APPROVING SETTLEMENT OF A LAWSUIT

WHEREAS, Stephanie Trujillo filed a lawsuit against the City of Des Moines claiming discrimination; and

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff is willing to settle the lawsuit for $60,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff will sign the City's standard settlement and release which states that the settlement is not an admission of wrongdoing or liability, merely a compromise of contested facts; and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Legal Department that settlement of the lawsuit would be in the best interest of the City of Des Moines.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

That payment in the amount of $60,000.00 to Stephanie Trujillo and Karin Zeigler, her attorney, be and is hereby approved for settlement of the lawsuit, and the Finance Director is authorized to draw warrants accordingly under fund code 529410, GE001, HRS010000.

Moved by _____ to adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Carol J. Moser
Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
GRIESS				
HENSLEY				
MAHAFFEY				
MEYER				
MOORE				
TOTAL				
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