Council Communication Office of the City Manager	Date:	October 25, 2010
	Agenda Item No.	35
	Roll Call No.	[]
	Communication No.	<u>10-646</u>
	Submitted by:	Judy Bradshaw
		Chief of Police

AGENDA HEADING:

2010 COPS Secure Our Schools Grant Award Approval

SYNOPSIS:

Through the U.S. Department of Justice, the City of Des Moines has been awarded a COPS Secure Our Schools Grant in the amount of \$100,000. Council approval is required to authorize the Mayor and Chief of Police to sign and accept the award. The funding will bring state of the art security systems to Des Moines schools. The systems would include card entry readers, exterior security lighting, security cameras and double cylinder locks to Elementary, Middle, and High Schools in the City of Des Moines

FISCAL IMPACT:

This project is estimated to cost \$200,000. The grant will fund up to 50% of the total cost to implement the program. The School District has agreed to provide the rest of the funding with the Police Department responsible for the administration of the grant. The grant is for a two-year period from 09-01-2010 through 08-31-2012.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

At the June 28, 2010 Council Meeting under Roll Call No. 10-1032, Council Communication No. 10-417, Item 21, Council approved a \$200,000 grant application through the Department of Justice, Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) office, 2010 COPS Secure Our Schools Grant program to request funding which would bring state of the art security systems to Des Moines Schools.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION (S):

<u>Date</u>: June 28, 2010

Roll Call Number: 10-1032

<u>Action</u>: <u>Grant</u> Application through (COPS) Secure Our Schools Program for funding to bring state-ofthe-art security systems to Des Moines Schools with an estimated cost of \$200,000 with grant funding of 50% and the balance to be paid by the Des Moines School District. (<u>Council Communication No. 10-</u> <u>371</u>) **Moved by Moore to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.** Date: June 09, 2008

Roll Call Number: 08-1012

Action: 2008 COPS Secure Our Schools Grant Application. (Council Communication No. 08-315) Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: June 04, 2007

Roll Call Number: 07-1087

Action: <u>2007</u> COPS Secure Our Schools Grant Application. (<u>Council Communication No. 07-310</u>) Moved by Vlassis to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

<u>Date</u>: June 06, 2005

Roll Call Number: 05-1409

<u>Action</u>: 2005 COPS Secure Our Schools Grant Application for a surveillance system at Des Moines area high schools. (<u>Council Communication No. 05-317</u>) Moved by Hensley to approve. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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