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**CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNICATION:**

ITEM _____

01-336

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

AGENDA:

JUNE 18, 2001

SUBJECT:

UNIVERSITY
AVENUE
RESTRIPING

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
ORDINANCE
RECEIVE/FILE

SUBMITTED BY:

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SYNOPSIS -

On June 12, 2001, the City received bids for the University Avenue Restriping project. Only one bid was received which was from Dennis Parking Lot Maintenance, Inc. (Lynn R. Dennis, President, P.O. Box 3031, Des Moines, IA 50316). This report explains staff's recommendation to accept the bid.

FISCAL IMPACT -

The bid received was for \$64,895.65. This is approximately \$14,000 under the engineer's estimate. There is sufficient funding for this project in CIP, TFC-4, City-wide signals, channelization, and school crossing protection program.

RECOMMENDATION -

Award of this construction contract to Dennis Parking Lot Maintenance, Inc.

BACKGROUND -

Four contractors indicated that they were interested in bidding this project and had obtained plans and specifications. Staff has contacted two of the three contractors that did not submit a bid and received the following reasons why bids were not submitted:

- One contractor stated they were not capable of applying "polyurea".
- One contractor bid a job in Davenport rather than Des Moines.


