



Roll Call Number

26-0201

Agenda Item Number

44A

Date February 9, 2026

**APPROVAL OF CONTRACT AND BOND ON
2026 MIDBLOCK PEDESTRIAN SIGNAL IMPROVEMENTS
\$525,801.41**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: That the contract and bond, in the amount of \$525,801.41, executed by Iowa Signal, Inc., Wayne Lesley, President, 3711 S.E. Capitol Circle, Grimes, IA, 50111 dated February 09, 2026, for the construction of the following public improvement:

2026 Midblock Pedestrian Signal Improvements, Activity ID 042025006

The improvement includes new Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon pedestrian signal, Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon, Portland Cement Concrete (PCC) sidewalk, pavement markings, and other incidental items, all in accordance with the contract documents including Plan File No. 678-411/446, located on Locust Street bridge over the Des Moines River at Principal Riverwalk, ML King Jr Parkway and Water Street at Principal Riverwalk, Evergreen Avenue at Jackson Elementary School, Walker Street at East High School, E 29th Street at Goodrell Middle School, SW 14th Street at Wright Elementary School, and other locations directed by the City Engineer in Des Moines, Iowa

the same to be performed in accordance with the plans and specifications which have been heretofore approved by this Council, be and the same are hereby approved, subject to receipt of the contract and bond approved as to form by the Legal Department, and certificate of insurance acceptable to the Engineering Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute said contract on behalf of the City of Des Moines, subject to receipt of the contract and bond approved as to form by the Legal Department, and certificate of insurance acceptable to the Engineering Department, and the City Clerk, be and is hereby authorized and directed to attest to same. No contract shall be deemed to exist between the City of Des Moines and said Bidder until said contract has been executed by the Bidder, and shall have been approved by this Council and executed by the Mayor and attested to by the City Clerk.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That after said contract has been executed by the Mayor, the City Clerk be and is hereby authorized and directed to return the Contractor's bid security in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Engineer is hereby authorized to approve requests to sublet work from the Contractor, subject to receipt of the contract and bond approved as to form by the Legal Department, and certificate of insurance acceptable to the Engineering Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized to encumber this contract amount against the funds as identified below, and to acquire Builder's Risk Insurance, if appropriate, for the above referenced public improvement.



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(Council Communication No. 26-038 attached)

Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Voss

FORM APPROVED:

/s/ Glenna K. Frank
Glenna K. Frank
Deputy City Attorney

FUNDS AVAILABLE:

s/Nickolas J. Schaul
Nickolas J. Schaul
Director of Finance

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Funding Source: 2025-26 CIP, Page 134, Pedestrian Crossing Improvements, ST287

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN	✓			
SIMONSON	✓			
VOSS	✓			
BARRON	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
GATTO	✓			
TOTAL	7			

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

Conis Boesen

Mayor

Laura Baumgartner

City Clerk