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Date January 28, 2008

APPROVAL OF PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2007 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the Des Moines Park and Recreation Department is charged with the care of the grounds of the municipal cemeteries; and

WHEREAS, numerous headstones in the infant section of the Woodland Municipal Cemetery are in need of replacement or repair; and

WHEREAS, the Park and Recreation Department submitted an application to Prairie Meadows or a grant to perform such replacement or repair at Woodland Municipal Cemetery; and

WHEREAS, Prairie Meadows has awarded the City of Des Moines a 2007 Community Betterment Grant in the amount of \$3,000.00 for the Park and Recreation Department's Woodland Cemetery infant headstone restoration program; and

WHEREAS, Prairie Meadows has presented a grant agreement, a copy of which is on file in the City Clerk's Office, for execution prior to receipt of the grant funds; and

WHEREAS, under such grant agreement, the Park and Recreation Department will provide a written report on the use of the grant funds to Prairie Meadows; and

WHEREAS, such grant will assist the Park and Recreation Department Cemetery staff in providing enhanced maintenance services at Woodland Municipal Cemetery.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa that the above described grant agreement between the City of Des Moines and Prairie Meadows, which is on file in the City Clerk's Office, is hereby approved and the Park and Recreation Director is hereby authorized and directed to sign said agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is hereby directed to attest to said signature.

(Council Communication No. 08-045)

Moved by

Hensley

to adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato

Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
HENSLEY	✓			
KIERNAN	✓			
MAHAFFEY	✓			
MEYER	✓			
VLASSIS	✓			
TOTAL	7			

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED

Y. M. Franklin Cownie
Mayor

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.

Diane Rauh
City Clerk