

★ **Roll Call Number**

Agenda Item Number

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Date April 23, 2007

Regarding a communication from Barry Morton advising of his resignation from the Housing Board of Appeals, Seat 6, effective April 15, 2007.

Moved by _____ to receive, file, and accept Mr. Morton's resignation with appreciation for his many years of service.

Replacement to be appointed by Council Member Hensley

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
HENSLEY				
KIERNAN				
MAHAFFEY				
MEYER				
VLASSIS				
TOTAL				

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.

MOTION CARRIED APPROVED

Mayor

City Clerk

BARRY D. MORTON
5020 GRAND AVE.
DES MOINES, IA 50312

April 11, 2007

Mr. Ben Bishop, Administrator
Ms. Mary Newman, Supervisor
Neighborhood Inspection Division
City of Des Moines
602 Robert D. Ray Drive
Des Moines, IA 50309

Subject: Board Resignation

Dear Ben and Mary:

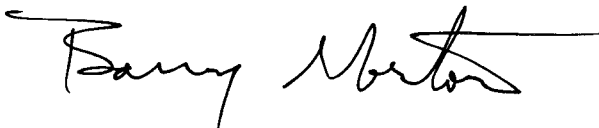
With the unexpected passing of my wife in February, I've decided to relocate back to southern California where I have family and long-time friends, and will rejoin my former partnership.

The work for the HAB has been both interesting and rewarding. The staff does its work very professionally, and the association with the other Board members has been a highlight of my term on the Board.

Please send my thanks to Christine Hensley for the opportunity to be of service to our City.

This resignation is effective April 15th.

Sincerely,



Barry D. Morton
Member, Housing Board of Appeals