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SUBJECT—

Approving and authorizing the execution of IaDOT Agreement for Fleur Drive Resurfacing from the Railroad Viaduct to M.L. King Jr. Parkway.

SYNOPSIS—

The Iowa Department of Transportation (IaDOT) has proposed an agreement between the City of Des Moines and the IaDOT for Fleur Drive Resurfacing from the Railroad Viaduct to M.L. King Jr. Parkway. The total estimated project cost is \$500,000.

The construction costs are eligible for 80% reimbursement by IaDOT Surface Transportation Program (STP) Funds, up to a maximum of \$360,000. The City of Des Moines will provide matching funding for construction, design and construction administration services. Total City funding is estimated to be \$140,000.

FISCAL IMPACT—

Funding for this project is available in the current Capital Improvements Program Budget, Index Code 485144, Account 543060, Fund CP038, Organization ENG990000, Project STR199 – Fleur Drive Resurfacing – Entrance of Grays Lake Park to Army Post Road.

RECOMMENDATION—

Approval of this agreement with IaDOT.

BACKGROUND—

On November 5, 2001, by Roll Call Number 01-3375, the City Council authorized the City Manager to submit an application to IaDOT for STP funds for resurfacing Fleur Drive from the Railroad Viaduct to M.L. King Jr. Parkway. This funding request was subsequently approved, and IaDOT has prepared an agreement for the proposed improvement, which consists of repair and preparation of the existing roadway and resurfacing with hot mix asphalt. The work is scheduled for summer 2005.