



**CITY COUNCIL  
COMMUNICATION:**

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

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

**00-422**

**SYNOPSIS -**

**AGENDA:**  
SEPTEMBER 11, 2000

In January of 2000, the Des Moines Development Corporation merged with the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce/Choose Des Moines Communities to become the Greater Des Moines Partnership. This ordinance would replace references made to the "Des Moines Development Corporation" with "Greater Des Moines Partnership" in Section 2-369, Paragraph F of the Municipal Code of Des Moines.

**SUBJECT:**  
  
AMENDMENT OF  
MUNICIPAL CODE-  
NAME CHANGE-  
DES MOINES  
DEVELOPMENT  
CORPORATION TO  
GREATER DES  
MOINES  
PARTNERSHIP

**FISCAL IMPACT -**

None.

**RECOMMENDATION -**

**Approval.**

**TYPE:**  
  
RESOLUTION  
**ORDINANCE**  
RECEIVE/FILE

**BACKGROUND -**

**SUBMITTED BY:**  
  
JAMES GRANT  
COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT  
DIRECTOR

On April 15, 1991, the City Council adopted Ordinance Number 11,651 amending the Municipal Code establishing the Neighborhood Revitalization Board. As part of the Board structure, the Des Moines Development Corporation was given one appointee. Recently, the Des Moines Development Corporation merged with the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce/Choose Des Moines Communities and is now known as the Greater Des Moines Partnership. In order to make the Code reflect the actual name of the organization, staff recommends that in all cases where "Des Moines Development Corporation" appears in Section 2-369, Paragraph F of the Des Moines Municipal Code, that it be replaced with "Greater Des Moines Partnership."

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