



Date June 24, 2019

APPROVAL OF MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN U. S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, U. S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, IOWA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, POLK COUNTY CONSERVATION BOARD AND THE CITY OF DES MOINES TO ESTABLISH THE GREATER DES MOINES URBAN WILDLIFE CONSERVATION PARTNERSHIP

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Department is charged with the responsibility of providing conservation practices within the City's park system and providing conservation education to the public; and

WHEREAS, the U.S Fish and Wildlife Service (Wildlife Service), U. S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IDNR), and Polk County Conservation Board (PCCB), and the City of Des Moines have worked together to establish a Des Moines Urban Wildlife Conservation Partnership by a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), a copy of which is on file with the City Clerk's Office, which will provide conservation expertise to the Parks and Recreation Department for programs and practices; and

WHEREAS, upon approval of the MOA, the agencies under the MOA will seek grants to fund a coordinator to implement programs and projects developed under the MOA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa that the above described Memorandum of Agreement, a copy of which is on file with the City Clerk's Office, is hereby approved and the Director of the Parks and Recreation Department is authorized and directed to sign the Agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is authorized and directed to attest to his signature.

(Council Communication No. 19 - 269 ) Moved By \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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.

City Clerk

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