

**Agenda Item Number** 

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**Date** June 27, 2022

## **RESOLUTION FOR RECERTIFICATION OF RECOGNIZED NEIGHBORHOODS**

WHEREAS, on May 24, 1993, by Roll Call No. 93-2026, the City Council approved the Neighborhood Recognition Policy which establishes procedures for the formal recognition of neighborhoods by the City of Des Moines, and authorizes recognized neighborhoods to advise the City on issues of concern; and

WHERAS, the Neighborhood Recognition Policy requires that each recognized neighborhood complete and return an annual neighborhood survey to the Neighborhood Services Department; and

WHEREAS, during the 2022 annual neighborhood survey process, Neighborhood Services staff received completed surveys from recognized neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2022, the Neighborhood Revitalization Board (NRB) found the below neighborhoods to be in compliance with the Neighborhood Recognition Policy and voted to recommend to the City Council that the City of Des Moines recertify the following 51 Recognized Neighborhoods:

- 1. ACCENT
- 2. Beaverdale
- 3. Brook Run
- 4. Capitol East
- 5. Capitol Park
- 6. Chautauqua Park
- 7. Cheatom Park
- 8. Douglas Acres
- 9. Downtown Des Moines
- 10. Drake
- 11. Easter Lake Area
- 12. Fairground
- 13. Fairmont Park
- 14. Fort Des Moines
- 15. Good Park
- 16. Grays Lake
- 17. Grays Woods
- 18. Greenwood Historic
- 19. Highland Park
- 20. Historic East Village

- 21. Indianola Hills
- 22. Ingersoll Park
- 23. King Irving
- 24. Linden Heights
- 25. Lower Beaver
- 26. Magnolia Park
- 27. Martin Luther King, Jr. Park
- 28. McKinley School/ Columbus Park
- 29. Merle Hay
- 30. Mondamin Presidential
- 31. North of Grand
- 32. Oak Park
- 33. Pioneer Park
- 34. Prospect Park
- 35. River Bend
- 36. River Woods
- 37. Salisbury Oaks
- 38. Sheridan Gardens
- 39. Sherman Hill





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40. Somerset 41. South Park 42. Southwestern Hills 43. Union Park 44. Valley High Manor 45. Waterbury

- 46. Watrous Heights 47. Watrous South 48. Waveland Park 49. Waveland Woods 50. Westwood
- 51. Woodland Heights;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that these 51 Recognized Neighborhoods are hereby recertified as Recognized Neighborhoods, effective immediately.

> (Council Communication Number 22-\_\_\_\_ 294 )

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to adopt. Second by

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Gary D. Goudelock Jr. Gary D. Goudelock Jr. Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT	<b>CERTIFICATE</b> I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, Acting 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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GATTO					
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Mayor					Acting City Clerk