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OLDER AMERICANS ACT, REAUTHORIZATION OF

WHEREAS: the Older American Act is the backbone of support for community based services to the elderly provided by four Area Agencies on Aging throughout Western Colorado, and

WHEREAS: demographic projections indicate 60,728 persons over 60 years of age or 14.2% of the Western Colorado population is now eligible for transportation, in-home help, nutrition, health legal and long term care ombudsman and caregiver services, and

WHEREAS: The Federal Older American Act is up for reauthorization in the year 2001.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that CLUB 20 hereby urges Congress and the President to approve the reauthorization of the Older American Act.

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