

Date February 22, 2010

APPROVAL OF LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR A KABOOM! PLAYGROUND GRANT FOR EDNA GRIFFIN PARK, 1614 13<sup>th</sup> STREET

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines, acting through the Park and Recreation Department, operates Edna Griffin Park; and

WHEREAS, King Irving and Mondamin Presidential Neighborhoods propose submitting a grant application to KaBOOM!, a national non-profit organization that funds playground construction, for playground equipment and installing such equipment and playground surface in Edna Griffin Park; and

WHEREAS, the Park and Recreation Department has reviewed such grant submission, and has determined that it is in the best interests of the City that King Irving and Mondamin Presidential Neighborhoods submit their grant application to KaBOOM! to provide for the donation and installation of playground equipment and surface in Edna Griffin Park, and the Neighborhoods have requested a letter of support of this grant application and project from the City, which letter is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa that a letter of support of the submission by the King Irving and Mondamin Presidential Neighborhoods for a KaBOOM! Playground Grant, in which the playground equipment and playground surface in Edna Griffin Park will be funded by KaBOOM! and installed by neighborhood volunteers and other volunteers, is hereby approved and the Mayor is authorized and directed to sign the letter of support on behalf of the City, the City Clerk is authorized and directed to attest to his signature, and the Parks and Recreation Director and/or his designee is directed to provide such letter to the Neighborhoods to accompany their grant application to KaBOOM!.

(Council Communication No. 10- 096 )

MOVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Glenna K. Frank  
Glenna K. Frank, Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
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Mayor

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.

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City Clerk