



Date February 27, 2012

APPROVING CONTRACT BETWEEN CITY OF DES MOINES AND ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF IOWA, INC. FOR LEASE OF ANIMAL SHELTER, ANIMAL SHELTER SERVICES AND CITY ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines Police Department and the Animal Rescue League of Iowa, Inc., 5452 N.E. 22nd Street, Des Moines, IA 50313, Carol Griglione, President, have reached an agreement approved by the City Legal Department for the lease and operation of the city animal shelter and the provision of animal control services for Des Moines; and

WHEREAS, the current agreements for the animal shelter lease, animal shelter services and city animal control services with the Animal Rescue League end on June 30, 2012; and

WHEREAS, this agreement presented for approval is for a two year period beginning July 1, 2012 with a total annual cost to the City of \$568, 359.00 to be paid in equal monthly installments of \$47,363.25 beginning July 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, this proposed agreement makes reference to and is dependent upon ordinance amendments to Municipal Code sections 18-17 and 18-18, and a fee schedule amendment concerning fees charged at the animal shelter; and

WHEREAS, approval of this proposed agreement, now on file with the city clerk's office, is in the best interest of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa that upon passage of Municipal Code Amendments to sections 18-17 and 18-18 and the fee schedule amendment concerning fees charged at the animal shelter, the City Manager is authorized to sign, with the City Clerk to attest to the Manager's signature, the two-year contract with the Animal Rescue League of Iowa, Inc., 5452 N.E. 22nd Street, Des Moines, IA 50313, Carol Griglione, President, and the City Manager and Chief of Police or designee are authorized to carry out the terms and conditions of the contract.

MOVED BY _____

TO ADOPT _____

FORM APPROVED: _____

Douglas P. Philph, Assistant City Attorney

(Council Communication No. 12-091)

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