

Date April 23, 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 receive a \$20,000 grant from the Coca-Cola Company's Sprite Spark Parks grant program to aid in replacing existing basketball courts at Cheatom Park; 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 program and to host a media event at Cheatom Park for the project, and requires 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.

(Council Communication No. 12- 194) MOVED by _____ to approve.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato
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Assistant City Attorney

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COWNIE				
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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.

Mayor

City Clerk