 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Council Communication</b> Office of the City Manager</p>	<b>Date:</b> April 20, 2015
	<b>Agenda Item No.</b> 5A <b>Roll Call No.</b> <u>15-0641</u> <b>Communication No.</b> <u>15-192</u> <b>Submitted by:</b> Pamela S. Cooksey, P.E., City Engineer

**AGENDA HEADING:**

Ordering construction of the following: 2015 Brick Street Repair Program - Receiving bids, (5-5-15), and Setting date of hearing, (5-18-15). Construction Estimate - \$130,000.

**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 repair of existing brick streets located on Des Moines Street and Capitol Avenue. The project will preserve deteriorating brick streets by removing the existing bricks, repairing the roadway, and reinstalling the existing bricks.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

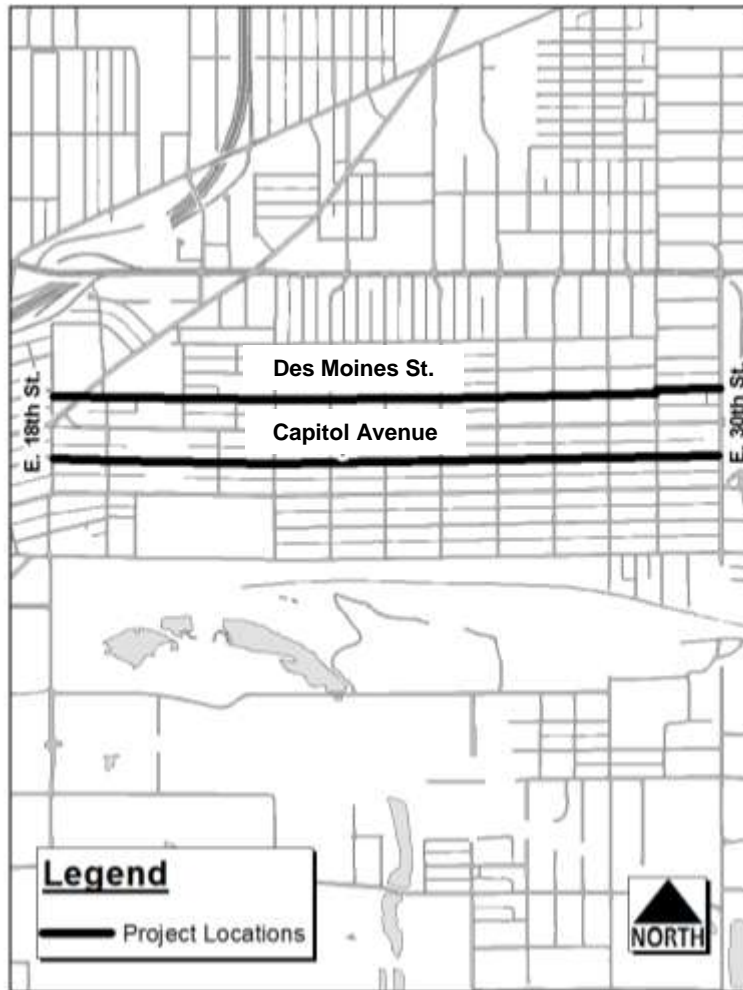
Amount: \$130,000 City Engineer's Estimate

Funding Source: 2015-2016 Capital Improvement Program (CIP), Page Street – 26, PCC Pavement Replacement Program, ST065, G. O. Bonds

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

The Engineering Department has prepared plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer’s estimate for the construction of the 2015 Brick Street Repair Program, 06-2015-002. The improvement includes patching areas of brick streets by removing and cleaning the existing bricks, repairing the subgrade with granular material and placing a 6-inch thick PCC base, reinstalling the salvaged bricks, and other incidental items; in accordance with the contract documents, including Plan File Nos. 568-172/176, at the following locations in Des Moines, Iowa: Des Moines Street from E. 18<sup>th</sup> Street to E. 30<sup>th</sup> Street and Capitol Avenue from E. 18<sup>th</sup> Street to E. 30<sup>th</sup> Street.

The estimated construction cost is \$130,000. The proposed plans, specifications, and form of contract documents are available for public inspection in the Des Moines 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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