

OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
DES MOINES, IOWA

ITEM 26C

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION 97-011
JANUARY 6, 1997 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
1996-97 CIP AUTHORIZATION TO ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY ON VARIOUS CIP PROJECTS	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	HAROLD E. SMITH CITY ENGINEER

SYNOPSIS —

Council authorization to acquire right-of-way is requested for the following projects:

1. Euclid Avenue Detention Basin
2. Easton Boulevard Detention Basin

FISCAL IMPACT —

Funding for the right-of-way costs is included in the adopted 1996-97 Capital Improvements Program.

RECOMMENDATION —

Authorize the City Manager to acquire the right-of-way for the projects outlined herein.

BACKGROUND —

1. Citywide Stormwater Utility Projects, page 276 in the adopted Capital Improvements Program – \$420,000 estimated right-of-way cost. The construction of the Euclid Avenue Detention Basin is recommended in the Dean's Lake Basin Study. The detention basin will mitigate funding in the upper reaches of the Dean's Lake Basin.
2. Southern Seventh Ward Ditch Improvements, page 283 in the adopted Capital Improvements Program – \$400,000 estimated right-of-way cost. The construction of the Easton Boulevard Detention Basin is recommended in the Seventh Ward Ditch Flood Control Study. The detention basin will mitigate neighborhood flooding in the southern Seventh Ward Ditch area.