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Date 10/26/2009 .....

WHEREAS, the federal guidelines regarding sharing of federally forfeited property requires the submission of an "Annual Certification Report". The amount \$1,406.20 was erroneously included in the amount reported as Federal Sharing in FY2008. The amount was a reimbursement for expenses involving training thus the amount should have been reported under Other Income; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines uses an accrual accounting system to record revenue and expenses. A deposit recorded on July 7, 2008 was accrued back to FY08 and was inadvertently added into the revenue reported on the 2008 report. Per instructions from the Department of Justice the deposit should be reported in the year it is deposited; and,

WHEREAS, the FY2009 annual Certification Report has been completed in accordance with the Department of Justice's guidance; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines recognizes the benefits from sharing federally forfeited property for the enhancement of law enforcement and understands these funds shall not be used to supplant the budget of the Police Department; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines certifies its willingness to abide by the federal guidelines in the equitable sharing of forfeited property; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines Iowa, that the Mayor and Chief of Police are hereby authorized to sign and submit the "FY2008 Revised Annual Certification Report" and the "FY2009 Annual Certification Report" amended to the U.S. Department of Justice acknowledging the city's compliance with federal forfeiture guidelines, with the City Clerk to attest to the Mayor's signature.

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★ Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number


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(Council Letter Number 09-760 attached)

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt

Approved as to form:

  
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 Douglas P. Philip  
 Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
KIERNAN				
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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.

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 City Clerk