

 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date: January 24, 2011
	Agenda Item No. 6 Roll Call No. <u>11-</u> Communication No. <u>11-038</u> Submitted by: Pamela S. Cooksey, P.E. Acting City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Ordering construction of the following: University Avenue Storm Sewer - 42nd Street to 43rd Street - Receiving bids, (2-15-11), and Setting date of hearing, (2-28-11). (Construction Estimate - \$100,000).

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend the City Council proceed with construction of the improvement and set dates to receive bids and hold a public hearing, as required by Iowa Code, utilizing the method of financing referenced below. This project provides for the construction of an eight-inch diameter storm sewer along University Avenue and 43rd Street to address minor drainage concerns and ponding storm water on University Avenue.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$100,000 (City Engineer's Estimate)

Funding Source: 2010-2011, Page Storm - 4, City-wide Storm Water Utility Projects, STE057, Storm Water Utility Funds

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The Engineering Department has prepared plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer's estimate for the construction of the University Avenue Storm Sewer - 42nd Street to 43rd Street, 08-2011-004. The improvement includes 449 L.F. of open cut 8 inch PVC storm sewer, 207 L.F. of directionally bored 8 inch PVC storm sewer, 4 each of type M-A storm sewer manholes, remove and replace 410 S.Y. of 7 inch PCC pavement with 2 inch HMA overlay, remove and replace 6 inch PCC driveways, tree protection, traffic control, project sign and restoration; all in accordance with the contract documents including Plan File Nos. 527-003/006, and generally located along University Avenue from 42nd Street to 43rd Street and north on 43rd Street from University Avenue to 150 feet north of University Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.

The estimated construction cost is \$100,000. The proposed plans, specifications, and form of contract documents are available for public inspection in the City Engineer's Office.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Anticipated actions include public hearing, receive and file bids, designate lowest bidder, and approve contract and bond; also partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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