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Date February 11, 2013

**APPROVING AN APPLICATION TO THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION (IDOT) FOR THE
“ALL TOWN SIGN REPLACEMENT PROGRAM.”**

WHEREAS the City of Des Moines, Iowa, recognizes the importance of maintaining the regulatory and warning signs on the street system in conformance with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS a review of signs has been conducted by the City of Des Moines to identify deficiencies in those signs eligible for replacement under the rules of the program; and

WHEREAS the Iowa Department of Transportation will provide up to \$5,000 worth of conforming regulatory and warning signing materials to the City of Des Moines at no cost; and

WHEREAS it is understood that applications will be considered in or of receipt and will be limited to STOP, STOP AHEAD, YIELD, Two-Direction Large Arrow, One-Direction Large Arrow, and DO NOT ENTER signs.

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

The mayor is hereby directed to submit the grant application and request for signing materials to replace signs the City has identified as deficient in their review. This application is to be submitted to the Iowa Department of Transportation's Program Coordinator for the All Town Sign Replacement Program, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

- A. All signing materials will be installed by the City of Des Moines, Iowa, within 180 days after the sign materials are furnished; and,
- B. All signs will be installed in compliance with the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices, Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, as adopted per Iowa Administrative Rules 761, Chapter 130; and,
- C. The City of Des Moines, Iowa, will certify in writing to the Department of Transportation's Program Coordinator within 30 days after the sign materials and/or signs have been installed; and

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D. The City of Des Moines, Iowa recognizes that submission of this resolution, along with an application, requesting signs and sign posts, represents approval by the City to participate in the All Town Sign Replacement Program.

(Council Letter Number 13-054 attached)

Moved by Hensley to adopt.

FORM APPROVED: Kathleen Vanderpool
Kathleen Vanderpool
Deputy City Attorney

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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
GRIESS	✓			
HENSLEY	✓			
MAHAFFEY	✓			
MEYER	✓			
MOORE	✓			
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.

T. M. Franklin Council Mayor

Diane Rauh City Clerk