RESOLUTION NO. 2009-80

APPROVING IJOBS LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM APPLICATION FOR CITY OF DEWITT EAST SIDE STORM WATER IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

WHEREAS, the DeWitt City Council wants to make improvements to the East Side Storm Water System; and

WHEREAS, the improvements being considered are eligible for IJOBS Local Infrastructure Program; and,

WHEREAS, the City has prepared an application for the IJOBS Local Infrastructure Program; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the application.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of DeWitt, Iowa, that the East Side Storm Water Improvement Project application to the Local Infrastructure Program is hereby approved.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 3rd day of August, 2009, by the DeWitt City Council.

Donald J. Thiltgen

DONALD J. THILTGEN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Catherine M. Benthin

CATHERINE M. BENTHIN, CITY CLERK

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July 29, 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

Swiss Colony is very supportive of the City of DeWitt's IJOBs application for the East Side Storm Water Improvement Project.

Currently, any significant rainfall causes Industrial Street and east Third Avenue, which are the main entry and exit for all industrial park traffic, to flood. When the flooding occurs it hinders the ability of our company to do normal daily business (take deliveries, make shipments, have vendors and customers visit, etc). It also makes it difficult for our employees to get to and from work. The proposed project will be a great improvement to the Crossroads Business Park in DeWitt and make it easier for us to do business.

Please consider awarding this grant.

Thank you,

William Bauman
Sr. Manager of Operations

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To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of the DeWitt Development Company, I am writing to support the City of DeWitt's IJOBS grant application for the East Side Storm Water Improvement Project. As DeWitt's economic development organization, we are often the voice of the nine companies that are currently located in our industrial park, Crossroads Business Park.

Currently, any significant rain fall causes street flooding in the Crossroad Business Park, which hinders the ability of the companies to receive supplies and ship products. It can also make it very difficult for the nearly 1000 employees to commute to and from work. The proposed project will be a major improvement to the Crossroads Business Park in DeWitt.

This IJOBS grant will allow the City of DeWitt to continue improving infrastructure, which is a key to the community's economic development success. Thank you for your consideration and support.

Sincerely,

Tami Petsche

Tami Petsche
Executive Director