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	<b>Agenda Item No.</b> 33 <b>Roll Call No.</b> <u>11-2133</u> <b>Communication No.</b> <u>11-752</u> <b>Submitted by:</b> John Newman, CIO, <b>Information  Technology  Department</b>

**AGENDA HEADING:**

Approving Agreement for Grant # EMW-2011-SS-00071-S01-14 (Cyber Risk Reduction) with the Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Division (HSEMD) and Amendment to such Grant and Amendment to Agreement for Grant # 2010-SS-TO-0031-20 with HSEMD and the City of Des Moines.

**SYNOPSIS:**

Recommend approval of the FFY 2011 Homeland Security Grant Program Agreement. The Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management Director has requested the City of Des Moines serve as the fiscal agent for the administration of Iowa’s FFY 2010 Homeland Security Grant Program. Also, recommend approving Amendment #1 to both the 2010 and 2011 Grant Agreements to allow the City of Des Moines to transfer all obligations, duties and responsibilities set forth in the Grant Agreement to the State of Iowa, Department of Administrative Services (DAS). DAS will indemnify the City for its performance under the grant agreements and this transfer of duties to DAS will facilitate the procurement process and make it more efficient in managing the project.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount: \$391,058

Funding Source: U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Grant Programs Directorate, FFY2011 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP). There is no local match required for the grants.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

To the extent modified above, under the Grant Agreement, the City of Des Moines remains a participant and a beneficiary of the overall project and will incur no costs. This allows the City of Des Moines to take advantage of software developed under this grant to identify cyber risks and vulnerabilities to the city network and provide cross collaboration with other state agencies to determine risk identification.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):**

Date: January 24, 2011

Roll Call Number: 11-0111

Action: [Sub](#)-Grantee Agreement to administer FY 2010 Homeland Security Grant Program (Cyber Risk Reduction) Funds from Iowa's Homeland Security and Emergency Management Division. ([Council Communication No. 11-040](#)) **Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.**

Date: August 9, 2010

Roll Call Number: 10-1284

Action: [Sub](#)-Grantee Agreements to administer FFY2009 Homeland Security Grant Program Funds from Iowa's Homeland Security and Emergency Management Division. ([Council Communication No. 10-494](#)) **Moved by Moore to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.**

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE**

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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