

Date October 13, 2008

WHEREAS, the Greater Des Moines Community Foundation has grant funding for initiatives related to community betterment activities; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department is requesting approval to submit a formal application to the Foundation requesting \$3,995 to purchase a graffiti camera; and

WHEREAS, the total expense for the camera is \$5,995 and the Coalition of South Side Neighborhood Associations has raised \$2,000 in donations to be applied towards the cost of the camera; and

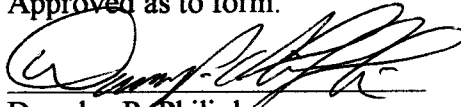
WHEREAS, the graffiti camera will be used to capture images of individuals defacing property as well as deter graffiti vandalism on private and public property;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the submission of the grant application is hereby approved, with the Mayor authorized to sign the application on behalf of the City, with the City Clerk to attest to the mayor's signature, and the City Manager or his designee is authorized and directed to take any and all steps necessary to complete the submission.

(Council Letter Number 08-598 attached)

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ to approve

Approved as to form:



Douglas P. Philip  
Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
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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