


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

 CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	23-290	Meeting:	June 12, 2023
	Agenda Item:	18	Roll Call:	23-0811
	Submitted by:	Chris Johansen, Neighborhood Services Department Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Recertification of recognized neighborhoods, 2023–24.

SYNOPSIS:

As part of the City’s Neighborhood Recognition Policy, the City recertifies recognized neighborhoods that have submitted the Annual Neighborhood Survey and are following the requirements of the Policy.

FISCAL IMPACT: NONE

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The Annual Neighborhood Survey was distributed on March 1, 2023. Reminders were distributed on March 29, 2023; April 4, 2023; and April 28, 2023. The following neighborhoods demonstrated good standing and meet the requirements of the Neighborhood Recognition Policy. Staff recommends that Council re-certify the following 49 neighborhood associations.

1. ACCENT
2. Beaverdale
3. Brook Run
4. Capitol East
5. Capitol Park
6. Chautauqua Park
7. Cheatom Park
8. Douglas Acres
9. Downtown Des Moines
10. Drake
11. Easter Lake Area
12. Fairground
13. Fairmont Park
14. Good Park
15. Grays Lake
16. Grays Woods
17. Greenwood Historic
18. Highland Park
19. Historic East Village
20. Indianola Hills
21. Ingersoll Park
22. King Irving
23. Linden Heights
24. Lower Beaver
25. Martin Luther King, Jr. Park
26. McKinley School/
Columbus Park
27. Merle Hay
28. Mondamin Presidential
29. North of Grand
30. Oak Park
31. Pioneer Park
32. Prospect Park
33. River Bend
34. River Woods
35. Salisbury Oaks

36. Sheridan Gardens
37. Sherman Hill
38. Somerset
39. South Central DSM
40. Southwestern Hills
41. Union Park
42. Valley High Manor

43. Waterbury
44. Watrous Heights
45. Watrous South
46. Waveland Park
47. Waveland Woods
48. Westwood
49. Woodland Heights

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 27, 2022

Roll Call Number: [22-0991](#)

Action: [Recertification](#) of Recognized Neighborhoods for 2022–23. ([Council Communication No. 22-294](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Motion carried 7-0.

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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