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MEMORANDUM

TO: Metropolitan Planning Organization Committees

FROM: Kip Harrington, Planner III

DATE: June 2, 2020

RE: **20TP020 – Rapid City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization Self Certification**

Each year the Rapid City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization is required to demonstrate and resolve that its transportation planning process is addressing the major issues in the metropolitan planning area and that the process is conducted in accordance with all applicable requirements of the Self Certification Process (23 C.F.R. 450.334).

Attached for your review and approval is the description of how these transportation planning process requirements are being met.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the Rapid City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization Self Certification, for inclusion in the 2021-2024 Transportation Improvement Program.

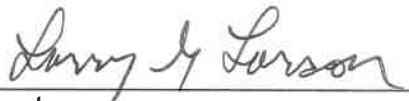
**METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PROCESS
SELF-CERTIFICATION STATEMENT**

In accordance with 23 CFR 450.336, the **South Dakota Department of Transportation** and the **Rapid City Area Metropolitan Planning Organization** for the **Rapid City, South Dakota urbanized area** hereby certify that the transportation planning process is addressing the major issues in the metropolitan planning area and is being conducted in accordance with all applicable requirements of:

- (1) [23 U.S.C. 134](#), [49 U.S.C. 5303](#), and this subpart;
- (2) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended ([42 U.S.C. 2000d-1](#)) and [49 CFR part 21](#);
- (3) [49 U.S.C. 5332](#), prohibiting discrimination on the basis of race, color, creed, national origin, sex, or age in employment or business opportunity;
- (4) Section 1101(b) of the FAST Act ([Pub. L. 114-357](#)) and [49 CFR part 26](#) regarding the involvement of disadvantaged business enterprises in DOT funded projects;
- (5) [23 CFR part 230](#), regarding the implementation of an equal employment opportunity program on Federal and Federal-aid highway construction contracts;
- (6) The provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ([42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.](#)) and [49 CFR parts 27](#), 37, and 38;
- (7) The Older Americans Act, as amended ([42 U.S.C. 6101](#)), prohibiting discrimination on the basis of age in programs or activities receiving Federal financial assistance;
- (8) Section 324 of title 23 U.S.C. regarding the prohibition of discrimination based on gender; and
- (9) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 ([29 U.S.C. 794](#)) and [49 CFR part 27](#) regarding discrimination against individuals with disabilities.

Appendix B attached herein describes in detail how the Rapid City Area MPO complies with the transportation planning process requirements.

Rapid City, South Dakota MPO
Metropolitan Planning Organization


Signature

MPO Chair
Title

06/11/2020
Date

South Dakota Department of Transportation
State Department of Transportation


Signature

MPO COORDINATOR
Title

06/15/2020
Date