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Agenda Item Number

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Date June 9, 2008

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines Police Department has drafted a proposed contract that City Legal has reviewed and approved paying \$343,459 per year to Animal Rescue League of Iowa, Inc., 5452 NE 22nd Street, Des Moines, IA, Tom Colvin, President to continue providing services at the Des Moines Animal Shelter, 1615 SE 14th Street, and:

WHEREAS, the City will continue to own and maintain the facility, The Animal Rescue League will lease the City Shelter for \$1.00 per year for three years, and:

WHEREAS, the Animal Rescue League will accept all animals delivered to the facility and will hold those animals for the specified impoundment periods. If animals are not redeemed, the animals will become the property of the Animal Rescue League, and:

WHEREAS, the Animal Rescue League will ensure that animals redeemed or adopted are properly vaccinated and licensed with the licensing fees being remitted to the City. The Animal Rescue League will also spay or neuter adopted animals, and;

WHEREAS, Des Moines Police Department Animal Control Unit enforcement officers will continue to enforce animal ordinances and retain office, storage and parking space at the Animal Shelter.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the three-year contract with the City Clerk to attest to the Mayor's signature and the City Manager and Chief of Police or designee are authorized to carry out the terms and conditions of the contract.

Moved by Hensley to adopt

Approved as to form:

[Signature of Douglas P. Philip]

Douglas P. Philip Assistant City Attorney

(Council Communication No. 08-352)

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
HENSLEY	✓			
KIERNAN	✓			
MAHAFFEY	✓			
MEYER	✓			
VLASSIS	✓			
TOTAL	7			

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED

[Signature of Mayor] 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.

[Signature of Diane Rauh]

City Clerk