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**SET DATE OF HEARING FOR CONSIDERING RENAMING
THE DES MOINES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines owns and operates an airport known as Des Moines International Airport (hereinafter called the "Airport"), located in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, on June 22, 2009, by Roll Call No. 09-1153, the Des Moines City Council referred a request to the Airport Board from Dr. K. L. Hebron of Indianola to rename the Des Moines International Airport to the "Luther Smith International Airport"; and

WHEREAS, on July 13, 2009, by Roll Call No. 09-1263, the Des Moines City Council referred a second request to the Airport Board from John and Kay Jones of Des Moines to rename the Des Moines International Airport to the "Arthur E. Thomas International Airport"; and

WHEREAS, on August 4, 2009, the Airport Board conducted a public hearing as required by the Des Moines City Council's Naming Policy; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Board, by Resolution No. A09-147, recommended to the Des Moines City Council that the Airport name remain "Des Moines International Airport"; and

WHEREAS, the Council has determined to hold a hearing on the matter and to give notice to the affected parties by publication in the manner usually employed in providing notice of public hearings.

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

1. That this City Council meet in the Council Chambers, City Hall, City of Des Moines, Iowa, at 5:00 p.m. on the 24th day of August, 2009, for the purpose of holding a public hearing and taking action on the matter of renaming the Des Moines International Airport;
2. That the record of the Airport Board's proceedings be filed with the City Clerk;
3. That notice of the public hearing be given by publication not less than ten (10) days before the date of the hearing in accordance with the Council's Naming Policy; and
4. That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish the notice as provided above.

Moved by Hensley to adopt.

Approved as to form:



David A. Ferree
Assistant City Attorney

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

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED

T. M. Franklin
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