

**CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNICATION:**

03-394

AGENDA:

AUGUST 11, 2003

SUBJECT:

AUTHORIZATION TO
PROCEED WITH JOINT
FUNDING
AGREEMENT WITH
THE U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF THE
INTERIOR

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
ORDINANCE
RECEIVE/FILE

SUBMITTED BY:

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ITEM _____

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

SYNOPSIS —

Authorization to proceed with joint funding agreement with the U.S. Department of the Interior for the operation and maintenance of six river and stream gaging stations. This agreement is revised annually to reflect current costs. This action will adjust the cost for the 2003/2004 agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT —

The total costs for the period from October 1, 2003 to September 30, 2004 is \$72,180. The funding distribution is: Des Moines - \$29,072.50, West Des Moines - \$11,027.50, and Des Moines Water Works - \$8,020. Funds for these compensations are provided for in the Flood Early Warning System Maintenance Fund: Index Code 951780, Fund EN301, Organization PWK077010, Project OPR160, Activity ID 30-2004-020.

RECOMMENDATION —

Approval.

BACKGROUND —

The Joint Funding Agreement is provided for in a 28E Agreement (Roll Call No. 96-2001, dated May 28, 1996) between the City of Des Moines, the City of West Des Moines, and the Des Moines Water Works.

