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Date April 20, 2015

**APPROVING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE
DES MOINES METROPOLITAN WASTEWATER RECLAMATION AUTHORITY
AND THE CITY OF DES MOINES FOR
CONSTRUCTION OF THE
2015 LEVEE GATEWELL REPAIR PROJECT**

WHEREAS, the annual inspection completed by the US Army Corps of Engineers identified nine (9) gatewell structures in need of repair due to corrosion or other defects, of which seven (7) are owned by the Wastewater Reclamation Authority (WRA) and two (2) are owned by the City of Des Moines(City); and

WHEREAS, the gatewells are located on major sanitary sewers and river crossing siphons. Repair of the gatewells is essential to continue effective operation of the levee system, to protect neighboring properties and to maintain certification of the levee system. Said repairs must be constructed in a manner that allows existing sanitary sewer service to continue while protecting adjoining rivers from any potential leak or spill; and

WHEREAS, the WRA and City have each entered into agreements for professional design services with H.R. Green, Inc., Mr. James Rasmussen, Water President, 5525 Merle Hay Road, Suite 200, Des Moines, Iowa 50131, for the 2015 Levee Gatewell Repairs project to design the needed repairs or replacements for each gatewell owned by the WRA and Des Moines; and

WHEREAS, the WRA and City agree that it is of mutual benefit to each entity to jointly execute construction to repair or replace levee gatewells required to be completed in 2015; and

WHEREAS, the WRA and City have negotiated the terms of this Agreement, providing for construction associated with the 2015 Levee Gatewell Repairs project, which sets forth the terms for replacement or repair of the gatewells and the anticipated allocation for each party's share of construction and construction administration costs. The total estimated project construction and construction administration costs is \$716,769, of which the City's share is \$131,075.

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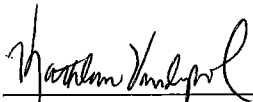
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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF Des Moines, Iowa, that the agreement between the City of Des Moines and the Des Moines Metropolitan Wastewater Reclamation Authority is hereby approved, the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and attest respectively said agreement, and the City Engineer and Finance Director are authorized to make payment to the WRA in accordance with the Agreement for and on behalf of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

(Council Communication 15- 210)

Moved by _____ adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM


Kathleen Vanderpool
Deputy City Attorney

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Funds Available: 2015-16 CIP, Page Sanitary -6, City-wide Sanitary Sewers, SS054, Sanitary Sewer Funds

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
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GRAY				
HENSLEY				
MAHAFFEY				
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