



Roll Call Number

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11B

DATE December 8, 2014

APPROVING COMPLETION AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE PRIVATE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT FOR ZOO IMPROVEMENTS, QUARANTINE/HOLDING BUILDING, GIBBONS HOLDING BUILDING, SEA LION POOL AND THE REMAINDER OF THE AUSTRALIAN TRAIL ADVENTURE, BETWEEN NEUMANN BROTHERS, INC. AND BLANK PARK ZOO FOUNDATION, INC.

WHEREAS, on March 28, 2011 under Roll Call No. 11-0501, the City Council approved a private construction contract in the amount of \$3,873,183.00, between Neumann Brothers, Inc., Marshall G. Linn III, President/CEO, 1435 Ohio Street, Des Moines, IA, 50314 - as Contractor, and Blank Park Zoo Foundation, Inc., Mark R. Vukovich, CEO, 7401 SW 9th Street, Des Moines, IA, 50315 - as Owner, for construction of Zoo Improvements described as construction of the Quarantine/Holding Building, Gibbons Holding Building, Sea Lion Pool, and the remainder of the Australian Trail Adventure in accordance with the contract documents at Blank Park Zoo, 7401 SW 9th Street, Des Moines, Iowa, and granted permission to the parties of said contract to construct these improvements in accordance with the contract documents and subject to the inspection and approval of the Des Moines Interim City Engineer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: That the attached report of the Des Moines Interim City Engineer acknowledging the completion and recommending the acceptance of the construction of said Zoo Improvements in the amount of \$3,873,183.00, which have been constructed in substantial compliance with the contract documents between Neumann Brothers, Inc. and Blank Park Zoo Foundation, Inc., which were approved under Roll Call No. 11-0501, dated March 28, 2011, be received and filed; and that completion of said Zoo Improvements described as construction of the Quarantine/Holding Building, Gibbons Holding Building, Sea Lion Pool, and the remainder of the Australian Trail Adventure in accordance with the contract documents at Blank Park Zoo, 7401 SW 9th Street, Des Moines, Iowa, is hereby acknowledged and that said Zoo Improvements are hereby accepted.



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Moved by _____ to adopt.

FORM APPROVED:

Kathleen Vanderpool

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Deputy City Attorney

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Funding Source: All project costs are to be paid by the Owner(s), Blank Park Zoo Foundation, Inc.

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I, Diane Rauh, City Clerk of said City Council, hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council, 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.

City Clerk