

**AMES AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (AAMPO)
TRANSPORTATION POLICY COMMITTEE ACTION FORM**

SUBJECT: 2035 LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN AMENDMENT

BACKGROUND:

This amendment updates the Metropolitan Planning Area (MPA) boundary used in the AAMPO 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP). The MPA boundary used during the development of the 2035 LRTP no longer encompasses the entire AAMPO urbanized area. A new MPA boundary was approved by the Policy Committee on November 13, 2012.

A public input meeting was held on February 7, 2013, for public review and comment. No comments were received.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approve the amendment to the 2035 LRTP to include the updated MPA boundary adjustment.
2. Do not approve the amendment to the 2035 LRTP to include the updated MPA boundary adjustment.

ADMINISTRATOR'S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended by the Administrator that the AAMPO Policy Committee adopt Alternative No. 1, thereby approving the amendment to the 2035 LRTP to include the updated MPA boundary adjustment.