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Date August 7, 2023

**ADDITIONAL ACTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$28,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION URBAN RENEWAL BONDS (UR)**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to notice published as required by law, the City Council has held a public meeting and hearing upon the proposal to institute proceedings for the issuance of not to exceed \$28,000,000 General Obligation Urban Renewal Bonds, for urban renewal purposes, in order to provide funds to pay the costs of aiding in the planning, undertaking and carrying out of urban renewal projects in accordance with Iowa Code chapter 403 and the urban renewal plans for the Ingersoll-Grand Commercial Urban Renewal Area, Metro Center Urban Renewal Area, Central Place Industrial Park Redevelopment Program Area Urban Renewal Area, and SE Agribusiness Urban Renewal Area, as amended, including the Animal Control Facility, Principal Park, Central Iowa Water Trails, and various public improvement projects involving street, streetscape, bridge, sidewalk, skywalk, utility and park improvements, with related site improvements, and has considered the extent of objections received from residents or property owners as to the proposed issuance of Bonds; and no petition was filed calling for a referendum thereon. The following action is now considered to be in the best interests of the City and residents thereof.

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

Section 1. That this Council does hereby institute proceedings and take additional action for the authorization and issuance in the manner required by law of not to exceed \$28,000,000 General Obligation Urban Renewal Bonds, for the foregoing urban renewal purposes.

Section 2. This Resolution shall serve as a declaration of official intent under Treasury Regulation 1.150-2 and shall be maintained on file as a public record of such intent. It is reasonably expected that the general fund moneys may be advanced from time to time for capital expenditures which are to be paid from the proceeds of the above Bonds. The amounts so advanced shall be reimbursed from the proceeds of the Bonds not later than eighteen months after the initial payment of the capital expenditures or eighteen months after the property is placed in service. Such advancements shall not exceed the amount authorized in this Resolution unless the same are for preliminary expenditures or unless another declaration of intention is adopted.

Section 3. The Finance Director is authorized and directed to proceed on behalf of the City with the sale of the Bonds, to select a date for the sale thereof, to cause to be prepared such notice and sale information as may appear appropriate, to publish and distribute the same on

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behalf of the City and this Council and otherwise to take all action necessary to permit the sale of the Bonds on a basis favorable to the City and acceptable to the Council.

( Council Communication No. 23- 373 )

MOVED by Voss to adopt.

Second by Gatto.

FORM APPROVED:

Thomas G. Fisher Jr.

Deputy City Attorney

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

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. Franklin Cownie Mayor

Laura Baumgartner City Clerk