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Date August 5, 2020 reconvened from August 3, 2020

**RESOLUTION HOLDING HEARING ON HONORARY NAMING OF CORNING AVENUE  
BETWEEN 6<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE AND A TERMINUS AT THE DES MOINES RIVER  
TO THE WEST OF 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET AS RIVIERA WAY**

**WHEREAS**, on May 4, 2009, by Roll Call No. 09-801, the City Council adopted a policy for the naming and renaming of City streets, facilities and park land in the City of Des Moines, which policy provides, in part, that the Mayor, Council Member, or Council as a whole may sponsor a request for naming or renaming on the Council agenda and that Council action to approve a name change may be expedited if deemed appropriate by Council; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 13, 2020, by Roll Call No. 20-1107, the City Plan and Zoning Commission has advised that at a public hearing held on July 2, 2020, its members voted 12-0 to recommend **APPROVAL** of a City-initiated request to provide an honorary name of “Riviera Way” to a segment of Corning Avenue between 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and a terminus at the Des Moines River to the west of 7<sup>th</sup> Street to honor the original Riverview Park amusement park and entertainment center located at the site of recent City Park and Recreation Department improvements and expansion of services, with addressing and wayfinding retaining the name of Corning Avenue; and

**WHEREAS**, the above-referenced naming policy provides that public notice will be given and a public hearing held on any naming or renaming proposal; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 13, 2020, by Roll Call No. 20-1107, it was duly resolved by the City Council that the proposal to provide an honorary name to the above-described segment of Corning Avenue be set down for hearing on August 3, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall; and

**WHEREAS**, due notice of said hearing was published in the Des Moines Register, as provided by law, setting forth the time and place for hearing on said proposed street renaming; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with said notice, those interested in said proposed honorary street naming, both for and against, have been given opportunity to be heard with respect thereto and have presented their views to the City Council.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, as follows:

1. Upon due consideration of the facts, and any and all statements of interested persons and arguments of counsel, any objections to the proposed honorary naming of “Riviera Way” to the segment of Corning Avenue between 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and a terminus at the Des Moines River to the west of 7<sup>th</sup> Street, are hereby overruled, and the hearing is closed.
2. The honorary naming of the segment of Corning Avenue between 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and a terminus at the Des Moines River to the west of 7<sup>th</sup> Street is hereby approved.



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MOVED BY Westergaard TO ADOPT.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Glenna K. Frank

Glenna K. Frank, Assistant City Attorney

(11-2020-1.06)

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
BOESEN	✓			
GATTO	✓			
GRAY	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
VOSS	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	7			
MOTION CARRIED	APPROVED			

T. M. Frankhu Cowne  
Mayor

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.

P. Kay Cmelik

City Clerk