AGENDA ITEMS

DATE: 03/23/2015
SUBJECT: Recommendation to Release for Public Comment
Draft 2040 Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) Transplan40
Draft Air Quality Conformity Determination for RTP

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Every four years MAG is required to prepare and adopt a Regional Transportation Plan which is at this time being called Transplan40. This draft document creates a plan that is fiscally constrained to meet the future needs of the Mountainland planning area.

As part of the 2040 RTP process an air quality conformity determination is made and prepared for approval by the federal agencies. This document is also in draft form.

Both of these documents as part of the RTP process are required to be available for public comment for 30 days before a final adoption can occur.

RECOMMENDATION: The MPO desires gain approval to release both the Draft 2040 Regional Transportation Plan and the Draft Air Quality Conformity Determination for a 30 day public comment period beginning on April 5, 2015 and ending on May 5, 2015. Staff recommends that the TAC committee recommend to Regional Planning Committee the release of both of these documents for public comment.

FIRST SUGGESTED MOTION: I move that the MPO Technical Advisory Committee recommend to the MPO RPC that the Draft Regional Transportation Plan be released for a 30 day public comment period.

SECOND SUGGESTED MOTION: I move that the MPO Technical Advisory Committee recommend to the MPO RPC that the Draft Air Quality Conformity Determination be released for a 30 day public comment period.

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