

Amend **HB 13** (house committee printing) on page 4 by striking lines 3-15 and substituting the following:

(h) A nonprofit or governmental entity that applies for a grant under this section must notify each local mental health authority with a local service area that is covered wholly or partly by the entity's proposed community mental health program and must provide in the entity's application a letter of support from each local mental health authority with a local service area that is covered wholly or partly by the entity's proposed community mental health program. The commission and the administrator shall consider a local mental health authority's written input before awarding a grant under this section and may take any recommendations made by the authority.