WARNING

The Downtown Development Corporation is trying to form a **Business Improvement District** (BID) that would affect every downtown business from Omaha to Kansas City Street, and from East Boulevard to West Boulevard. If you own or lease property in the proposed area you could be assessed additional taxes as high as \$5000 over and above your existing property taxes. If this is passed by the City Council it won't even go to a vote and could be in effect by the end of this year.

It is important that you attend

these meetings: Legal & Finance Committee meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 29, 1:15 p.m.; Common Council Meeting, first reading, Dec. 4, 7 p.m.; Common Council Meeting, second & final reading, Dec. 18, 7 p.m. All three meetings will be held at the Common Council Chambers at City Hall, 300 6th Street.

The DDC does not intend to let us vote on the issue. This will be your chance to voice your opinion or offer support to those who speak for you. Thank you.

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