

Date September 24, 2012

ADOPTION OF UPDATED "SNOW AND ICE CONTROL POLICY"

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works is charged with administration of the City's Snow and Ice Removal Program; and

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2012, the City Council approved the passage of an amendment to Chapter 114 of the Des Moines Municipal Code relating to on-street parking restrictions in areas other than on Snow Routes and in the Central Business District during snow events; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has improved equipment that, together with restricted on-street parking, will allow the Department to perform snow removal on Snow District streets (residential streets) after total accumulation exceeds 2" of snow, rather than the existing Policy of snow removal after 4"; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has prepared an updated "Snow and Ice Control Policy", a copy of which is attached hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the "Snow and Ice Control Policy", attached hereto, is hereby approved and adopted.

(Council Communication No. 12-501)

MOVED by Hensley to approve.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato
Assistant City Attorney

Table with columns: COUNCIL ACTION, YEAS, NAYS, PASS, ABSENT. Rows include COWNIE, COLEMAN, GRIESS, HENSLEY, MAHAFFEY, MEYER, MOORE, and TOTAL (7 yeas).

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.

Signature of Mayor T. M. Franklin

Signature of Diane Rauh, City Clerk