

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
DES MOINES, IOWA**

**CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION 96-227
JUNE 3, 1996 AGENDA**

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
ENGINEERING DESIGN SERVICES FOR ADDITIONAL STORMWATER RETENTION BASINS AT EASTER LAKE	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	HAROLD E. SMITH CITY ENGINEER

SYNOPSIS —

This agreement amendment provides for additional professional engineering design services for design of two additional retention basins.

FISCAL IMPACT —

Funds for this agreement are provided for in the 1995-96 Capital Improvements Program, page 252. Compensation to the consultant for these amendments will be \$52,543. This project is funded by stormwater utility revenues. Funds are available for this agreement amendment.

RECOMMENDATION —

Approval of the agreement amendment with Snyder and Associates.

BACKGROUND —

The Southeast Annexation Area Comprehensive Stormwater Study and Master Plan, July 1994, recommends, as a priority, the construction of retention basins to control stormwater runoff, siltation and erosion in the tributaries of Easter Lake. The 1995-96 CIP includes funding for design construction of two of these basins. These improvements are funded by a combination of stormwater utility funds and funds from Polk County through a proposed 28E Agreement with the City.

As planning for the improvements proceeded, the City became aware of a proposal to develop the area and work in conjunction with the developer in coordinating the construction of these basins. This allowed for a cost savings in constructing two additional basins identified in the master plan. The original design services agreement provided for the design of two of these basins. This amendment provides for the design of two additional basins for which the construction is proposed in the FY96-97 CIP.