

RESOLUTION
of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS
of the
SPOKANE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL
R-22-14

**APPROVING THE
DIVISIONCONNECTS VISION AND IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY – PHASE 2 REPORT**

WHEREAS, the Spokane Regional Transportation Council’s Board of Directors (SRTC Board) is the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Spokane Metropolitan Planning Area (SMPA); and as the also the Regional Transportation Planning Organization (RTPO) for Spokane County; and

WHEREAS, SRTC jointly managed a study of the Division Street corridor with Spokane Transit Authority, known as DivisionConnects, that analyzed all modes of transportation and land use; and

WHEREAS, WSDOT, STA, and SRTC contributed financially to the study; and

WHEREAS, the SRTC Board approved the Division Street Corridor Development Plan from Phase 1 of the study on June 10, 2021, which documents the analysis and selection of a locally preferred alternative for bus rapid transit along Division Street; and

WHEREAS, Division Bus Rapid Transit is a regionally significant project identified in the Metropolitan Transportation Plan, Horizon 2045; and

WHEREAS, the Phase 2 report, known as the DivisionConnects Vision and Implementation Strategy, was completed in July 2022 and contains active transportation project recommendations, information on land use, and travel demand modeling in support of future investment in bus rapid transit; and


WHEREAS, the DivisonConnects study was conducted with input from STA, WSDOT, City of Spokane, and Spokane County staff, the study Steering Committee, public outreach activities, and regular updates to the SRTC Board; and

WHEREAS, approval of the DivisionConnects Vision and Implementation Strategy provides support for the corridor recommendations documented in the report and provides direction for development of future Capital Improvement Programs and land use planning by local jurisdictions.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Board of Directors of the Spokane Regional Transportation Council of Washington that:

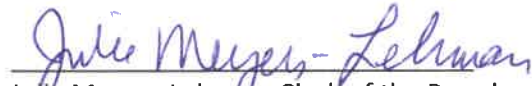
1. The DivisionConnects Vision & Implementation Strategy – Phase 2 Report is hereby adopted.

PASSED and APPROVED this 8th day of September 2022 by the SRTC Board of Directors of the Spokane Regional Transportation Council of Washington.



Paul Schmidt, Council Member, City of Cheney
Chair, SRTC Board of Directors

ATTEST



Julie Meyers-Lehman, Clerk of the Board