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|  <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p> | Date | October 27, 2008 |
| | Agenda Item No. 27 Roll Call No. 08- Communication No. 08-649 Submitted by: Larry Hulse, Director, Community Development Department | |

AGENDA HEADING:

Resolution approving a concurrent notice to the public and request for the release of funds from the Iowa Department of Economic Development (IDED) for State CDBG Housing Disaster Recovery Funds.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend Council approval of the Environmental Review Record and determinations for the CDBG Supplemental Housing Disaster Recovery Funds under IDED contract 08-DRH-009 and have the Mayor execute the Request for Release of Funds. The Community Development Department performs the environmental review as the HUD designated Responsible Entity (RE).

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$588,507.

Funding Source: The Iowa Department of Economic Development is providing funding for the CDBG Housing Disaster Recovery Fund. No City matching funds are required.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The Iowa Department of Economic Development has a contract (08-DRH-009) with the City of Des Moines for funding through the CDBG Housing Disaster Recovery Fund for the primary purpose of assisting program eligible low and moderate income persons and families with housing repair and rehabilitation, homebuyer assistance and interim mortgage assistance.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: October 13, 2008

Roll Call Number: 08-1809

Action: Approving CDBG Housing Disaster Recovery Fund Contract with Iowa Department of Economic Development. Sponsor: Mahaffey. (Council Communication No. 08-628) Moved by Mahaffey to adopt. Motion Carried 6-1. Absent: Cownie.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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