


# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

 CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	<b>22-391</b>	Meeting:	<b>September 12, 2022</b>
	Agenda Item:	<b>21</b>	Roll Call:	<b>22-1401</b>
	Submitted by:	<b>Chris Johansen, Neighborhood Services Department Director</b>		

## AGENDA HEADING:

Approve expansion of the McKinley School/Columbus Park Neighborhood boundaries in accordance with the Neighborhood Recognition Policy.

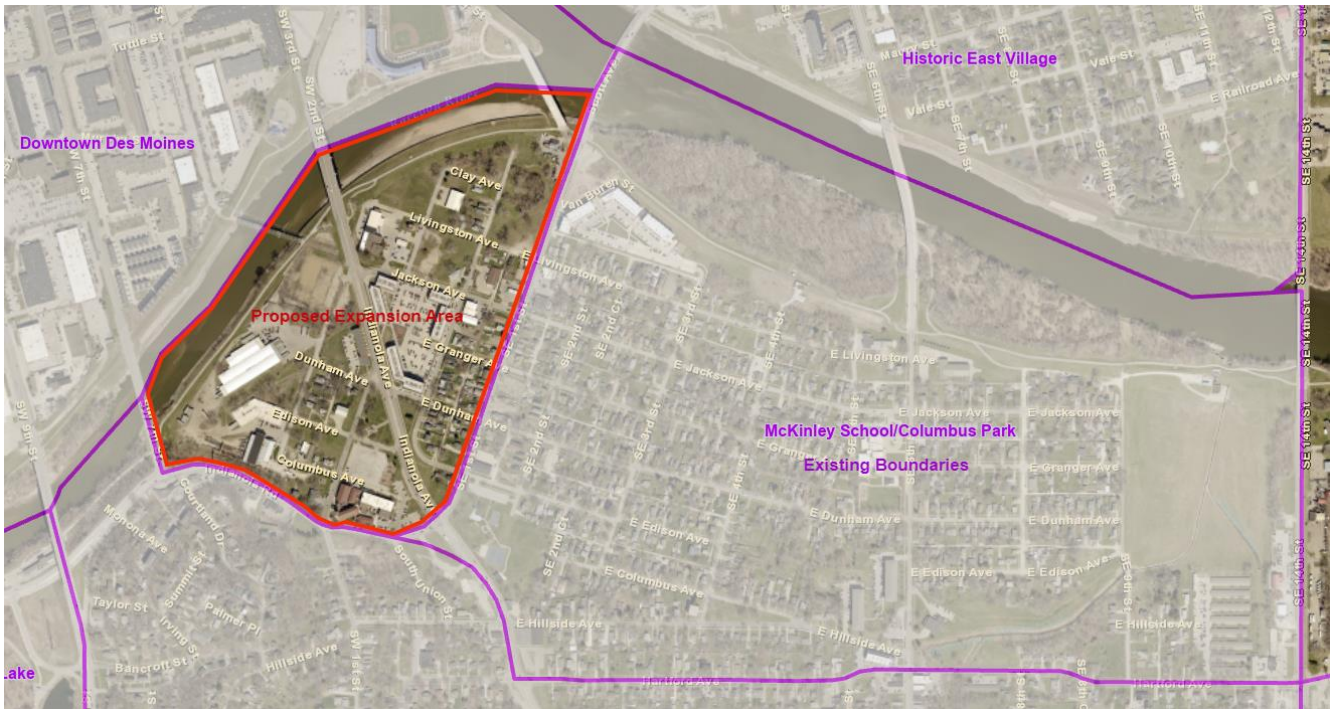
## SYNOPSIS:

The McKinley School/Columbus Park Neighborhood Association requests approval of a proposed boundary expansion to include the Des Moines River to the north, Hartford Avenue, Indianola Avenue, Indianola Road, and SW 7<sup>th</sup> Street to the south, SE 14<sup>th</sup> Street to the east, and the Raccoon River to the west.

## FISCAL IMPACT: NONE

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Boundaries for the proposed expansion includes the Des Moines River between SE 14<sup>th</sup> Street and the Scott Avenue Bridge/Raccoon River on the north; Hartford Avenue between SE 14<sup>th</sup> Street and Indianola Avenue and Indianola Avenue between Hartford Avenue and Indianola Road and Indianola Road between Indianola Avenue and SW 7<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 7<sup>th</sup> Street between Indianola Road and the Raccoon River to the south; SE 14<sup>th</sup> Street between the Des Moines River and Hartford Avenue to the east; and the Raccoon River between the Scott Avenue Bridge/Raccoon River and SW 7<sup>th</sup> Street to the west.
- Existing boundary area:
  - North: Des Moines River
  - South: Hartford Avenue
  - East: SE 14<sup>th</sup> Street
  - West: SE 1<sup>st</sup> Street
- Proposed boundary expansion to include (see map below):
  - North: Des Moines River
  - South: Hartford Avenue/Indianola Avenue/Indianola Road/SW 7<sup>th</sup> Street
  - East: SE 14<sup>th</sup> Street
  - West: Raccoon River



- The proposed area is not part of a recognized neighborhood.
- The McKinley School/Columbus Park Neighborhood Association followed procedures for expansion in accordance with the Neighborhood Recognition Policy.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):**

Date: May 24, 1993

Roll Call Number: 93-2026

Action: Approving the Neighborhood Recognition Policy and officially recognizing neighborhoods including the McKinley School/Columbus Park Neighborhood.

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S):**

Board: Neighborhood Revitalization Board

Date: August 3, 2022

Resolution Number: N/A

Action: Forward a recommendation to City Council to amend and expand the boundaries of the McKinley School/Columbus Park Neighborhood as proposed, in accordance with the Neighborhood Recognition Policy.

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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