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**Re: TSP Update**

Dear Members of the Commission:

This office represents Lewis & Clark College. Lewis & Clark has participated in both the Campus Institutional Zoning Project and, as it relates to the Campus Industrial Zoning Project the update of the Transportation System Plan (TSP). Specifically, the College has been interested in the provisions which are being advanced by city staff relating to Transportation Demand Management (TDM).

Lewis & Clark has had a TDM program for many years, and believes that TDM programs are important for institutions. Lewis & Clark supports the expanded use of TDM's by the City as one strategy to deal with increasing population the impacts that increase has on infrastructure. In many instances, TDM programs are a more effective solution to transportation issues than are physical improvements.

Lewis & Clark understands that city staff is continuing to refine is concepts with respect to TDM programs both in the nature of what a TDM program should be, and how TDM programs relate to institutional campuses. Lewis & Clark encourages continued refinement of the TDM provisions and requests that the Planning and Sustainability Commission support city staff's continued efforts to refine and improve TDM programs throughout the city.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. Abel", written over the typed name "Steven W. Abel".

Steven W. Abel