CITY COUNCIL ITEM **COMMUNICATION:** OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA 00-111 **SYNOPSIS** -**AGENDA:** The Council appointed the membership of the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant (LLEBG) Advisory Board, accepted the LLEBG Advisory Board charge, and approved the proposed MARCH 27, 2000 LLEBG Advisory Board schedule of events at the January 24, 2000 Council meeting. The LLEBG Advisory Board held their **SUBJECT:** first meeting on February 9, 2000 to review the grant application. The LLEBG Advisory Board's second meeting and 1999 LOCAL LAW public hearing was held March 10, 2000, at 10:00 AM, at **ENFORCEMENT** Police Headquarters. The LLEBG Advisory Board has prepared **BLOCK GRANT** and is forwarding their report of non-binding recommendations **REPORT** on the Police Department's proposed use of grant funds. **TYPE: FISCAL IMPACT -RESOLUTION** The total award is in the amount of \$306,567, which includes **ORDINANCE** the LLEBG award of \$275,910 and the use of \$30,657 in RECEIVE/FILE forfeited funds for local match. The grant application purpose area the Police Department applied for was "Law enforcement support for procuring equipment, technology and other material **SUBMITTED BY:** directly related to basic law enforcement functions." Acquisition of equipment will follow accepted City purchasing WILLIAM H. procedures. **MOULDER** CHIEF OF POLICE **RECOMMENDATION -**Receive and adopt the LLEBG Advisory Board's report, authorize the Mayor to sign the Federal Follow-up Information Form for submission to the Bureau of Justice Assistance, and disband the 1999 LLEBG Advisory Board. **BACKGROUND** -

The Council approved the grant application and authorized the

Police Department to proceed, on behalf of the City, with the electronic application process. Council also approved the Police Department to acquire appropriate signatures, as required by the grant at the August 13, 1999 Council meeting, Roll Call No. 99-2650.

The Council accepted the Grant Award and Special Conditions documents, established and appointed the membership of the LLEBG Advisory Board, accepted the LLEBG Advisory Board charge, and approved the proposed LLEBG Advisory Board schedule of events at the January 24, 2000 Council meeting with Roll Call No. 00-209.

