

★ Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number

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Date March 10, 2008

AUTHORIZATION TO SUBMIT GRANT APPLICATION TO VISION IOWA BOARD FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A SCULPTURE GARDEN IN "WESTERN GATEWAY" PARK

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines Park and Recreation Department is charged with providing clean, safe, and beautiful parks and recreation facilities; and

WHEREAS, on November 5, 2007, by Roll Call No. 07-2154, the City Council approved a professional services agreement with Agrest and Gandelsonas Architects, LLP for schematic design of a sculpture garden at "Western Gateway" Park; and

WHEREAS, on February 26, 2008, the Park and Recreation Board, by Roll Call No. 08-017, approved a proposed schematic design for such sculpture garden; and

WHEREAS, the Park and Recreation Department desires to submit an application for a grant in the amount of \$1,950,000.00 from the Vision Iowa Board to assist in the development of this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to apply on behalf of the City for a grant in the amount of \$1,950,000.00 from the Vision Iowa Board for the purpose of constructing a sculpture garden in "Western Gateway" Park.

(Council Communication No. 08-133)

MOVED by \_\_\_\_\_ to approve.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

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MOTION CARRIED APPROVED

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.

City Clerk