

★ **Roll Call Number**

Agenda Item Number

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Date September 26, 2016

WHEREAS, the federal guidelines regarding the sharing of federally forfeited property requires the submission of an "Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification" on an annual basis; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines recognizes the benefits from sharing federally forfeited property for the enhancement of law enforcement and understands these funds shall not be used to supplant the operational budget of the Police Department; and,

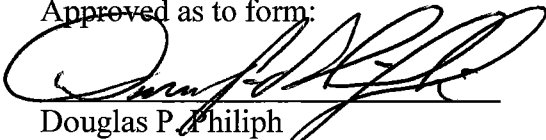
WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines certifies its willingness to abide by the federal guidelines in the equitable sharing of forfeited property; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines Iowa, that the Chief of Police or Chief's designee is hereby authorized to electronically sign and submit on behalf of the Mayor and Chief of Police the "FY2016 Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification Report" to the U.S. Department of Justice acknowledging the City's compliance with federal forfeiture guidelines.

(Council Letter Number 16-534 attached)

Moved by _____ to adopt

Approved as to form:


 Douglas P. Philiph
 Assistant City Attorney

| COUNCIL ACTION | YEAS | NAYS | PASS | ABSENT |
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| MOTION CARRIED | | | 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.

_____ City Clerk