

Date April 11, 2011

AUTHORIZING GRANT APPLICATION TO THE IOWA OFFICE OF ENERGY INDEPENDENCE UNDER THE AMERICAN REINVESTMENT AND RECOVERY ACT STATE ENERGY PROGRAM ON BEHALF OF THE METROPOLITAN COALITION

WHEREAS, City staff in collaboration with eight other Iowa cities over 50,000 in population, have prepared a grant application in the total amount of \$1,008,820 under the American Reinvestment and Recovery Act State Energy Program administered by the Office of Energy Independence, with \$150,000 of that allocated to the City of Des Moines; and,

WHEREAS, the grant application proposes funding of a pilot program with a goal to:

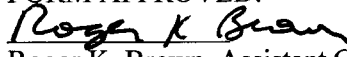
1. Facilitate the reduction in energy consumption in 40 low/moderate income homes within the Drake neighborhood; and,
2. Facilitate community outreach programming and demonstration projects that will inform the public on energy efficiency and lead to increased implementation of these technologies; and,

WHEREAS, the funding for such program is in the best interests of the City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the grant application under the American Reinvestment and Recovery Act State Energy Program administered by the Iowa Office of Energy Independence submitted by the City Manager is hereby approved and ratified, and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to sign the grant application on behalf of the City and the City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized and directed to take all further actions and submit all documentation necessary to complete the grant application.

MOVED by _____ to adopt.

FORM APPROVED:


Roger K. Brown, Assistant City Attorney

(Council Communication No. 11- **202**)

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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