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Date October 24, 2016

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE BOUNDARY CHANGE AND EXPANSION OF THE BEAVERDALE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION AND REMOVING THE MEREDITH NEIGHBORHOOD FROM THE LIST OF RECOGNIZED NEIGHBORHOODS

WHEREAS, the Des Moines City Council approved the City of Des Moines Neighborhood Recognition Policy on May 24, 1993 by Roll Call No. 93-2026; and

WHEREAS, the Beaverdale Neighborhood Association has submitted a request to expand its neighborhood boundaries to include the area currently known as the Meredith Neighborhood as shown on the attached map (excluding properties north of Aurora Avenue that are located along the east side of Merle Hay Road, which are proposed to become a part of the Merle Hay Neighborhood Association); and

WHEREAS, the Meredith Neighborhood has been experiencing decreasing participation within its association, and after a series of public meetings, both the Meredith Neighborhood Association and the Beaverdale Neighborhood Association voted to support the proposed expansion of the Beaverdale Neighborhood Association to include that portion of the Meredith Neighborhood shown on the attached map; and

WHEREAS, at its Board meeting on October 5, 2016, the Neighborhood Revitalization Board recommended approval of the proposed expansion of the Beaverdale Neighborhood Association and discontinuation of the Meredith Neighborhood Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the expanded boundaries for the Beaverdale Neighborhood Association are hereby approved and recorded as part of the City's Neighborhood Recognition Policy, and that the Meredith Neighborhood Association is hereby removed from the City's list of Recognized Neighborhoods.

MOVED by Gray to adopt.

FORM APPROVED:

Glenna K. Frank, Assistant City Attorney

Table with 5 columns: COUNCIL ACTION, YEAS, NAYS, PASS, ABSENT. Rows include COWNIE, COLEMAN, GATTO, GRAY, HENSLEY, MOORE, WESTERGAARD, and TOTAL.

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.

Mayor signature: T. M. Franklin

City Clerk signature: Diane Rauh