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**DENVER REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HONORS ROBERTO REY  
WITH A DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

**DENVER** – Roberto Rey received a Distinguished Service Award from the Denver Regional Council of Governments (DRCOG). The award was presented by DRCOG board secretary Bob Fifer at DRCOG’s annual awards celebration on April 26 at the Sheraton Downtown Denver.

“Roberto Rey has been instrumental in serving our aging population, ensuring older Coloradans have access to the facilities, programs and services to age well in thriving, livable communities.” said Doug Rex, DRCOG’s acting executive director.

Rey is the associate state director for multicultural outreach for AARP Colorado and is the staff lead for AARP Colorado’s Livable Communities work. He also serves on board of the Denver Regional Mobility and Access Council, and has been a champion of DRCOG’s Boomer Bond Efforts since the program’s inception, garnering financial support for its initiatives.

In 2016, Rey worked closely with DRCOG staff to bring a national conference of regional leaders together to collaborate on creating age-friendly, livable communities.

DRCOG presents Distinguished Service Awards to individuals who make significant contributions to the Denver region and its communities, and to DRCOG’s programs and activities. The regional council has been honoring outstanding achievements for more than 30 years.

***The Denver Regional Council of Governments is a planning organization where local governments collaborate to establish guidelines, set policy and allocate funding in the areas of transportation and personal mobility, growth and development, and aging and disability resources.***

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