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Date June 26, 2023

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE CONTINUING CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE GREATER DES MOINES PARTNERSHIP FROM CALENDAR YEAR 2023 THROUGH CALENDAR YEAR 2027

WHEREAS, the Greater Des Moines Partnership coordinates a variety of programs that benefit Des Moines including but not limited to Choose Des Moines Communities, Downtown Community Alliance, Workforce Development, and production and operation of major events, markets and public amenities; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that the City continue its contributions to Greater Des Moines Partnership for provision of the Partnership programs; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Des Moines Partnership programs that are funded in part by the City, further the public purposes of Iowa Code Chapter 15A to create new jobs and income and to retain existing jobs and income that would otherwise be lost to the City of Des Moines.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines that it authorizes payment in the amount of \$100,000 from the Economic Development Enterprise Fund for calendar year 2023 to the Greater Des Moines Partnership for provision of Partnership programs and that the amount be increased each calendar year by \$5,000 until 2027. The City Manager has discretion to cease payments for any year that he determines that the Partnership has not demonstrated success in achieving the program goals and measurements.

Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Voss.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Thomas G. Fisher Jr., Deputy City Attorney

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CERTIFICATE

I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, 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. Frankin, Mayor

Laura Baumgartner, City Clerk