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MEMORANDUM

TO: Rapid City Planning Commission

FROM: Nate Vander Broek, Transportation Planner

DATE: July 23, 2013

RE: 2013-2017 Coordinated Public Transit-Human Services Transportation

Plan - Final

Attached for your review and approval is the 2013-2017 Coordinated Public Transit-Human Services Transportation Plan - Draft. This plan identifies the gaps and needs in transportation related to persons with disabilities, seniors and individuals with low incomes. Next, the plan provides strategies to fix these gaps and needs, followed by priorities for implementing these strategies. An inventory of participating transportation providers is also provided.

This plan has been created through coordinated efforts by public transit providers, human service agencies and key stakeholders, and meets the requirements of Section 5310 under the Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP-21) which requires a locally developed, coordinated public transit-human services transportation plan for federal public transportation funding.

Input for this plan came from several sources, including: a steering committee consisting of human service agencies, public transit providers, senior center representatives, non-profit and religious organizations; two public meetings; and an online survey.

The plan was created by the Rapid City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization staff.

<u>STAFF RECOMMENDATION</u>: Staff recommends approval of the 2013-2017 Coordinated Public Transit-Human Services Transportation Plan – Final.

