

**Agenda Item Number** 

Date May 23, 2016

## APPROVING CONTRACT BETWEEN CITY OF DES MOINES AND ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF IOWA, INC. FOR LEASE OF ANIMAL SHELTER, ANIMAL SHELTER SERVICES AND CITY ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines Police Department and the Animal Rescue League of Iowa, Inc., 5452 N.E. 22<sup>nd</sup> Street, Des Moines, IA 50313, Carol Griglione, President, have reached an agreement approved by the City Legal Department for the lease and operation of the city animal shelter and the provision of animal control services for Des Moines; and

WHEREAS, the current agreements for the animal shelter lease, animal shelter services and city animal control services with the Animal Rescue League end on June 30, 2016; and

WHEREAS, this agreement presented for approval is for a three year period beginning July 1, 2016 with a total Year 1 cost to the City of \$687,215.96 to be paid in equal monthly installments of \$57,267.99; with a Year 2 and Year 3 total annual costs to the City of \$737,215.96 to be paid in equal monthly installments of \$61,434.66 ending on June 30, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the contract provides the City with the ability to remove 1.0 additional Full-Time Equivalent position in Year 2 and Year 3 of the agreement, thus reducing the monthly costs accordingly; and

WHEREAS, the contract will require an amendment to the schedule of fees for the processing fee to redeem dogs and cats from impound; and

WHEREAS, approval of this proposed agreement, now on file with the city clerk's office, is in the best interest of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa that upon passage of the amendment to the schedule of fees concerning the processing fee charged at the animal shelter, the City Manager is authorized to sign, with the City Clerk to attest to the Manager's signature, the three-year contract with the Animal Rescue League of Iowa, Inc., 5452 N.E. 22<sup>nd</sup> Street, Des Moines, IA 50313, Carol Griglione, President, and the City Manager and Chief of Police or designee are authorized to carry out the terms and conditions of the contract.

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to the City Manager to FORM APPROVED:

MOVED BY **CIEDS** to continue to the June 13, 2016 Council Meeting; refer r to coordinate meeting regarding service gaps, consider workshop on this item and to develop a Douglas P. Philiph, Assistant City Attorney long term plan.

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSEN
COWNIE	-			
COLEMAN	-			
GATTO	-			
GRAY	-			
HENSLEY	-			
MOORE	-			
WESTERGAARD	-			
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## 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.

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City Clerk