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	Communication No.	<u>16-543</u>
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# **AGENDA HEADING:**

Ordering construction of the following: Beaver and Madison Traffic Signal Replacement - Receiving bids, (10-11-16), and Setting date of hearing, (10-24-16). Construction Estimate - \$200,000.

### 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. The project provides for the replacement of the existing traffic signals, upgrades to pedestrian crossings, and constructing new Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant sidewalks and curb ramps.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$200,000 City Engineer's Estimate

<u>Funding Source</u>: 2016-2017 Capital Improvement Program (CIP), Page Streets – 45, Traffic Signals, Channelization, and School Crossings, TR091, 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 Beaver and Madison Traffic Signal Replacement, 04-2016-004. The improvement includes removal and replacement of the existing traffic signals, ADA compliant sidewalks and curb ramps, modifications to existing pedestrian crossing features, and other incidental items; all in accordance with the contract documents, including Plans File Nos. 576-091/108, located at the intersection of Beaver Avenue and Madison Avenue and Lower Beaver Avenue and Douglas Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.

The pedestrian push button pedestal is being relocated to the island to provide adequate time to cross Douglas Avenue. The pedestrian ramps in the island will be upgraded to be ADA compliant.

The estimated construction cost is \$200,000. 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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