

★ Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number

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August 20, 2007

Date

APPROVING CHILD CARE CENTER OPERATIONAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF DES MOINES AND DRAKE UNIVERSITY

WHEREAS, by Roll Call No. 02-1766 of July 8, 2002, the City Council approved a Child Care Center Operational Agreement with Drake University to operate its Head Start Program in the Child Care Center above the Fifth Street and Watson Powell, Jr. Way parking garage; and

WHEREAS, by Roll Call No. 03-2097 of September 8, 2003, the City Council approved an extension to such Child Care Center Operational Agreement; and

WHEREAS, by Roll Call No. 04-1911 of September 13, 2004, the City Council approved a Child Care Operational Agreement with Drake University to operate its Head Start Program in the Child Care Center above the Fifth Street and Watson Powell, Jr. Way parking garage until June 30, 2005 with an option to extend the agreement to June 30, 2006; and

WHEREAS, by Roll Call No. 06-1350 of July 10, 2006, the City Council approved an amendment extending such Operational Agreement until June 30, 2007; and

WHEREAS, Drake University desires to continue its Head Start Program in the Child Care Center and to enter into a new Child Care Center Operational Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Fifth Street and Watson Powell Jr. Way Parking Garage Child Care Center Operational Agreement has been prepared to allow Drake University to continue its Head Start Program at the Child Care Center until June 30, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the continued selection of Drake University to serve as operator of the Child Care Center in furtherance of its Head Start Program is in the vital and best interests and in accord with the public purposes of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that Drake University is hereby designated as the operator of the Child Care Center and the Fifth Street and Watson Powell Jr. Way Parking Garage Child Care Center Operational Agreement on file in the Office of the City Clerk is hereby approved and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such Agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is directed to attest to his signature.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City's Properties Administrator is hereby directed to administer the terms of such Operational Agreement.

(Council Communication No. 07-498)

Moved by _____ to adopt.

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