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AGENDA:

MAY 1, 2000

SUBJECT:

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES FY2000 SECTION 319 WATER QUALITY PROJECT FUNDING GRANT APPLICATION

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
ORDINANCE
RECEIVE/FILE

SUBMITTED BY:

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SYNOPSIS -

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) has given the City the opportunity to apply for state funding to help fund the construction of a stormwater retention basin as recommended by the adopted Southeast Annex Area Comprehensive Storm Water Study and Master Plan, July 1994.

FISCAL IMPACT -

Funding is from Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Index Code 366161 - Storm Water Master Plan - Easter Lake Improvements, Phase I - Account 543040; Fund EN304; Organization ENG990000; Project/Grant STE061; as follows:

$122,000 2000-2001 City Stormwater Enterprise Funds
$100,000 Polk County Conservation Commission
$176,000 IDNR Fiscal Year (FY) 2000 Section 319 Funds
$398,000 Total Funds Required for Project

RECOMMENDATION -

Authorize the City Manager to execute on behalf of the City the application for FY2000 Section 319 Water Quality Project Funding from IDNR for the purpose of obtaining state financial assistance.

BACKGROUND -

The Stormwater Utility Division of the Engineering Department has continually been planning and funding projects to improve the quality of the water entering Easter Lake since the completion and adoption of the Southeast Annex Storm Water study and Master Plan, July 1994. In the master plan,

one of the projects recommended was the construction of retention basin #10 in the 2600 block of Easter Lake Drive. If the City receives funding from the 319 program, this project will be a jointly funded project by the City, Polk County and State of Iowa.