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	Agenda Item No. 30 Roll Call No. <u>10-2087</u> Communication No. <u>10-755</u> Submitted by: William G. Stowe, Assistant City Manager—Public Works Director

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving and authorizing the execution of agreement for cooperative public service between Polk County, Iowa and the Cities of Ankeny, Des Moines and Pleasant Hill for the Four Mile Creek Watershed Study, in an amount not to exceed \$150,000.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the agreement for cooperative public service between Polk County, Iowa and the Cities of Ankeny, Des Moines and Pleasant Hill for the Four Mile Creek Watershed Study, in an amount not to exceed \$150,000.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$150,000

Funding Source: 2010-11 CIP, STE072, Page Storm Water Improvements-18, Watershed Studies.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The purpose of this agreement is to establish the terms and conditions of the relationship between Polk County and the cities of Ankeny, Des Moines and Pleasant Hill for completion of a comprehensive study of the Four Mile Creek Watershed. The total estimated cost of the study is \$600,000 which will be equally shared between each party of the agreement, with the County responsible for any costs greater than the estimated \$600,000. Polk County will act as the lead agency for completion of this study. The scope of the study will include development of new hydrologic and hydraulic models consistent with Federal Emergency Management Agency’s (FEMA) guidelines and specifications, evaluation of the impacts of future land use within the watershed, development of flood reduction alternatives and development of a plan of implementation of preferred alternatives.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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