



**Roll Call Number**

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**Date** June 30, 2025

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT TO PREPARE FOR, PREVENT, AND  
RESPOND TO CORONAVIRUS (CDBG-CV) FUNDING AGREEMENT WITH THE IOWA  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (IEDA) FOR SHELTER OPERATIONS**

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

**WHEREAS**, on April 2, 2020, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) allocated the City of Des Moines \$2,231,212 in CDBG-CV round one funds for activities to respond to the public health crisis; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 11, 2020, HUD announced the availability of a second round of \$1 billion in CDBG-CV funds for states which allows them to fund activities in entitlement areas; and

**WHEREAS**, HUD allocated \$9,529,120 in CDBG-CV funds to the State of Iowa and to be administered by Iowa Economic Development Authority (IEDA); and

**WHEREAS**, IEDA chose a methodology for funding entitlement cities based on population and a standard factor and allocated \$2,067,124 CDBG-CV funds to the City of Des Moines; and

**WHEREAS**, the City expended its initial CDBG-CV allocation from the State and was invited to apply for an additional \$456,000 for local shelter operations; and

**WHEREAS**, IEDA has approved the City's application for shelter operations and now forwarded a Grant Agreement for \$456,000 of CDBG-CV, as on file with the City Clerk and by this reference made a part hereof.

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

1. That the above referenced Grant Agreement by and between IEDA and the City of Des Moines, whereby the City will receive CDBG-CV funds totaling \$456,000, is hereby approved.
2. That the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute the above referenced Grant Agreement and the City Clerk to attest to her signature.
3. That the Neighborhood Services Director and designees are authorized and directed to administer the Grant Agreement in accordance with the funding and programs described in Council Communication No. 25-246.

(Council Communication No. 25-246)

Moved by Latto to adopt.

Second by Voss



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FORM APPROVED:

/s/ Gary D. Goudelock Jr.

Gary D. Goudelock Jr.  
Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN	✓			
SIMONSON	✓			
VOSS	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
GATTO	✓			
TOTAL	7			
MOTION CARRIED				

APPROVED

### 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.

Connie Boesen

Mayor

Laura Baumgartner

City Clerk