## DELTA DENTAL CONVERSION PLAN RULES / QUALIFICATIONS

The following recommendations were approved by the City of Rapid City Healthcare Committee during a special meeting held on August 16, 2013.

The plan will continue with no employer contributions.

Delta Dental would initially set the plan as a 15th month plan beginning October 2013 thru December 2014. The last 3 months would receive an additional maximum. (for example, allowing another cleaning, etc.)

There will be an open enrollment period each calendar year

City employees will <u>not</u> be required to be enrolled in a Dental plan.

Police/Fire, AFSCME: current rates with Delta Dental apply and the Plan has been negotiated. This plan will not change.

Delta Dental will continue with the Cobra administration.

## **Special Open Enrollment Period - September 2013**

<u>Only</u> Nonunion & eligible Police/Fire employees who are losing coverage with 1st Administrators will be eligible to enroll in the plan during special open enrollment.

Employees currently covered under the Police/Fire and AFSCME plan will be eligible to convert effective January 1, 2014 (during regular open enrollment) to the lesser plan.

## **RETIREES:**

Retirees will not have the option to enroll in the new plan and will lose dental coverage 10/1/2013. Retirees losing coverage will have the option to elect COBRA for 18 months.

## OTHER ITEMS

Recommendation to approve Plan 2 submitted by Delta Dental The new dental plan will not be self insured.