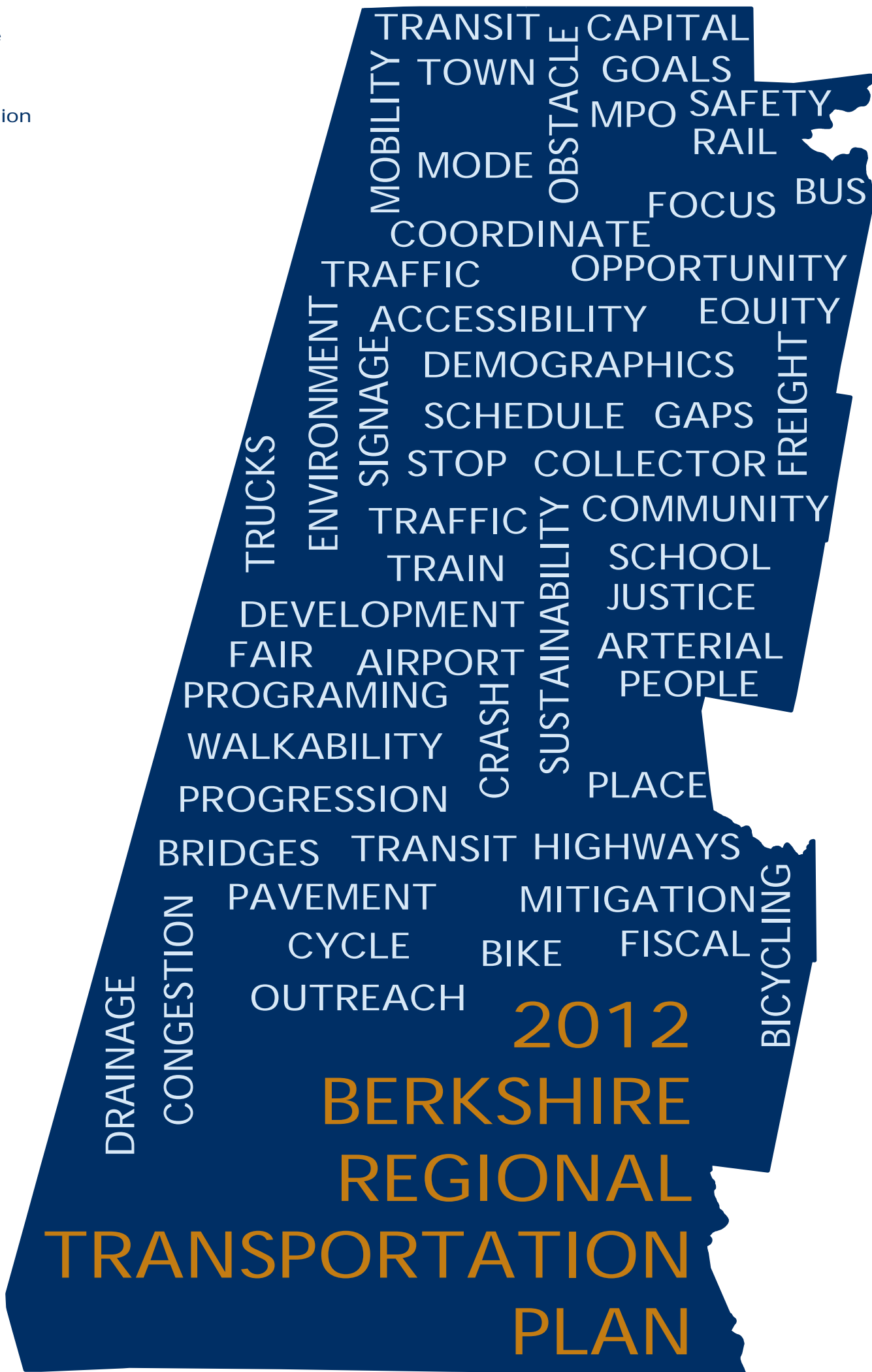




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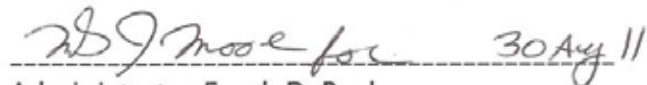
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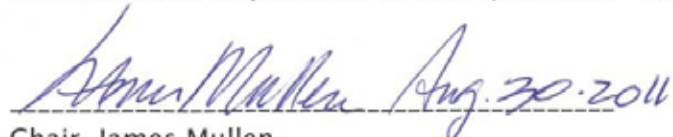
In accordance with Section 176(c)(4) of the Clean Air Act as amended in 1990 [42 USC 7251(a)], the MPO for the Berkshire Region has completed its review and hereby certifies that implementation of the Berkshire MPO 2012 RTP satisfies the conformity criteria specified in both 40 CFR parts 51 and 93 (August 15, 1997) and 310 CMR 60.03 (December 30, 1994); furthermore this plan includes all regionally significant transportation projects contained in the Berkshire MPO 2012-2015 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The projects in the TIP are of the same design and concept that were analyzed in the RTP. Therefore no new air quality analysis is required for the TIP. Both the Berkshire Region 2012 RTP and the Berkshire MPO 2012-2015 TIP are consistent with the air quality goals of, and in conformity with, the Massachusetts State Implementation Plan.

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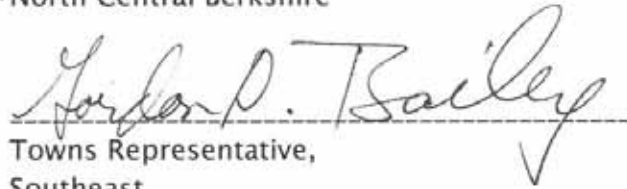
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