

STAFF REPORT
August 27, 2015

No. 15CA001 - Amendment to the Comprehensive Plan by adopting the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan Quarterly Update* and ratifying the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan* adopted in April 2014

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GENERAL INFORMATION:

APPLICANT	City of Rapid City
AGENT	Patsy Horton - City of Rapid City
REQUEST	No. 15CA001 - Amendment to the Comprehensive Plan by adopting the <i>Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan Quarterly Update</i> and ratifying the <i>Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan</i> adopted in April 2014
DATE OF APPLICATION	July 29, 2015
REVIEWED BY	Patsy Horton

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approving the Amendment to the Comprehensive Plan by adopting the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan Quarterly Update* and ratifying the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan* adopted in April 2014.

GENERAL COMMENTS: The City of Rapid City created a new common, community vision in April 2014 by adopting the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan*. This Quarterly Update includes specific goals achieved since adoption as well as identifying the status of the Priority Action Plan steps detailed in the Implementation section of the Plan.

STAFF REVIEW: A few of the highlights identified in the Quarterly Update include the following:

1. Priority driven budgeting initiated as part of the 2016 Budget preparation as well as justification for the Capital Improvements Projects.
2. Council has approved numerous ordinance revisions to improve various processes throughout the City structure
3. Several master planning studies are under contract and in progress

Summary: Staff recommends approving the Amendment to the Comprehensive Plan by adopting the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan Quarterly Update* and ratifying the *Plan Rapid City Comprehensive Plan* adopted in April 2014.