

## Meeting Agendas/Info

CITY COUNCIL  
COMMUNICATION:

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

01-231

**SYNOPSIS -**

**AGENDA:**

MAY 7, 2001

Professional Services Agreement with Stanley Consultants, Inc. (Michael D. Flattery, Vice President, 100 Court Avenue, Suite 300, Des Moines, IA 50309-2200) for design services for the Crawford Creek Watershed Conceptual Design.

**SUBJECT:**

PROFESSIONAL  
SERVICES  
AGREEMENT FOR  
DESIGN SERVICES  
FOR THE  
CRAWFORD CREEK  
WATERSHED  
CONCEPTUAL  
DESIGN

**FISCAL IMPACT -**

Compensation to the consultant is not to exceed \$176,792.60. Funds for this agreement are provided for in the 2001-02/2006-07 Capital Improvements Program, Page Storm Sewer Improvements-17, Index Code 367367, Fund EN304, Organization ENG990000, Project STE072.

**TYPE:**

**RESOLUTION**  
ORDINANCE  
RECEIVE/FILE

**RECOMMENDATION -**

**Approval.**

**SUBMITTED BY:**

FLOYD BENTZ, P.E.  
CITY ENGINEERING

**BACKGROUND -**

The Crawford Creek Watershed, in south central Des Moines, has experienced numerous flooding events as a result of localized rainfall. The watershed is generally located west of S.E. 14th Street, north of Watrous Avenue, east of S.W. 9th Street, and south of Hartford Avenue. The watershed is comprised of over 1,400 acres of residential and commercial properties and is one of the larger watersheds in the city. It includes portions of the Indianola Hills, McKinley School/Columbus Park, and Greater South Side Neighborhood Associations.

In order to implement needed stormwater drainage improvements, the Engineering Department requested proposals from six professional services firms. The City received proposals from five of these firms. A consultant selection team comprised of staff from the Engineering

Department and Public Works Department, and representatives from the neighborhood associations were assembled to evaluate the proposals. The firm of Stanley Consultants, Inc. was selected as the firm that could best provide the required project services.

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