

★ **Roll Call Number**

Agenda Item Number

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Date June 19, 2006

Regarding a communication from C. Arthur Wittmack advising of his resignation from the Urban Design Review Board, Seat 09, effective immediately.

Moved by _____ to receive, file, and accept this resignation with our appreciation for Mr. Wittmack's service.

Replacement to be appointed by Council Member Mahaffey.

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
BROOKS				
COLEMAN				
HENSLEY				
MAHAFFEY				
KIERNAN				
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.

_____ City Clerk

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The Honorable T. M. Franklin Cownie
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AND CITY COUNCIL

Dear Mayor Cownie:

It has been my pleasure to have served for a number of years on the Urban Renewal Board and its successor, the Urban Design Review Board. I have enjoyed seeing the continuing revitalization of Des Moines through the projects that have come before the board.

Recently I have assumed additional responsibilities doing project consulting which requires travel. Although it was my hope that there would be some flexibility in scheduling trips, unfortunately, these engagements typically are occurring the middle three weekdays, the majority on Tuesday when the Board is scheduled to meet.

According it is appropriate that I tender my resignation from the Urban Design Review Board, effective immediately.

The City's commitment to enhancing the Central Business District is commendable as it is the center piece of any vibrant community and region. Keep up the good work in this regard.

Cordially,



C. Arthur Wittmack
Chairman

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