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Date February 25, 2019

APPROVAL OF DONATION AGREEMENT WITH DES MOINES PARK & RECREATION FOUNDATION REGARDING PLAYGROUND AT WHITMER PARK

WHEREAS, the Park and Recreation Department is charged with the responsibility of providing safe playgrounds within the City of Des Moines; and

WHEREAS, the Des Moines Park and Recreation Foundation d/b/a Friends of Des Moines Parks received a donation from the Wells Fargo Lift Program to improve Whitmer Park, and desires to make a charitable contribution of \$100,000 to the City for the benefit of the citizens of Des Moines toward the procurement by the City of playground equipment and related improvements at Whitmer Park, East 6th Street and Lyon Street, and by also providing volunteers to help install the playground improvements; and

WHEREAS, Park and Recreation Department staff and the Friends of Des Moines Parks have agreed to a Donation Agreement, a copy of which is in the City Clerk's Office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa that the Donation Agreement Between Des Moines Park & Recreation Foundation and the City of Des Moines Regarding Improvements to Whitmer Park, a copy of which is on file with the City Clerk's Office, is hereby approved and the Mayor is authorized and directed to sign the Agreement on behalf of the City and the City Clerk is authorized and directed to attest to his signature.

(Council Communication No. 19 - 084)

Moved By Gatto to adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
BOESEN	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
GATTO	✓			
GRAY	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	7			

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.

J. M. Franklin Cownie Mayor

Diane Rauh City Clerk