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MEMORANDUM

TO: Legal and Finance Committee

FROM: Kip Harrington, Transportation Planner

DATE: February 23, 2012

RE: Request for Proposals for the City of Summerset Shared Use Path Plan

The City of Summerset is requesting approval of the Request for Proposals for the Shared Use Path Plan. The study will build on efforts to improve the quality of life in Summerset. The Plan is intended to serve as the guiding document for the development of a bicycle and pedestrian route linking activity centers within the City, as well as to the larger regional network. The route 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.

This study is listed in the Metropolitan Planning Organization's 2012 Unified Planning Work Program in the amount of \$10,000. The funding for this project is 81.95% Federal highway planning funds and 18.05% local match. The local match is being provided by the City of Summerset.

RAPID CITY AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION: On February 16, 2012, the Executive Policy Committee approved the request for proposals for the City of Summerset Shared Use Path Plan and requests authorization for staff to advertise the Request for Proposals.



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