



Date April 25, 2011

**APPROVING AGREEMENT WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF FIVE (5)
RIVER AND STREAM GAUGING STATIONS IN THE DES MOINES AREA**

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines annually enters into a Joint Funding Agreement with the U.S. Department of Interior U.S. Geological Survey for operation and maintenance for flood warning and river height gauging stations in the Des Moines and Raccoon River basins; and

WHEREAS, there is a separate proposed 28E Agreement for the cost sharing of gaging station operation and maintenance on the Raccoon River between the City of Des Moines, the City of West Des Moines, and Board of Water Works Trustees; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the proposed 28E Agreement, the city of Des Moines will contribute \$37,340, the City of West Des Moines will contribute \$11,950, the Des Moines Water Works will contribute \$7,470 and the U.S. Geological Survey will contribute \$17,940 to cover budgeted costs for the period from October 1, 2010, to September 30, 2011, and

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: That the attached Agreement, in the amount of \$74,700 between the City of Des Moines and the U.S. Department of the Interior Geological Survey, which provides for the operation of the City's five (5) gauging stations, (63rd Street on Walnut Creek, Easton Boulevard on Four Mile Creek, Fleur Drive on the Raccoon River, 63rd Street on the Raccoon River and 2nd Avenue on the Des Moines River), is hereby approved, and;

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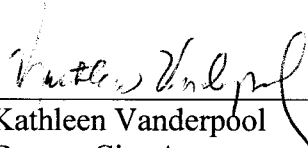
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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Mayor is authorized and directed to sign such Agreement and the City Clerk to attest to the Mayor's signature.

(Council Communication 11-237)

Moved by _____ adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM


 Kathleen Vanderpool
 Deputy City Attorney

Funding Source: Operating Budget, Flood Early Warning System Maintenance Fund; PWK077010

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

 Mayor

 City Clerk