

★ Roll Call Number  
15-1337

Agenda Item Number  
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Date August 10, 2015

**APPROVING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AND THE CITY OF DES MOINES FOR THE DES MOINES LEVEE SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, the United States Congress has authorized a feasibility study of the Des Moines and Raccoon Rivers to evaluate the impacts of the increased flood risk identified in the 2010 Des Moines River Regulated Flow Frequency Study which indicated the current levee system provides lower than 1% annual chance exceedance level of protection; and

WHEREAS, Corps of Engineers has provided a Federal Cost Share Agreement that provides for a study to identify and evaluate alternatives and the preparation of a decision document that, as appropriate, recommends a coordinated and implementable solution for enhancement of Des Moines levee system flood protection; and

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: That the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, an Agreement between the Department of the Army, and the City of Des Moines for the Des Moines Levees System, Des Moines and Raccoon Rivers, IA, a copy of which is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

(Council Letter Number 15-446 attached)  
 Activity ID 14-2015-022

Moved by Hensley to adopt.

FORM APPROVED: Kathleen Vanderpool by AD  
 Kathleen Vanderpool  
 Deputy City Attorney

PSC Funding Source: 2015-2016 CIP, Page Storm – 6, Flood Mitigation Improvements, SM087, Being: \$1,700,000 in Federal funds and \$1,300,000 (maximum) in Storm Revenue Bonds

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
GATTO	✓			
GRAY	✓			
HENSLEY	✓			
MAHAFFEY	✓			
MOORE	✓			
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