WHEREAS, the Governor's Alliance on Substance Abuse is the designated agency to receive Drug Control and System Improvement Grant Program funding from the Bureau of Justice Assistance of the United States Department of Justice; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Justice Assistance strongly urges that application for such grant funds be developed by a Drug and Violent Crime Policy Board; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Justice Assistance suggests that such board be made up of state and local officials and operational level representatives from all components of the criminal justice system, as well as from the prevention and treatment activity; and

WHEREAS, the Prevention and Education Council established pursuant to section 80.1 of the Code of Iowa is made up of such representatives, except a member of the judiciary; and

WHEREAS, with agreement of the Judicial Department of Iowa which has agreed to nominate a sitting judge from the Iowa court system to make full representation on a Drug and Violent Crime Policy Board; and

WHEREAS, Chairpersons of the Law Enforcement Coordinating Committees from United States Attorney Offices in Iowa are regularly included in all meetings of the Prevention and Education Council and sit as non-voting members on that council relative to State Grant funding decisions, all pursuant to Bureau of Justice Assistance guidelines;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Terry E. Branstad, Governor of the State of Iowa, by virtue of the authority vested me by the laws and Constitution of the State of Iowa do hereby create the Iowa Drug and Violent Crime Policy Board.

The Board shall be composed of the members of the Prevention and Education Council established pursuant to section 80.1 of the Code of Iowa, and, a sitting judge of the Iowa court system to be nominated by the Judicial Department of Iowa and appointed by the Governor and the Chairpersons of the Law
Enforcement Coordinating Committees from United States Attorney Offices in Iowa, who shall sit as non-voting members relative to grant funding decisions.

The Alliance is created to be responsible for development of the Iowa application for Drug Control and System Improvement Grant Program funds and to serve as a forum for communication and a structure for coordination with respect thereto.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Iowa to be affixed. Done at Des Moines, Iowa this 1st day of November in the year of our Lord on thousand nine hundred and ninety.

Signed
Governor

ATTEST:
Secretary of State