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November 13, 2014

Ms. Meghan Sullivan, Executive Director
TOGETHER!
418 Carpenter Road SE, Ste 203
Lacey, WA 98503

Dear Ms. Sullivan:

RE: Rural & Tribal Transportation Program (RT) – Letter of Support and Match

The Thurston Regional Planning Council (TRPC) is pleased to support the Rural & Tribal Transportation Program (RT), a partnership between TOGETHER! and TRPC. This project is a model of coordination and innovation, designed to meet mobility needs of the people of the Thurston Region, in an efficient and effective manner.

The regional policymakers fully support these efforts to provide transportation services for some of the region's most underserved rural residents. TRPC commits $50,654 in local funds to this effort.

Resource	Hours	RATE = salary + benefits + indirect	Total
Management and outreach to support RT service: answering inquiries, presenting information to individuals and at meetings, creating maps, rider guides and ensuring sufficient supply of materials available for public, working with match partners to distribute information of Rider Guides and other materials in hard copy and electronic form, using social media and other strategies, tabling at community events, providing meeting space and facilitation, seeking additional funding, coordinating with providers and services outside the Thurston Region, with emphasis on people with special needs, (including age, income and ability), veterans, and non-English speaking residents. Exploring opportunities for additional community partnerships.	36	Executive Director @ $135.70/hr	4,885
	100	Senior Planner @ $97.78/hr	9,778
	250	Associate Planner @ $76.33/hr	19,083
	40	GIS Coordinator @$91.73/hr	3,669
	180	Admin. Asst. @$73.55/hour	13,239
		TOTAL	**$50,654**

Sincerely,

Lon D. Wyrick
Executive Director

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