2003 STRATEGIC INVESTMENT PLAN BY THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO DESIGNATION OF HEARTLAND SOUTH CORRIDOR AND CONNECTING CORRIDOR
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WHEREAS, the Transportation Commission adopted a list of 28 Strategic Projects in 1996 called the .7th Pot.; and

WHEREAS, the current Statewide Transportation Plan identifies and estimated $62 billion in projects including some deferred from the .7th Pot. list of projects; and

WHEREAS, the Transportation Commission has identified only $30 billion of available funding in the next 20 years; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado Department of Transportation has sponsored the Eastern Colorado Mobility Study which will result in a recommendation for the Heartland South Corridor and the Connecting Corridor between the Heartland Express and the Ports-to-Plains Corridors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Progressive 15 supports whatever corridor is determined by the Eastern Colorado Mobility Study as the recommended corridor for the Heartland South Corridor and the Connecting Corridor between the Heartland Express and the Ports-to-Plains Corridors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Progressive 15 urges the Transportation Commission to establish the Heartland South Corridor and the Connecting Corridor as priority projects in the 2003 Strategic Investment Plan.

Adopted this 21st day of March 2002