



Roll Call Number

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Date April 24, 2023

APPROVAL OF IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT FUTURE READY IOWA ENTRY LEVEL DRIVER TRAINING PROGRAM GRANT AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines trains applicable employees to attain Commercial Drivers Licenses (CDL) needed to perform City work; and

WHEREAS, Iowa Workforce Development (IWD) is authorized to use American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds in support of the Iowa Entry-Level Driver Training Program (ELDT) by reimbursing Iowa based employers, employer consortiums, and non-profits that provide ELDT in-house or through partnership with third-party certified training providers located in Iowa; and

WHEREAS, the City is eligible for such reimbursement for an amount not to exceed \$85,000.00 related to its CDL training program; and

WHEREAS, IWD has forwarded for the City's approval its Future Ready Iowa Entry Level Driver Training Program Grant Agreement identifying protocols for receipt of reimbursements in an amount not to exceed \$85,000.00 for the period January 1, 2023 through October 31, 2024, as described in the attached Council Communication and as on file with the City Clerk.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the Future Ready Iowa Entry Level Driver Training Program Grant Agreement by and between the State of Iowa, Iowa Workforce Development and the City of Des Moines, whereby the City will be eligible for training reimbursements not to exceed \$85,000.00 during for the period January 1, 2023 through October 31, 2024 hereby is approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor is authorized and directed to execute the Grant Agreement with the City Clerk to witness his signature.



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(Council Communication No. 23-217)

Moved by Gatto to adopt.

Second by Boesen.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Carol J. Moser

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Deputy City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
BOESEN	✓			
GATTO	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
SHEUMAKER				✓
VOSS	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	6			1

CERTIFICATE

I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, 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.

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED

J. M. Frankin Cownie Mayor

Laura Baumgartner

City Clerk