval by Housing & Livability Committee.
- Type of improvement: Funded improvements will be limited to projects that will improve home security. Eligible improvements may include, but are not limited to, exterior security lights, door locks, window locks, window pins, strike plates, security alarm systems, security cameras, door or window replacement.
- Complete application: Applications must contain all required information to be considered.

### **Payment**

Upon completion of the work, the Grantee must submit the following items to the BNC:

1. A final invoice showing the total cost for the project and/or for security improvements being completed by the Grantee, detailed receipts from the materials supplier.

2. For work requiring a City permit, proof of final inspection by the City of Minneapolis Inspections Department. (See acceptable forms of verification in the Proposed Project Information section above.)
3. Proof of payment of the Grant funds to contractor.