



Roll Call Number

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Date May 18, 2020

**APPROVING THE CONCEPT PLAN FOR THE 2ND AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION
FROM UNIVERSITY AVENUE TO THE DES MOINES RIVER**

WHEREAS, On April 24, 2019, City staff presented the results of the traffic analysis and recommendations for the 2nd Avenue corridor at the City Council Quarterly Planning Session; and

WHEREAS, the Concept Plan developed for the 2nd Avenue Reconstruction from University Avenue to the Des Moines River includes:

- Pavement Reconstruction - Full pavement reconstruction of a 4-lane roadway with 11-foot-wide lanes, new curbs and gutters and new 5-foot-wide sidewalks on both sides.
- Forest Avenue Realignment - Realignment of the east leg of Forest Avenue at the intersection of 2nd Avenue to align with the west leg of Forest Avenue at the intersection of 2nd Avenue.
- Clark Street Realignment - Realignment of the east leg of Clark Street at the intersection of 2nd Avenue to align with the west leg of Clark Street at the intersection of 2nd Avenue.
- Left-Turn Lanes at Select Intersections - Adding left-turn lanes at the following intersections along 2nd Avenue:
 - Franklin Avenue (2nd Avenue northbound left-turn lane)
 - College Avenue (2nd Avenue northbound and southbound left-turn lanes)
 - Forest Avenue (2nd Avenue northbound and southbound left-turn lanes)
- Access Control Improvements - Eliminate and/or consolidate driveway accesses along the corridor to reduce the number of conflict points/turning movements along the corridor.



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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA: by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the Concept Plan for the 2nd Avenue Reconstruction from University Avenue to the Des Moines River, be and is hereby approved.

(City Council Communication Number 20-220 attached)
Activity ID 01-2020-001

Moved by Gray to adopt.

FORM APPROVED: s/Kathleen Vanderpool
Kathleen Vanderpool
Deputy City Attorney

Funding Source: 2020-21 Pending CIP, Page Street-35, Roadway Reconstruction – Second Avenue, ST277, Tax Increment Bonds

| COUNCIL ACTION | YEAS | NAYS | PASS | ABSENT |
|----------------|----------|------|------|--------|
| COWNIE | ✓ | | | |
| BOESEN | ✓ | | | |
| GATTO | ✓ | | | |
| GRAY | ✓ | | | |
| MANDELBAUM | ✓ | | | |
| VOSS | | ✓ | | |
| WESTERGAARD | ✓ | | | |
| TOTAL | 6 | 1 | | |
| MOTION CARRIED | APPROVED | | | |

J. M. Franklin Cownie
Mayor

CERTIFICATE

I, P. Kay Cmelik, 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.

P. Kay Cmelik

City Clerk