



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

WHEREAS, 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



Roll Call Number

22-0991

Agenda Item Number

20

Date June 27, 2022

- 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 Gatto to adopt. Second by Boesen

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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

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

CERTIFICATE

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.

J. M. Frankhu Cownie Mayor

Laura Baumgartner Acting City Clerk

