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CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION:	ITEM
	OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
01-149	CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA
AGENDA:	SYNOPSIS -
MARCH 26, 2001	On June 15, 1998, by Roll Call No. 98-1935, the City Council approved continuation of the curbside recycling program in Des
SUBJECT:	Moines when the Metro Waste Authority (MWA) could no longer afford to maintain it. In conjunction with transfer of the program, the MWA agreed to make a financial contribution to the City of
CONTRIBUTION FROM METRO	\$150,000 in Fiscal Year 2001.
WASTE AUTHORITY	Pursuant to the City's "Keep Des Moines Beautiful" Program, the City submitted a beautification plan to the MWA's "Keep Iowa Beautiful" initiative. It has now been agreed that of the \$150,000 to
TYPE:	be paid to the City, the MWA will provide \$75,000 for the "Keep Des Moines Beautiful" Program and \$75,000 for the Curb It
RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	Program. The executive director of the MWA will present the mayor with a check in that amount at the Council's regularly scheduled meeting of March 26, 2001.
SUBMITTED BY:	FISCAL IMPACT -
WILLIAM G. STOWE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR	The \$75,000 "Keep Des Moines Beautiful" Program amount will be deposited into the "Keep Des Moines Beautiful" budget, and the \$75,000 for the Curb It Program will be placed in the Solid Waste Collection Enterprise Account.
	RECOMMENDATION -
	Receive and deposit the \$150,000 contribution from the MWA.
	BACKGROUND -
	The "Keep Des Moines Beautiful" Program involves a number of activities designed to improve the overall appearance of the City. Funding for the program is necessary to accomplish the "Keep Des

Moines Beautiful" Program objectives.

The Curb It Program in Des Moines is funded by the Solid Waste Enterprise Account. Funds from the MWA will be used to help stabilize user fees.

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