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Real Time PCR Primers

Cad-F – AACTGCGTAGGCTTCGACCATACA Cad-R – AATCAATGCGGGTGAGCTCGTAGA

Gls [1] Gls-F – TTCGCCCTCGGAGATCCTAC Gls-R – CCAAGCTAGGTAACAGACCCT

Hk2 [2] Hk2-F – TGATCGCCTGCTTATTCACGG Hk2-F – AACCGCCTAGAAATCTCCAGA

Ncl-F – ACTGGAAAGACCAGCACTTGGAGT Ncl-R – CCCTTTAGGTTTGCCATGTGGGTT

Ode-F – GCATGTGGGTGATTGGATGCTGTT Ode-R – TTGCCACATTGGCCGTGACATTAC

Pcg1a-F – GGATGAATACCGCAAAGAGC Pcg1a-R – GGTAGGTGATGAAACCATAGC

Pcg1b [3] Pcg1b-F – TCCTGTAAAAGCCCGGAGTAT Pcg1b-R – GCTCTGGTAGGGGGCAGTGA

Sirt1 [4] Sirt1-F – ACCTCCCAGACCCTCAAGC Sirt1-R – TTCCTTCCTTATCTGACAAAGC

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Figure S1. Indicators of increased longevity in Mtbp+/- mice. Ages of the events indicated in the key for Mtbp+/- mice compared to littermate matched Mtbp+/+ mice plotted. P values determined by student's t-tests.

Figure S2. Male and female *Mtbp* heterozygous mice have a decreased instantaneous death rate. Instantaneous death rate plotted for males (A, log-rank P = 0.0166, Chi-sq=5.74, df=1) and females (B,log-rank P = 0.0439, Chi-sq=4.06, df=1). The number of mice in each group denoted by n.

Figure S3. *Mtbp* heterozygosity does not significantly alter locomotor activity in young mice. A) Six month-old $Mtbp^{+/+}$ (+/+; circle) and $Mtbp^{+/-}$ (+/-; square) mice were placed in an open field cage and the total distance traveled in one hour was recorded using a laser grid and averaged for two consecutive days (p= 0.1772). B) After two days of training, the time +/+ and +/- mice spent on an accelerating rota-rod recorded and averaged from three consecutive trials separated by 10 minutes of rest (p=0.3359). P values calculated with student's t-tests. Error bars represent standard error of the mean.







