



**CITY COUNCIL  
COMMUNICATION:**

**ITEM \_\_\_\_\_**

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

**99-226**

**SYNOPSIS -**

**AGENDA:**

Accept \$4,500 grant from the Iowa Arts Council.

MAY 17, 1999

**FISCAL IMPACT -**

**SUBJECT:**

The \$4,500 grant includes matching funds in the amount of \$4,500 provided in the Adopted Operating Budget.

NITEFALL ON THE  
RIVER IOWA ARTS  
COUNCIL GRANT  
AWARD - SIMON  
ESTES RIVERFRONT  
AMPHITHEATER

**RECOMMENDATION -**

**Approve \$4,500 grant from the Iowa Arts Council.**

**TYPE:**

**BACKGROUND -**

**RESOLUTION**  
ORDINANCE  
RECEIVE/FILE

Awarded by the Iowa Arts Council of the State of Iowa, the organization grant provides operating support to non-profit organizations for the development of arts projects which emphasize artistic excellence, encourage financial stability, and demonstrate access to the arts for a broad constituency. A highly-competitive process, the City applied for and received a \$7,000 organization grant in Fiscal Year (FY) 1997, and a \$6,400 organization grant in FY 1998. The \$4,500 in grant funds will be used to help offset the cost of producing the nine-week Nitefall on the River concert series being planned for June, July, and August 1999.

**SUBMITTED BY:**

DONALD M. TRIPP  
PARK AND  
RECREATION  
DIRECTOR

The competitive grant award is determined by both the number of applicants and the scoring of the applications. This grant requires an equal amount of matching funds, which is already secured through the City's Operating Budget.

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