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MEMORANDUM

TO: Legal and Finance Committee

FROM: Monica Heller, Community Planning Coordinator

DATE: May 12, 2009

RE: 09TP016 - Authorization to seek Request for Proposals for the update of

the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan

Attached is the Request for Proposals (RFP) for the preparation of the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan. The City of Rapid City's Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan is intended to serve as the guiding document for the development of a network of bicycle and pedestrian routes linking activity centers within the City, as well as to the larger regional network. The network will not only make bicycling and walking a more viable mode of transportation, but will contribute to an enhanced quality of life in the City and its resultant benefits to existing residents and economic development.

<u>STAFF RECOMMENDATION:</u> Staff recommends approval of the Request for Proposal for the Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan and to authorize staff to advertise the Request for Proposals.

