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Date..... March 12, 2012

APPROVING GRANT AGREEMENT FOR GRANT AWARD FROM NATIONAL PARK AND RECREATION ASSOCIATION THROUGH THE SPRITE SPARK PARKS PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Park and Recreation Department is responsible for operating recreational facilities within the city parks, which includes basketball courts at many parks; and

WHEREAS, the National Recreation and Park association (NPRA) has selected the City of Des Moines to be one of 25 cities across the county to participate in the Sprite Spark Parks grant program which will provide funding to improve existing basketball courts at Evelyn K. Davis Park; and; and

WHEREAS, under the Sprite Spark Parks program, the amount of the grant award will be \$5,000, \$10,000 or \$15,000 depending on the results of the online My Coke Rewards public voting process, managed by Coca-Cola Company, between March 28, 2012 and May 31, 2012, with the grant amount to be provided to the city by July 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the NPRA has provided a Grant Agreement for award of the grant, which requires that the city install a plaque recognizing the Sprite Sparks Parks, allow the NPRA and its designees to use the name of the City of Des Moines and Evelyn K. Davis Park, photos, grant information, and any materials produced as a result of the grant without limitation, and for the NPRA and the city to indemnify, defend and hold harmless each other, 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 the NPRA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the above described National Park and Recreation Association Sprite Spark Parks Grant Agreement is hereby approved, and the City Manager is authorized and directed to sign said Grant Agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is directed to attest to his signature.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to approve marketing and promotional materials using any City of Des Moines identification or materials subject to such not implying an endorsement of any Sprite or Coca-Cola Company or any other commercial entity or brand name product or service.

(Council Communication No. 12- 122) MOVED by _____ to approve.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato
Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

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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

Mayor

City Clerk