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RESOLUTION FIXING DATE FOR A MEETING ON THE PROPOSITION OF THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$15,895,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (FOR ESSENTIAL CORPORATE PURPOSES) OF DES MOINES, IOWA, AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICE THEREOF

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary and advisable that the City of Des Moines, Iowa, should issue General Obligation Bonds to the amount of not to exceed \$15,895,000, as authorized by Section 384.25 of the City Code of Iowa, for the purpose of providing funds to pay costs of carrying out essential corporate purpose projects as hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, before said Bonds may be issued, it is necessary to comply with the provisions of said Code, and to publish a notice of the proposal to issue such Bonds and of the time and place of the meeting at which the Council proposes to take action for the issuance of the Bonds and to receive oral and/or written objections from any resident or property owner of said City to such action.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA:

Section 1. That this Council meet in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Des Moines, Iowa, at 5:00 o'clock P.M., on the 4th day of May, 2009, for the purpose of taking action on the matter of the issuance of not to exceed \$15,895,000 General Obligation Bonds for essential corporate purposes of said City, the proceeds of which Bonds will be used to provide funds to pay costs of certain projects included within the 2009-2010 Capital Improvements Program budget of the City, including the construction, reconstruction, improvement and repair of bridges and viaducts; the acquisition of equipment for the Fire Department; the acquisition of emergency services communications equipment and radio system improvements; the rehabilitation and improvement of City parks, including the construction, acquisition and improvement of recreational facilities, equipment, recreation trails, buildings, and other park improvements, public space amenities or attractions located in City parks; the construction and repair of cemetery facilities and improvements; the construction,

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reconstruction and repair of sidewalks; the construction, reconstruction and repair of streets and related street, storm sewer and streetscape improvements and the acquisition of public rights of way for the same, including street widening, paving and intersection improvements; the acquisition, installation and repair of traffic control devices and signals; and the funding of programs to provide for or assist in the acquisition or restoration of housing, including public housing improvements.

Section 2. That the Clerk is hereby directed to cause at least one publication to be made of a notice of said meeting, in a legal newspaper, printed wholly in the English language, published at least once weekly, and having general circulation in said City, said publication to be not less than four clear days nor more than twenty days before the date of said public meeting on the issuance of said Bonds.

Section 3. The notice of the proposed action to issue said Bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA, ON THE MATTER OF THE PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$15,895,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (FOR ESSENTIAL CORPORATE PURPOSES) OF SAID CITY, AND THE HEARING ON THE ISSUANCE THEREOF

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, will hold a public hearing on the 4th day of May, 2009, at 5:00 o'clock P.M., in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Des Moines, Iowa, at which meeting the Council proposes to take additional action for the issuance of not to exceed \$15,895,000 General Obligation Bonds for essential corporate purposes of said City, in order to provide funds to pay costs of certain projects included within the 2009-2010 Capital Improvements Program budget of the City, including the construction, reconstruction, improvement and repair of bridges and viaducts; the acquisition of equipment for the Fire Department; the acquisition of emergency services communications equipment and radio system improvements; the rehabilitation and improvement of City parks, including the construction, acquisition and improvement of recreational facilities, equipment, recreation trails, buildings, and other park improvements, public space amenities or attractions located in City parks; the construction and repair of cemetery facilities and improvements; the construction, reconstruction and repair of sidewalks; the construction, reconstruction and repair of streets and related street, storm sewer and streetscape improvements and the acquisition of public rights of way for the same, including street widening, paving and intersection improvements; the acquisition, installation and repair of traffic control devices and signals; and the funding of programs to provide for or assist in the acquisition or restoration of housing, including public housing improvements.

At the above meeting the Council shall receive oral or written objections from any resident or property owner of said City, to the above action. After all objections have been received and considered, the Council will at this meeting or at any adjournment thereof, take additional action for the issuance of said Bonds or will abandon the proposal to issue said Bonds.

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This notice is given by order of the Council of Des Moines, Iowa, as provided by Section 384.25 of the Code of Iowa.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2009.

City Clerk of Des Moines, Iowa

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Form approved: _____
 Deputy City Attorney

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COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
HENSLEY				
KIERNAN				
MAHAFFEY				
MEYER				
VLASSIS				
TOTAL				

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.

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_____ City Clerk