Notice of SEPA Checklist and Determination of Non-Significance

Date: June 1, 2021

To: Interested Parties, City Departments and Agencies with Jurisdiction

From: Spokane Transit Authority
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Subject: SEPA Checklist and Determination of Non-Significance for an update to Spokane Transit Authority’s Transit Development Plan. Comments are due June 16, 2021 by 4:00 PM. The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. The Spokane Transit Board of Directors will hold a Public Hearing to receive testimony on the Draft Transit Development Plan: 2022-2027, which will take place on Thursday June 17, 2021, at 1:30 p.m., via Webex with a link provided online at www.spokanetransit.com.

Description of proposal: Spokane Transit Authority’s Transit Development Plan (TDP) contains the Six-year Plan, Annual Report, Service Implementation Plan and Capital Improvement Program. The TDP is submitted to the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) on an annual basis. STA is required to submit the six-year plan per RCW 35.58.2795. The information contained herein will be used as part of WSDOT’s annual report to the Washington State Legislature. Spokane Transit’s 2021 TDP also fulfills the planning requirements defined in Policy MI-3.3 of STA’s Comprehensive Plan Connect Spokane: A Comprehensive Plan for Public Transportation.

Copies of this document are available for public inspection beginning June 1, 2021 at: Spokane Transit Authority, Administrative Office, North Side, Second Floor, 1230 West Boone Avenue, Spokane, Washington, 99201, or visit https://www.spokanetransit.com/files/content/draft_tdp_2022-2027.pdf. Written comments may be sent to: Attn: Kristine Williams, Principal Transit Planner, Spokane Transit Authority, 1230 W Boone Ave., Spokane, WA 99201, or to kwilliams@spokanetransit.com. The 2021 Transit Development Plan is in draft form until adopted by the Spokane Transit Authority Board.