

★ Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number

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June 9, 2008

Date

**APPROVING AND ADOPTING AN AMENDED SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR CEMETERIES UNDER CHAPTER 34 OF THE CITY CODE**

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 34 of the City Code, entitled "Cemeteries" and referred to informally as the Cemeteries Ordinance, provides for the City's management and regulation of City cemeteries; and

**WHEREAS**, the City's Cemeteries Ordinance establishes and authorizes the Park and Recreation Board to review and determine the amount of fees for all services performed under the Cemeteries Ordinance subject to the approval of the City Council and authorizes the Park and Recreation Department to collect fees from users of the City cemeteries for various services and requiring City regulatory activity with regard thereto; and

**WHEREAS**, the Cemeteries Ordinance provides that such fees are to be in the amounts provided in a Schedule of Fees to be adopted by the City Council by resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, by Roll Call No. 02-3007 on December 18, 2002, the City Council approved and adopted a schedule of fees for City cemeteries; and

**WHEREAS**, by Roll Call No. 05-2929 on December 5, 2005, the City council approved and adopted a revised schedule of fees for City cemeteries; and

**WHEREAS**, the Park and Recreation Board recommends that the schedule of fees be amended pursuant to the attached schedule of fees.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA** that the Cemeteries Schedule of Fees appended hereto is hereby approved and adopted.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that said Cemeteries Schedule of Fees shall be maintained on file in the office of the City Clerk, the Park and Recreation Department, and each City cemetery for public reference, and that the fees therein established shall become effective upon and as of July 1, 2008.

(Council Communication No. 08-347 ) MOVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ TO ADOPT.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

*Ann DiDonato*  
Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

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COWNIE				
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APPROVED

Mayor

**CERTIFICATE**

I, DIANE RAUH, 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.

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City Clerk