

DATE October 8, 2007

PUBLIC HEARING, APPROVING PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, FORM OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, AND ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE ON DES MOINES AND RACCOON RIVERS SAFETY CABLING; RECEIVE AND FILE BIDS; AND DESIGNATION OF LOWEST RESPONSIVE, RESPONSIBLE BIDDER AS CRAMER AND ASSOCIATES, INC., ROBERT CRAMER, PRESIDENT/CAO, \$93,130.00

WHEREAS, on September 10, 2007, under Roll Call No. 07-1698, plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and Jurisdictional Engineer's estimate of construction cost were filed with the City Clerk, for the construction of the following improvement:

Des Moines and Raccoon Rivers Safety Cabling, 11-2007-017

The improvement includes supplying and installing dam safety signage at the Scott Avenue and Center Street Dams, repair of the safety cable at the Center Street Dam, and supply and install a new safety cable at the Scott Avenue Dam in accordance with the contract documents, including Plan Files 479-131/135 on the Des Moines and Raccoon Rivers at the Scott Avenue and Center Street Dams, Des Moines, Iowa

WHEREAS, notice of the hearing on the plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and Engineer's estimate of construction cost was published as required by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: That the hearing on the plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and Jurisdictional Engineer's estimate of construction cost for said improvement be closed; and that said plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and Jurisdictional Engineer's estimate of construction cost are hereby approved as the plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and Jurisdictional Engineer's estimate of construction cost for said improvement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That sealed bids for said improvement were submitted by the following bidders:

Cramer and Associates, Inc. Grimes, IA

which were received and opened at a public meeting presided over by the Jurisdictional Engineer in the City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa at 11:00 a.m. on September 25, 2007. Said bids and the attached tabulation of bids for said improvement be and are hereby received and filed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Jurisdictional Engineer has determined that the lowest responsive, responsible bid for the construction of said improvement was submitted by Cramer and Associates, Inc., Robert Cramer, President/CAO, 5600 Brookside Drive, Grimes, IA, 50111 in the amount of \$93,130.00, and said bid be and the same is hereby accepted.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the bid security of the unsuccessful bidders be and is hereby authorized and directed to be returned.

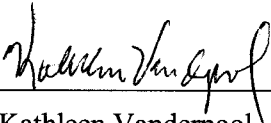
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Jurisdictional Engineer is hereby directed to secure execution by the lowest responsible, responsive Bidder and its surety of the contract documents in the form heretofore approved by this Council; that the Jurisdictional Engineer is directed to thereafter present said contract documents to this Council for approval and authorization to the Mayor to sign; and that no contract shall be deemed to exist between the City of Des Moines and said Bidder until said contract has been executed by the Bidder, and shall have been approved by this Council and executed by the Mayor and attested to by the City Clerk.

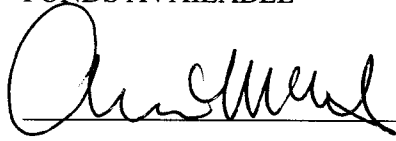
(City Council Communication Number 07-609 attached.)

Moved by _____ to adopt.

FORM APPROVED:

FUNDS AVAILABLE


 Kathleen Vanderpool
 Deputy City Attorney


 Allen McKinley
 Des Moines Finance Director

Funding Source: 2007-2008 CIP, Page Park-22, Recreation Trails, PKS045, Being: Essential Corporate Purpose G.O. Bond proceeds (2007B - Hearing A)

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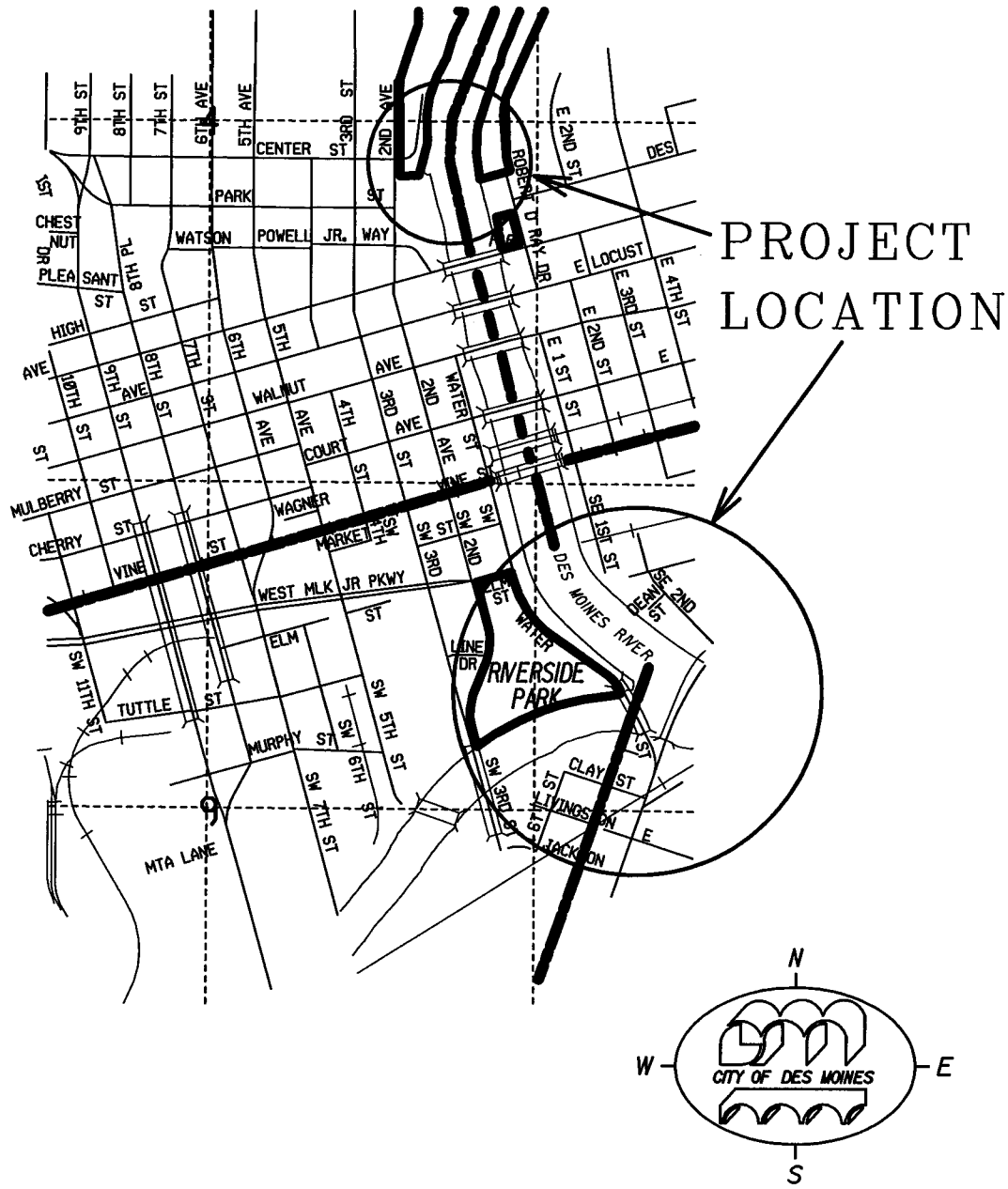
APPROVED

I, Diane Rauh, City Clerk of said City Council, hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council, 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.

 Mayor

 City Clerk



DES MOINES AND RACCOON RIVER
SAFETY CABLEING
ACTIVITY I.D. 11-2007-017

