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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING — JANUARY 27, 2020

Meeting. The Executive Council met on Monday, January 27, 2020. The following are highlighted agenda items approved by the Council:

- The Council approved a land patent transfer from the Department of Public Defense, Iowa National Guard, to the Davenport Community School District. The transfer is of the former Davenport Armory and former Field Maintenance Shop.
- The Council approved a request from the Attorney General's Office for the payment of expenses pursuant to Iowa Code section 7D.10 in the amount of approximately $11,000.
- The Council approved a request from the Attorney General's Office on behalf of the Department of Revenue to expend $6,000 from the Litigation Expense Fund in order to cover estimated expenses for the second quarter of FY 2020 and a request for authority to expend $30,000 to cover potential expenses for the third quarter of FY 2020.
- The Council approved a request from the Attorney General's Office to retain Ryan Clark of Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., at a rate of $140 per hour as outside counsel pursuant to Iowa Code section 13.3 in *Larry M. Opal v. Clarinda Correctional Facility, State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa.*
- The Council also approved a total of approximately $18,000 in cost items.

Additional Information. Additional information is available from the Legislative Services Agency upon request.

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