

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number: 20-157	Meeting: April 9, 2020
	Agenda Item: 4	Roll Call: 20-0598
	Submitted by: Joshua V. Barr, Civil and Human Rights Director	

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving and authorizing execution of a contract (cooperative agreement) with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

SYNOPSIS:

A cooperative agreement between HUD and the Des Moines Civil & Human Rights Department to use Fair Housing Assistance Program Partnership Funds to enhance efforts at education and outreach to persons residing in Des Moines, Iowa.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$10,000 (Revenue)

Funding Source: U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- These funds are given by HUD to the Des Moines Civil & Human Rights Department in order to enhance fair housing rights awareness through education and other means. These funds will go toward increasing our fair housing outreach including civil rights investigations, community dialogues, and fair housing rights advertising. Acceptance of these funds requires the signature of the Mayor.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: May 23, 2016

Roll Call Number: [16-0858](#)

Action: [Partnership](#) Funds Cooperative Agreement between the City of Des Moines Civil and Human Rights Commission and the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). ([Council Communication No. 16-293](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

These funds will go toward increasing our fair housing outreach including civil rights investigations, community dialogues, and fair housing rights advertising through brochures and posters.

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