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RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR THE APPLICATION BY DES MOINES COMMUNITY PLAYHOUSE FOR A GRANT UNDER THE VISION IOWA, COMMUNITY ATTRACTION AND TOURISM PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Des Moines Community Playhouse is submitting an application to the Vision Iowa Board on January 15, 2014, seeking a grant under the Community Attraction and Tourism Program for the renovation and enhancement of its facility at 831 42nd Street in the City of Des Moines; and,

WHEREAS, for the last 60 years the Des Moines Community Playhouse facility has served as an anchor attraction in the heart of the City of Des Moines - providing entertainment, education and avocational activities for generations of central Iowans; and,

WHEREAS, the renovation and enhancement of the Des Moines Community Playhouse facility will allow it to expand on its long history of providing high quality arts, culture and cultural education to the citizens of Des Moines and central Iowa; and,

WHEREAS, the planned enhancements will create a space that best serves the citizens of Des Moines and central Iowa, while supporting life-changing experiences for the nearly 70,000 volunteers, students and audience members that visit the Playhouse every year.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, as follows:

- 1. The Des Moines City Council hereby expresses its support for the application by Des Moines Community Playhouse to the Vision Iowa Board seeking assistance for the renovation and enhancement of its facility at 831 42nd Street.
2. The Mayor is hereby directed and authorized to sign the accompanying letter of support for Des Moines Community Playhouse, and for its application to the Vision Iowa Board.

MOVED by Hensley to defer action. Staff will work with Clear Channel Communications and the Playhouse regarding future of the billboard. (Council Communication No. 14-002)

FORM APPROVED: Roger K. Brown, Assistant City Attorney

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MOTION CARRIED 7 APPROVED T.M. Franklin Council 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