



Date December 9, 2024

**RESOLUTION APPROVING 28E AGREEMENT WITH POLK COUNTY FOR PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS SEEKING SUPPORT AND REFERRALS FOR TREATMENT FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND ACUTE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Des Moines and Polk county desire to provide a managed physical space for individuals in Polk County, Iowa who are seeking support and referrals for treatment of substance use and acute mental health needs and to jointly provide funding for such services; and

**WHEREAS**, Polk County, Iowa, acting by and through its Behavioral Health and Disability Services Department (hereinafter “BHDS Dept.”) manages the access and delivery of substance abuse and mental health services as the Region Administrator for the Polk County Mental Health and Disability Services Region (hereinafter “Region”); and

**WHEREAS**, SVdP Substance Abuse Services, LLC (hereafter “SVdP”) is an Iowa limited liability company with experience in providing social services directly to clients in the Polk County community; and

**WHEREAS**, Polk County, Iowa will utilize its facilities at 1914 Carpenter Ave., Des Moines, Iowa, as the physical location of the center; and

**WHEREAS**, SVdP Substance Abuse Services, LLC, through a contract with Polk County shall provide sobering services and community navigation at the center to adult citizen residents of Polk County, Iowa and shall be responsible for facility oversight at 1914 Carpenter Ave. in Des Moines; and

**WHEREAS**, the City and Polk County have negotiated an agreement pursuant to Chapter 28E of the Iowa Code whereby the City will provide funding to the County to reimburse it for funds expended pursuant to the County’s contract with SVdP in an amount not to exceed \$600,000 in its first year with annual increases not to exceed \$25,000 unless otherwise agreed to by the parties. A copy of the Agreement is on file in the office of the City Clerk and available for inspection upon request; and

**WHEREAS**, by Roll Call number, 24-1292, City Council approved the proposed agreement with the County, however, subsequent to the Council’s approval, the County Board of Supervisors approved a slightly modified version of the Agreement which is now on file in the office of the City Clerk and available for inspection upon request.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DES MOINES, IOWA:**

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1. That the updated 28E Agreement in form on file in the office of the City Clerk is hereby approved;
2. The Mayor is authorized and directed to execute such Agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to acknowledge the Mayor's signature on the Agreement;
3. The City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to administer the Agreement on behalf of the City; and
4. The Finance Director or designee is hereby authorized to issue payment in accordance with the Agreement at the direction of the City Manager.

MOVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ TO APPROVE.

SECOND BY \_\_\_\_\_

Approved as to form by:

/s/ Gary D. Goudelock Jr.

Gary D. Goudelock Jr.  
Assistant City Attorney



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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN				
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COLEMAN				
WESTERGAARD				
MANDELBAUM				
GATTO				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED			APPROVED	

**CERTIFICATE**

I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, 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.

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Mayor

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City Clerk