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) <u>23 U.S.C. 134, 49 U.S.C. 5303</u>, 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) <u>49 U.S.C. 5332</u>, 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 (<u>Pub. L. 114-357</u>) and <u>49 CFR part 26</u> regarding the involvement of disadvantaged business enterprises in DOT funded projects;
- (5) <u>23 CFR part 230</u>, 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 (<u>42 U.S.C. 6101</u>), 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	South Dakota Department of Transportation
Metropolitan Planning Organization	State Department of Transportation
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