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Agenda Item Number
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Date April 20, 2009

AUTHORIZATION TO SUBMIT APPLICATION BY IOWA SOYBEAN ASSOCIATION ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR NATIONAL CLEAN DIESEL CAMPAIGN GRANT

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines places a high priority on efficient energy use and clean fuel in its operations; and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) provides National Clean Diesel Campaign grants to fund the retrofitting of diesel engines with devices to reduce emissions and to help offset the incremental cost increase of biodiesel fuel; and

WHEREAS, the Iowa Soybean Association, 4554 114th Street, Urbandale, Iowa 50322, desires to submit a regional application on behalf of participating public entities with fleets in order to increase the award minimum amount and to enhance the chances of a grant award and is seeking public fleets to participate in such grant application; and

WHEREAS, the City would not be required to provide matching funds if it receives such grant funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the submittal of a grant application for a National Clean Diesel Campaign grant from the Environmental Protection Agency by the Iowa Soybean Association on behalf of the City, which grant application may also be on behalf of other regional public entities, is hereby approved, and the Iowa Soybean Association is hereby authorized to make such application, subject to the approval by the City Manager of such grant application terms, conditions and representations.

(Council Communication No. 09- **257**)

SPONSOR: Mayor Cownie

MOVED by Vlassis to approve.

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			

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
T. M. Franklin Cownie
Mayor

Diane Fauh City Clerk