ITEM # <u>8</u>
DATE: 03-03-09

COUNCIL ACTION FORM

SUBJECT: INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH STORY COUNTY FOR SNOW REMOVAL

BACKGROUND:

For many years the City of Ames and Story County have shared responsibilities for snow removal on county road extensions into the City of Ames. This understanding allows both governmental bodies an efficient method for the removal of snow on streets and roads that are adjacent to the corporate borders of the City of Ames. The last agreement was approved on January 22, 2002.

With the changes in the corporate borders of Ames, staff determined there was a need to update our agreement with Story County. After meeting with Story County, an updated list has been developed.

ALTERNATIVES:

- 1. Approve the 28E Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of Ames and Story County with respect to ice control and snow removal on segments of streets and roads in and around Ames.
- 2. Do not approve the revised agreement.

MANAGER'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:

It is the recommendation of the City Manager that the City Council adopt Alternative No. 1, thereby approving the 28E Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of Ames and Story County with respect to ice control and snow removal on segments of streets and roads in and around Ames.