





Date October 26, 2009

APPROVAL OF PUBLIC EVENT BANNER AT THE IOWA EVENTS CENTER

WHEREAS, the City Council has received the accompanying request from Matt Homan, General Manager of the Iowa Events Center, seeking approval to retain a 16 foot by 20 foot banner to be hung on the north side of Veterans Memorial Auditorium from October 16th through November 1st, 2009, to give notice of the AQS Quilt Show and Contest to be held at the Iowa Events Center; and,

WHEREAS, the Iowa Events Center is a publically owned and supported facility that provides substantial services and benefits to the citizens of Des Moines and the metropolitan area; and,

WHEREAS, Section 134-1276(i)(1)(d) of the Zoning Ordinance provides that temporary signs which satisfy the following conditions are allowed in any zoning district:

Such signs advertising a public event providing that specific approval is granted under regulations established by the City Council.

WHEREAS, the AQS Quilt Show is a national public event which brings significant national attention and economic benefit to the City of Des Moines; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that Veterans Auditorium is hereby granted approval to retain the banner as described above.

MOVED by ______ to adopt.

FORM APPROVED:

Roger K. Brown, Assistant City Attorney

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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE			·	
COLEMAN	1		-	
HENSLEY			1	
KIERNAN				
MAHAFFEY	1			
MEYER				
VLASSIS				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED		APPROVED		

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



October 16, 2009

The Honorable Mayor Frank Cownie Members, Des Moines City Council 400 Robert D. Ray Drive Des Moines, Iowa 50309

RE: Banner for Veterans Memorial Auditorium

Dear Mayor Cownie, Member Des Moines City Council:

As Global Spectrum's General Manager for the Iowa Events Center, I am requesting your consideration in allowing one banner to be hung on the north side of Veterans Memorial Auditorium. It is our intent that the City of Des Moines allow the banner to be hung from October 16 through November 1, 2009, to help promote the AQS Quilt Show & Contest coming to Des Moines. The dimensions of the banner are 16 ft. x 20 ft. and will be hung with anchors that will ensure the safety of both pedestrian and vehicle traffic.

The Polk County Board of Supervisors and Global Spectrum appreciate the support the City of Des Moines has provided the Iowa Events Center since its inception. We want to assure you that we will continue as an ambassador to this great city in providing quality entertainment for our community.

Should you have any questions regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Sincerely,

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Matt Homan General Manager Iowa Events Center Global Spectrum



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