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RESOLUTION APPROVING APPLICATION TO THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP FOR A WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE TARGETED DEMONSTRATION WATERSHED PROJECT GRANT ON CITY-OWNED LAND

WHEREAS, City-owned land located west of SW 11th Street, east of SW 16th Street and north of the Raccoon f the Raccoon River is presently used as two dry detention basins; and,

WHEREAS the land, in conjunction with adjacent land-owners and potential land-owners, the basins could be converted to a wetland project providing wetlands and related habitat; and,

WHEREAS, potential funding for portions of this project is available from the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship ("IDALS") in the amount of \$100,000.00 for the project.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, as follows:

- 1. The City Council of the City of Des Moines hereby express its support to investigate and apply to IDALS for this grant.
2. The Mayor and the City Manager are hereby authorized and directed to sign any forms required by IDALS to proceed with the application process, subject to approval of the documents by the City Legal Department.
3. In the event that the grant is awarded for the project and that the City will pursue the grant, a final proposal for the grant and funding will be presented to the City Council for approval.

(Council Communication. No. 18-050)

FORM APPROVED:

Thomas G. Fisher Jr.
Thomas G. Fisher Jr, Assistant City Attorney

MOVED BY _____ to adopt

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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