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ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF MIDAMERICA RECYCLING, INC. FOR SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLABLES PROCESSING AND AUTHORIZING CITY MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AGREEMENT FOR PROVISION OF SAME

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department provides a number of services, including the curbside collection and processing of recyclable materials; and

WHEREAS, on February 25, 2008, by Roll Call No. 08-317, the City Council authorized the issuance of a Request for Proposals (RFP) for an exclusive recycler to receive, process, and market single-stream recyclable materials collected by the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, the Evaluation and Selection Committee has reviewed and evaluated the proposals submitted and has determined that the proposal from MidAmerica Recycling, Inc. (Mick Barry, President, 2742 E. Market St., Des Moines, Iowa) is the best proposal, as it was the most qualified in terms of the operational plan, background, and revenues collectively. Furthermore, their alternate bid will pay the highest revenue upon receipt of the metropolitan area quantities of residential recyclables.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the proposal submitted by MidAmerica Recycling, Inc. is hereby accepted and approved and the City Manager be and is hereby authorized to negotiate and execute a contract with MidAmerica Recycling, Inc., with an initial term of seven years, with two additional five-year renewals, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the RFP, and subject to the approval as to form of the Legal Department, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to attest to the City Manager's signature.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that such five year renewal periods shall be subject to the approval of the City Council.

(Council Communication No. 08-271)

Moved by _____ to adopt.

Approved As To Form:

Ann DiDonato
Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

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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.

City Clerk