ORDINANCE NO. 1607

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, WASHINGTON regarding one-time revenues, amending the 2015 phased-in expenditure requirements provided in DMMC 3.100.020.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 1561 was enacted by the City Council on December 13, 2012, defining one-time revenue, creating phased-in expenditure requirements, and codifying a new chapter in Title 3 DMMC, and

WHEREAS, budget issues for 2015 have forced the City to consider waiving the provisions of DMMC 3.100.020(2) (subsection 2 of Ordinance No. 1561) for 2015 to allow for more than 50% of one-time revenues to be transferred to the General Fund, and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the amendments contained in this Ordinance are appropriate and necessary for the preservation of the public health and welfare; now therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Sec. 1. DMMC 3.100.020 and section 1 (part) of Ordinance No. 1561 are amended to read as follows:

3.100.020. Phased-in expenditure requirements created.

- (1) For the calendar year of 2014, the total amount of one-time revenues to be used to fund the 2014 general fund budget shall not exceed 75 percent of the total one-time revenues received by the City.
- (2) For the calendar year of 2016, the total amount of one-time revenues to be used to fund the 2016 general fund budget shall not exceed 25 percent of the total one-time revenues received by the City.
- (3) For the calendar year of 2017 and beyond, no one-time revenues shall be used to fund the general fund budget.

Sec. 3. Severability - Construction.

- (1) If a section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.
- (2) If the provisions of this Ordinance are found to be inconsistent with other provisions of the Des Moines Municipal Code, this Ordinance is deemed to control.
- Sec. 4. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after its passage, approval, and publication in accordance with law.

PASSED BY the City Council of the City of Des Moines this 6th day of November, 2014 and signed in authentication thereof this 6th day of November, 2014.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Assistant City Attorney

ATTEST:

City Clerk

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SUMMARY OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE

CITY OF DES MOINES

ORDINANCE NO. 1607, Adopted November 6, 2014.

DESCRIPTION OF MAIN POINTS OF THE ORDINANCE:

This Ordinance regarding one-time revenues, amends the 2015 phased-in expenditure requirements provided in DMMC 3.100.020.

The full text of the Ordinance will be mailed without cost upon request.

Bonnie Wilkins City Clerk

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