

**Iowa Department of Natural Resources
Environmental Protection Commission**

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DECISION

TOPIC

Contract – Des Moines Water Works - Coliform Study in Des Moines River and Tributaries

The Department requests Commission approval of the contract outlined below:

\$ 175,000	Des Moines Water Works	Coliform Study in Des Moines River and Tributaries
	Funding for this contract comes from Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) State Program Management Set-Aside and Water Quality protection fund (water system fees and Environment First funds).	
	The purpose of this contract is to locate as precisely as possible the sources of Nitrate, Nitrite, and Escherichia coliform (E.Coli) contamination and associated parameters, within the Contractor's delineated source water protection area.	
	This contractor was chosen because it is the public water supply impacted by these contaminants and they will be working to complete their source water protection plan.	

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