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ROCKFORD METROPOLITAN AGENCY FOR PLANNING POLICY COMMITTEE

RESOLUTION 2008-12

**RE: FY 2009 MANAGEMENT & OPERATIONS (M & O) PLAN INCORPORATING THE
CONGESTION MANAGEMENT PROCESS**

WHEREAS the Rockford Metropolitan Agency for Planning (RMAP) is the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Rockford Metropolitan Area, and the Policy Committee is responsible for transportation planning within the area; and

WHEREAS the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) and its predecessors, the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21) and the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 (ISTEA), require a planning process that analyzes urban congestion and provides short and long range goals, objectives and strategies to mitigate the effects of congestion; and

WHEREAS a comprehensive plan been prepared in the interest of managing the existing transportation system and its operation that minimizes the necessity to build new transportation capacity; and

WHEREAS the development of the M & O Plan is a continuing, comprehensive, and cooperative (3C) transportation planning process carried out by the MPO under the direction of the Policy and Technical Committees and in cooperation with the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT); and


WHEREAS as part of the MPO planning process, RMAP (1) considered a wide range of citizen, community and technical input in accordance with the adopted Public Involvement Process; (2) provided opportunities for public input and comment at all Technical and Policy Committee meetings; and

WHEREAS the RMAP Technical Committee has reviewed the draft Management & Operations Plan and finds that the plan is in substantial compliance with the SAFETEA-LU requirements as outlined in the most recent MPO Certification Review completed by FHWA and FTA, and therefore recommended its adoption at the November 20, 2008 meeting;

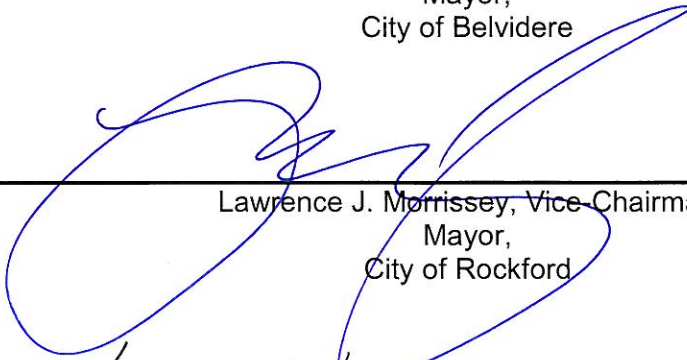
NOW, THEREFORE, BE RESOLVED

that the Policy Committee adopts the FY 2009 Management & Operations Plan and directs the RMAP staff to transmit the M & O document(s) to FHWA, FTA and IDOT.

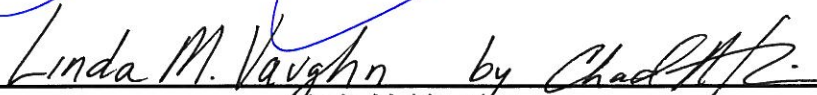
Dated this 4th day of December, 2008.



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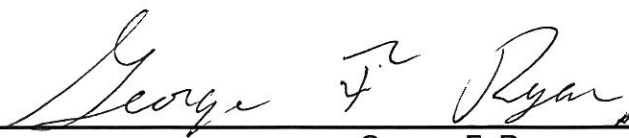
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