

**CITY OF PEORIA, ARIZONA  
COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS**

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Amend No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Prepared: June 18, 2008 Council Meeting Date: July 1, 2008**

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**TO:** Carl Swenson, City Manager  
**FROM:** William Mattingly, Public Works Director *WJM*  
**SUBJECT:** Arizona Department of Environmental Quality Improvement Education Grant

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Mayor and Council authorize the City Manager to accept a Water Quality Improvement Education Grant from Arizona Department of Environmental Quality totaling \$5,000.00 to assist in the implementation of an education and outreach program for Stormwater Pollution Prevention; and, further, authorize a budget transfer from Proposed Grant fund Contingency (7990-7990-570000) in the amount of \$5,000.00 to Arizona Department of Environmental Quality Grant Fund Community Promotions Account (7821-7896-522099).

**BACKGROUND:**

The City of Peoria has been awarded a Water Quality Improvement Education Grant from the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality to assist in the implementation of an education and outreach program for Stormwater Pollution Prevention in the City of Peoria. The grant amount of \$5,000 will be used by the Stormwater section of the Streets Division to purchase materials and services to construct a stormwater pollution model and to print an original City of Peoria activity and coloring book. The model will be used for hands-on demonstrations and the activity books will provide foundational and reinforcing information to the program. The City's matching fund requirement will be accomplished with the purchase of \$250.00 in supplies and with staff time in coordinating and conducting outreach and education events. This program will target school-age children at City and school events and City of Peoria Before/After School and Summer Programs. The education and outreach effort is compliant with the City's Storm Water Management Plan and it furthers our commitment to environmental quality for our residents.

**SUMMARY:**

Staff recommends Mayor and Council authorize the City Manager to accept the Water Quality Improvement Education Grant and authorize a budget transfer from Proposed Grant fund Contingency (7990-7990-570000) in the amount of \$5,000.00 to Arizona Department of Environmental Quality Grant Fund Community Promotions Account (7821-7896-522099).

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