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SUBJECT—

Approving and authorizing the execution of Iowa Department of Transportation Preconstruction Agreement for storm sewer construction along Rollins Avenue and 33rd Street

SYNOPSIS—

The City of Des Moines (City) and Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT) have negotiated a Preconstruction Agreement for storm sewer construction south of I-235 along Rollins Avenue and 33rd Street. Approval of this agreement will allow construction of this project that will be bid and administered by the IDOT.

FISCAL IMPACT—

IDOT will initially pay all costs associated with this project. This project will be 100% City cost (approximately \$387,333) as part of the Master Predesign Agreement between the City and IDOT (Agreement No. 2001-P-028, dated October 9, 2000). City repayment to IDOT will also be made in accordance with the payment terms set forth in the Master Predesign Agreement, commencing in fiscal year 2007-08. This repayment is budgeted in the Capital Improvements Program (CIP) under I-235 Storm and Sanitary Sewer Improvements, Fund CP038, Organization ENG990000, Project STR197, in Fiscal Year 2007-08.

RECOMMENDATION—

Approval.

BACKGROUND—

On August 31, 2000, the City Council approved a Predesign Agreement (Agreement No. 2001-P-028) with IDOT for I-235 from the west city limits to the north city limits (Roll Call No. 00-3634). IDOT has completed the design of the storm sewer construction along Rollins Avenue and 33rd Street. The work includes construction of a new storm sewer system south of I-235 extending easterly along Rollins Avenue from 35th Street to 33rd Street, thence southerly along 33rd Street to Center Street.

The Predesign Agreement identifies cost share of outlet storm sewers based upon the stormwater flows associated with IDOT right-of-way and City property. The drainage area along Rollins Avenue and 33rd Street includes some stormwater discharge that is 100% City responsibility. The construction of the storm sewer necessary to convey this stormwater is therefore 100% City costs. The IDOT has agreed to include this work in their project as part of the overall Predesign Loan Agreement. Construction to begin in the spring of 2005. IDOT must approve this agreement before work may begin.