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Date February 23, 2026

INITIAL CONSIDERATION OF REQUEST FOR HONORARY NAMING OF 34th STREET BETWEEN UNIVERSITY AVENUE AND FOREST AVENUE AS "AGHA STREET"

WHEREAS, a petition has been received from Kalsoom Asif, on behalf of members of the Drake University community, Greek Street organizations, alumni, residents, and others in support, requesting that the City street located at 34th Street between University Avenue and Forest Avenue be named "Agha Street" in honor of Agha Noor Ahmed Khan, the former President of Phi Gamma Delta ("Fiji") fraternity at Drake University who made meaningful contributions to student safety, community cohesion, and civic responsibility within the Greek Street corridor and the broader Drake University community; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Council policy adopted on May 4, 2009, the city Council of the City of Des Moines shall receive and give initial consideration to such request.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that upon initial consideration of the aforementioned request to name the City street located at 34th Street between University Avenue and Forest Avenue be named "Agha Street" in honor of Agha Noor Ahmed Khan, the Council hereby REFERS such request to the Plan and Zoning Commission for further review in accordance with the Council policy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that following review, the recommendation of the Plan and Zoning Commission shall be returned to Council for final consideration.

Moved by _____ to adopt.

Second by _____.

/s/ Emily A. Duffy

Emily A. Duffy
Assistant City Attorney

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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN				
SIMONSON				
VOSS				
BARRON				
WESTERGAARD				
MANDELBAUM				
GATTO				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED				APPROVED

Mayor

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.

City Clerk