

Date.....March 14, 2011.....

ACCEPTING \$25,000 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANT AWARD FROM POLK COUNTY FOR THE DES MOINES RIVER TRAIL, PHASE I, AND APPROVING GRANT AGREEMENT FOR SAME

WHEREAS, trail development is a high priority with the citizens of the City of Des Moines and the Des Moines City Council; and

WHEREAS, the development of the Des Moines River Trail is a priority of the City Council and the Park and Recreation Department; and

WHEREAS, on April 12, 2010, by Roll Call No. 10-531, the City Council authorized an application for a grant in the amount of \$750,000 from the Vision Iowa River Enhancement Community Attraction and Tourism (RECAT) program for the purpose of developing the Des Moines River Trail, Phase I; and

WHEREAS, on March 2, 2011 the Park and Recreation Department applied for a Community Development Grant from Polk County in the amount of \$25,000 for construction costs of Des Moines River Trail, Phase I; and

WHEREAS, approval of the award of this Community Development Grant in the amount of \$25,000 for construction costs of Des Moines River Trail, Phase I, is scheduled on the Polk County Board of Supervisors agenda on March 15; and

WHEREAS, Polk County has provided a Letter of Agreement Between the City of Des Moines and Polk County, Iowa for award of the grant, subject to the condition that the City receive a RECAT grant and requiring that signage, brochures and printed materials reflect this Polk County support of the project, a copy of which is on file in the City Clerk's Office; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to accept this grant award from Polk County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the above described Polk County grant award is accepted, said Agreement is approved, and the Mayor is authorized and directed to sign said Agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is directed to attest to his signature.

(Council Communication No. 11- 161 ) MOVED by \_\_\_\_\_ to approve.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato  
Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

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

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.

MOTION CARRIED APPROVED

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Mayor

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City Clerk