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Agenda Item Number

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January 8, 2007

Communication from Stephanie Weisenbach, 3850 Merle Hay Road, to speak regarding Smart Growth Report and upcoming Workshop/Open House.

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CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

_____ Mayor

_____ City Clerk

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Rauh, Diane I.

From: services@mycityhall.net
Sent: Wednesday, January 03, 2007 10:38 AM
To: Rauh, Diane I.
Cc: programs@1000friendsofiowa.org
Subject: Registration Form to Speak at City Council Meeting

Registration Form to Speak at City Council Meeting.

To: The Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
 City of Des Moines, IA
 C/O City Clerk

I/We Stephanie Weisenbach, 1000 Friends of Iowa ,
hereby request permission to speak at the Des Moines City Council meeting of
~~December~~ **January 8, 2007 , regarding**

JAN. I request to deliver an invitation and brief presentation to the Des Moines City Council about a recently completed report on smart growth and upcoming workshop and open house. The Des Moines City Council, Planning & Zoning Commission, and city staff are invited to attend an event from 4:00-8:00 pm on Wednesday, January 31 at the Des Moines Botanical Center Willow Room, 909 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines. Education and discussion will focus on a recently completed report, the Smart Growth Audit of Des Moines Area Communities. The report includes an assessment and recommendations for the City of Des Moines codes and regulations. The presentations and discussions will be facilitated by staff and students from Iowa State University's Department of Community and Regional Planning, hosted by 1000 Friends of Iowa, and funded by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 7. The event will provide ideas and tools on how cities can change or implement codes and regulations to protect natural areas, reduce auto-dependency, and advance other smart growth principles. A workshop from 4:00-6:00 pm will include a presentation with an in-depth analysis on the findings of the study and small group sessions to discuss the results and possible next steps. An open house from 6:00-8:00 pm will include time to socialize, eat a light supper, and at 7:00 hear a brief presentation followed by questions and discussion.

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Your Email: programs@1000friendsofiowa.org

Procedural Rules of Des Moines City Council:

Part III. Agenda

Rule 16. Citizen Agenda Requests.

Any citizen may request the right to have an item placed on the Agenda (including a request to speak) by filing such request in writing with the City Clerk prior to noon on the Wednesday preceding the Council meetin.

Part V. Citizen Participation

Rule 27. Citizen's Right to Address Council.

Persons other than Council Members shall be permitted to address the Council only upon specific Agenda Items.

Rule 28. Manner of Addressing Council.