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MEMORANDUM

TO: Planning Commission

FROM: Monica Heller, Community Planning Coordinator

DATE: March 11, 2010

RE: Approval of a Resolution for Transportation Improvement Program Projects

funded by the Urban Systems Program in 2011 - 2015

Each year the Rapid City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization is required by the Federal Highway Administration to develop the Rapid City Area Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) cooperatively with the South Dakota Department of Transportation. This is a five year priority list and financial plan for highway, transit, and intermodal projects. It is intended to serve as a fiscal management tool to assist state and local agencies in matching transportation needs with resources.

The attached resolution identifies new projects and revised projects for inclusion in the Transportation Improvement Program within the five years of the program under the Urban Systems funding sources. Each project was identified as a priority within the Long Range Transportation Plan adopted in 2005.

The attached resolution requests that the South Dakota Department of Transportation include the following new projects and revised projects in the 2011-2015 Transportation Improvement Program.

- The reconstruction of East North Street from Pine St. to Cambell St. in 2011
- The reconstruction East North Street from Maple Ave. to Pine St. in 2013
- The reconstruction of Anamosa Street from Midway St. to Holcomb Ave. was combined with Anamosa Street from Holcomb Ave. to Milwaukee St. The revised Anamosa Street project from Midway St. to Milwaukee St. will be reconstruction in 2014
- The reconstruction of East Blvd and East North Street from St. Joseph St. to Maple Ave. in 2015

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the Resolution for Transportation Improvement Program Projects funded by the Urban Systems Program in 2011 - 2015.

