## **Diane Voss**

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Sent:

Thursday, August 27, 2020 11:08 AM

To:

Steve Schainker

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Cc: Subject:

Ames Main Street Challenge Grant Application Letter of Support

**Attachments:** 

City Letter of Support DRAFT.docx

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Steve.

In the past, when Ames Main Street has made an application for the Challenge Grant to the Iowa Economic Development Authority, the City of Ames has used the attached document as their letter of support for the project. The project application requires a letter of support from the City, signed by the mayor, in order to be eligible to apply. It is my hope that this letter could be on the City Council Agenda for the Council Meeting on September 8<sup>th</sup> to allow the Mayor to sign, as the application is due on Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup>.

Please let me know if there are any questions or any additional documents needed for this.

Thank you,

John

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The City of Ames supports Ames Main Street application to the Iowa Economic Development Authority for a Main Street Challenge Grant for the properties located at 412 Burnett Ave and 330 5<sup>th</sup> Street in Ames, Iowa. This project will clear out the existing buildings allowing for use of the space once again, and will involve a full façade rework. The City of Ames has supported this project with three approved façade grants for the work.

We further state that the project at 412 Burnett Ave and 330 5<sup>th</sup> Street are subject to local City of Ames Building and Fire Code permitting and inspection requirements.

This project is not a contributing building to the National Register of Historic Places, and therefore, not required to comply with the Secretary of Interior's Standards for historic property rehabilitation.

Signature of Mayor	
Date	_
Ames Main Street President	
Date	