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MEMORANDUM

TO: Metropolitan Planning Organization Committees

FROM: Kip Harrington, Planner III

DATE: October 7, 2020

RE: **20TP036 – 2021 South Dakota Department of Transportation Safety Performance Measures Resolution**

Performance based transportation planning became a requirement with the adoption of the Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act (MAP-21) highway funding bill in 2012, and the requirement was carried over into the current bill, the Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act (FAST Act), approved in 2015. In response to the requirement, the South Dakota Department of Transportation (SDDOT) has developed a system of performance measures.

SDDOT safety performance targets are as follows:

- Number of Fatalities: <125.2
- Number of Serious Injuries: <656.7
- Fatality Rate: <1.240 per 100 million Vehicle Miles Traveled
- Serious Injury Rate: <6.630 per 100 million Vehicle Miles Traveled
- Total Number of Non-Motorized Fatalities and Serious Injuries: <40.0

In April 2018, the MPO opted to support the performance measures established by SDDOT. Each year, the MPO must notify the SDDOT whether the MPO chooses to establish its own performance measures or to support those



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established by SDDOT. The attached resolution endorses the SDDOT 2021 Safety Performance Measures targets.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends adopting the 2021 South Dakota Department of Transportation Safety Performance Measures Resolution for use in all MPO sponsored activities.



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