

OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
DES MOINES, IOWA

ITEM _____

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION 96-384
SEPTEMBER 3, 1996 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
FEDERAL EQUITABLE SHARING AND ANNUAL CERTIFICATION REPORT	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	WILLIAM MOULDER CHIEF OF POLICE

SYNOPSIS —

The Federal Equitable Sharing Agreement and Annual Certification Report has been prepared for submission to the United States Department of Justice. Council approval is required to authorize the Mayor and the Chief of Police to sign this agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT —

N/A

RECOMMENDATION —

Approval.

BACKGROUND —

The Council's last action on this matter was August 21, 1995. At that time the Council unanimously voted to grant the authorization and submit the report.

This report is to verify to the Federal Government that forfeited funds collected by the City have been utilized in accordance with the "Guide to Equitable Sharing of Federally Forfeited Property for State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies". Generally, funds are to be used for activities calculated to enhance future investigations, law enforcement training, law enforcement equipment and operations, detention facilities, law enforcement facilities and equipment, drug education and awareness programs, asset accounting and tracking, and pro rata funding of multi-agency items or facilities. A complete copy of the "Guide" is on file at the City Clerk's Office.