

**CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNICATION:**

02-598

AGENDA:

NOVEMBER 18, 2002

SUBJECT:

GRANT AGREEMENT
WITH THE IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION
FOR CAPITAL
IMPROVEMENTS AT
THE DES MOINES
INTERNATIONAL
AIRPORT

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
ORDINANCE
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SUBMITTED BY:

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

SYNOPSIS –

The 2002 Iowa Legislature appropriated \$1 million for the FY2003 Commercial Air Service Vertical Infrastructure Fund to the Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT) for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2002, and ending June 30, 2003, for improvements at the eight Commercial Service Airports within the State.

The program provides for one-half of the appropriated funds to be allocated equally between each of the Commercial Service Airports and the remaining forty percent and ten percent of the funds are divided based on enplanements and cargo activity, respectively. Enplanement data was based on the most current data available from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), which is calendar year 2000. This distribution formula will provide the Des Moines International Airport \$391,532.00 for the current Fiscal Year (July 1, 2002, to June 30, 2003).

FISCAL IMPACT –

None.

RECOMMENDATION –

Approval.

BACKGROUND –

On May 7, 2002 by Resolution No. A02-93, the Airport Board approved the application to the Iowa Department of Transportation for the Commercial Air Service Vertical Infrastructure Program for the following projects:

- Airfield Maintenance Storage Building
- Airfield Maintenance Sand Storage Building
- Terminal Lobby Security Modifications
- Expanded South Cargo Building
- Field Maintenance Trades Building

On November 5, 2002 by Resolution No. A02-244, the Airport Board recommended the City Council approve the grant agreement between the City and IDOT.

