

**CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNICATION:**

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

00-107

SYNOPSIS -

AGENDA:

MARCH 27, 2000

SUBJECT:

APPROVE 28E
AGREEMENT WITH
WARREN COUNTY
FOR PAVING OF
FLEUR DRIVE

The City has developed a 28E Agreement with Warren County for paving Fleur Drive from County Line Road to 325 feet south and grading County Line Road from Fleur Drive to 700 feet east. This agreement is authorized under Chapter 28E of the 1997 Code of Iowa and provides that public agencies may cooperate in such a way as to provide joint services or facilities to their constituents and to cooperate in other ways of mutual advantage.

Under this agreement, the City would provide engineering services, which would include the preparation of the plans and specifications, acquisition of right-of-way, and the contractual administration, including construction inspection of this project. The agreement further provides that the costs would be shared proportionately on the project.

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
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FISCAL IMPACT -

Funding for these improvements is included in the 2000-01 Capital Improvements Program Budget, page STR-29. The City's cost for this project is \$150,000.

SUBMITTED BY:

FLOYD BENTZ, P.E.
CITY ENGINEER

RECOMMENDATION -

Approval.

BACKGROUND -

On April 15, 1996, by Roll Call No. 96-1400, the City Council approved a Pre-Design Agreement with the Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT), Warren County, and other jurisdictions for a proposed improvement of an extension of primary road No. Iowa 5 from Interstate 35 to U.S. Highway

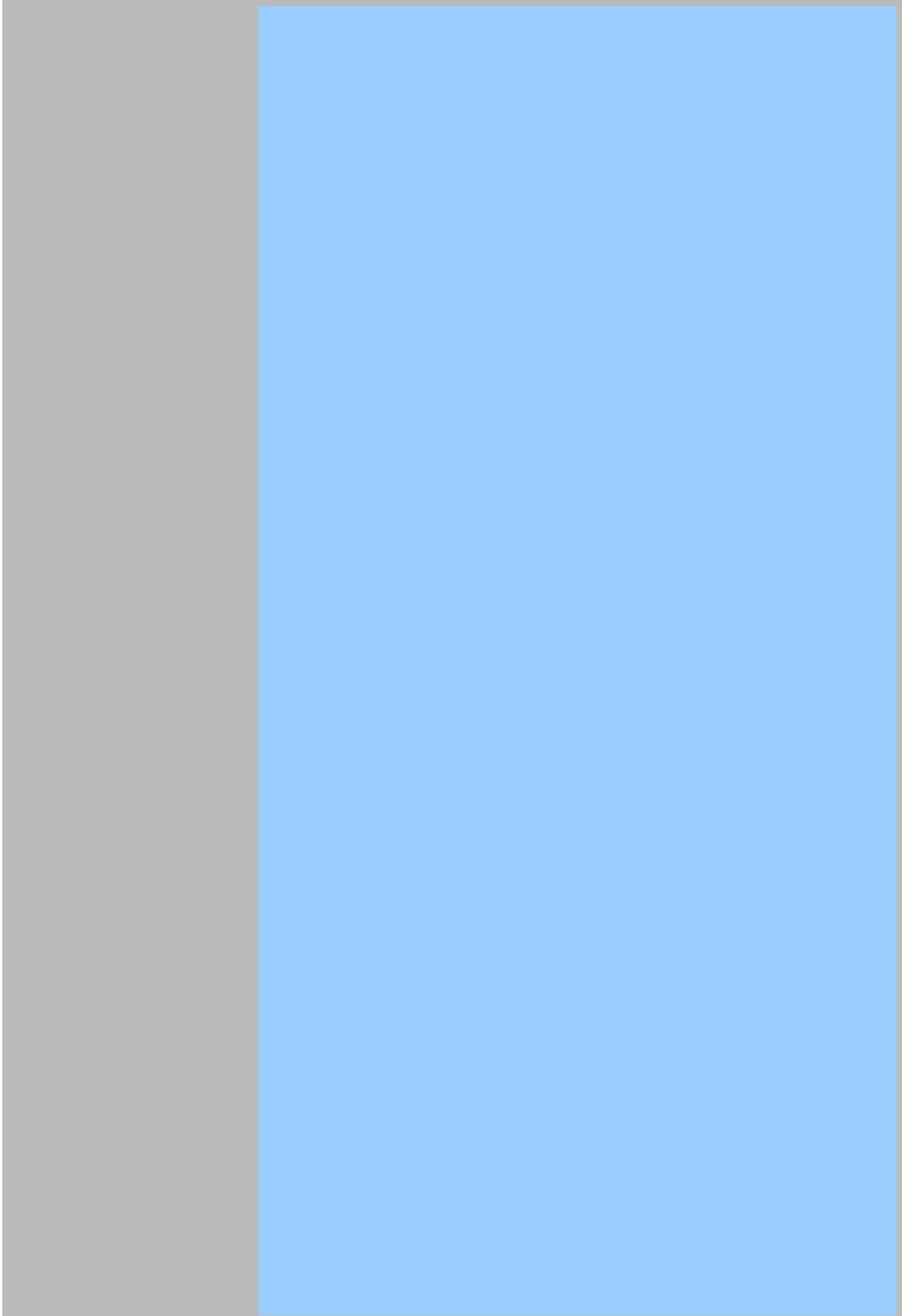
69. The Pre-Design Agreement specified that the City and Warren County will reconstruct Fleur Drive from Relocated Iowa 5 to Army Post Road prior to IDOT completing the new interchange on Iowa 5 at Fleur Drive, which is currently scheduled for completion this year.

