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RESOLUTION APPROVING SUPPORT FOR AN APPLICATION TO THE IOWA HOUSING FINANCE AUTHORITY SUBMITTED BY THE ROSE OF EAST DES MOINES, LP REQUESTING LOW INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDITS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION OF 64 UNITS OF AFFORDABLE ASSISTED LIVING HOUSING LOCATED AT 1331 IDAHO

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines, Iowa, has been informed by The Rose of East Des Moines, L.P., represented by Gregory McClenahan, of Evergreen Real Estate Development Corporation, Prior Lake, Minnesota, that a low income housing tax credit application will be filed with the Iowa Finance Authority for the development of 64 units of Affordable Assisted Living at 1331 Idaho upon the property more specifically described as follows:

Lot 190, Ashbrook, an Official Plat, all now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, this housing project will contain 64 units and will be an Assisted Living Facility targeted toward Senior Housing;

WHEREAS, the project will be new construction;

WHEREAS, the project provides sufficient health care, nursing, and nutritional programs that it is classified as an Affordable Assisted Living Project in the Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program and does not count toward the 144 unit cap within Polk County;

WHEREAS, the development is in conformance with the City's Affordable Housing Policy except that it is located within a low-moderate income census tract;

WHEREAS, the development supports additional City Council goals in that the development is on an infill lot, and

WHEREAS, the Sponsor has requested local assistance through ten-year tax abatement;

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NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the low-income housing tax credit application is supported subject to compliance with City ordinances, which includes the Zoning and Site Plan Ordinances, and the building permit process. This resolution is effective until December 31, 2007. In the event that any of the characteristics mentioned above should change prior to the issuance of a building permit, this resolution is null and void.

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MOVED by _			to adopt.	

Form Approved:

Roger K. Brown

Assistant City Attorney

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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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