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**APPROVAL OF 2020 SUPPLEMENTAL EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT (ESG)
FUNDING ALLOCATIONS**

WHEREAS, on March 27, 2020, President Trump signed the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act), Public Law 116-136, which provides additional Community Development Block Grant (CDBG-CV) and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG-CV) funding to prepare, prevent, and respond to coronavirus; and

WHEREAS, on April 2, 2020, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) allocated to the City of Des Moines \$2,231,212.00 in CDBG-CV and \$1,108,334.00 in ESG-CV funds for activities to respond to the public health crisis; and

WHEREAS, on May 4, 2020, by Roll Call No. 20-0792, the City Council approved amendments to the 2019 Action Plan and Citizen Participation Plan for the HUD 2015-2019 Consolidated Plan; and

WHEREAS, on June 8, 2020, by Roll Call No. 20-0912, the City Council authorized the Mayor to execute the CDBG-CV and ESG-CV Grant Agreements between HUD and the City of Des Moines; and

WHEREAS, on June 16, 2020 the City of Des Moines and Polk County Continuum of Care (CoC) issued a notice of funding availability requesting proposals for use of the 2020 ESG-CV funds from nonprofit agencies and governmental entities, and received six proposals, which were reviews by the CoC Grant Committee and City staff; and

WHEREAS, City staff, the CoC Grant Committee, and the CoC Board recommend allocating the funding according to the accompanying Council Communication; and

WHEREAS, to implement the activities proposed, staff will work with the nonprofit agencies and governmental entities to develop agreements that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that:

1. The 2020 supplemental ESG-CV funding is awarded as outlined in the accompanying Council Communication.
2. Consistent with Roll Call No. 96-1034, dated March 18, 1996, regarding contract and amendment procedures for ESG funded projects, the City Council authorizes and directs



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the City Manager to approve and execute the detailed work program and written agreements with the awarded nonprofit agencies.

(Council Comm. No. 20-304)

MOVED BY Gatto TO ADOPT .

FORM APPROVED:

Judy K. Parks-Kruse
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Assistant City Attorney

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CERTIFICATE

I, P. Kay Cmelik, 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

P. Kay Cmelik City Clerk