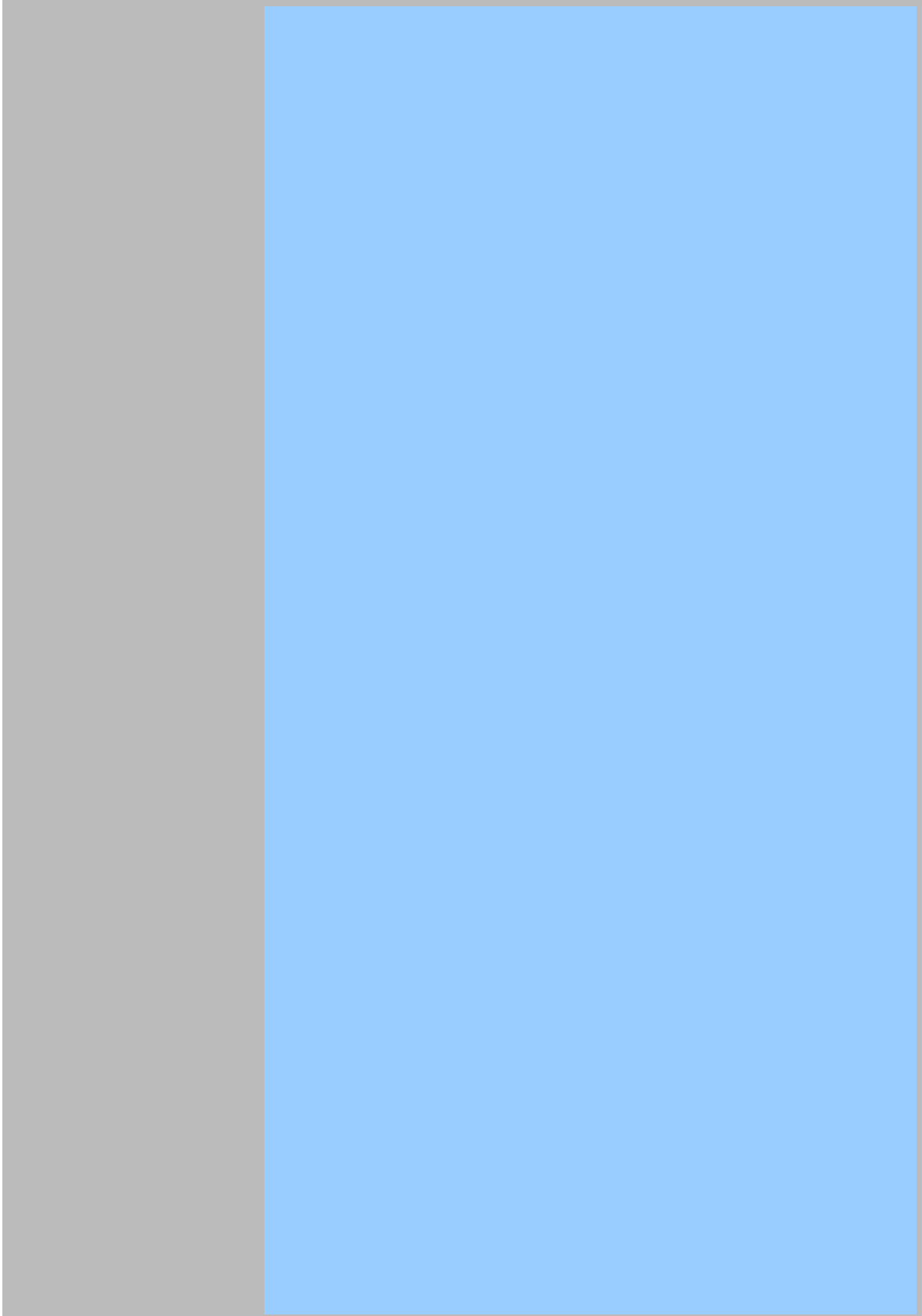
The 28E Agreement specifies that Warren County fund the full cost of paving Fleur Drive south of County Line Road. The 28E Agreement specifies the cost to grade County Line Road east of Fleur Drive will be shared equally by Warren County and the City. The agreement also includes provisions for termination of the project if either party so desires.

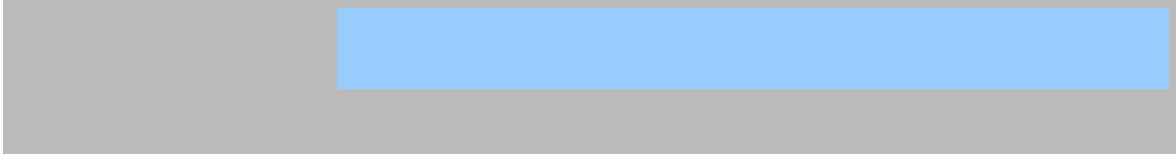












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