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Date May 10, 2021

AMENDING THE PROCEDURAL RULES OF THE DES MOINES CITY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council wish to conduct orderly and efficient meetings and to have items of significance before the City Council where the public has an opportunity to address the Council; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council wish to encourage public speaking by expanding the time for speakers both individually and collectively and to clarify its rules to ensure that meetings remain orderly and efficient; and

WHEREAS, amending the Procedural Rules of the Des Moines City Council is necessary to accomplish such objectives.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA:

That the PROCEDURAL RULES OF DES MOINES CITY COUNCIL are hereby amended by amending the Rules to reflect the attached changes in the conduct of City Council meetings commencing immediately upon adoption and approval of these amendments.

Moved by Voss to adopt.

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
BOESEN	✓			
VOSS	✓			
GATTO	✓			
GRAY	✓			
MANDELBAUM		✓		
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	6	1		

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.

MOTION CARRIED APPROVED

J. M. Frank Cownie Mayor

P. Kay Cmelik

City Clerk