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**Supplementary Figure 2. (Related to Figure 1)** (A) Scatter plot of RNA-Seq data in METTL3 knockdown (shMETTL3) and control (shGFP) A549 cells. Two individual shRNAs against METTL3 were used for the METTL3 knockdown and the average read number from the two METTL3 knockdown samples is plotted on the y-axis. (B) Western blot of knockdown of METTL3 in H1299 cells. (C) Scatter plot of RNA-Seq data in METTL3 knockdown (shMETTL3) and control (shGFP) H1299 cells. (D) Metabolic labeling A549 cells with [<sup>35</sup>S]-methionine. Labeled proteins were cell lysates were subjected to 4-12% Tris-Glycine SDS-PAGE and analyzed by autoradiography. Colloidal blue staining was performed to verify equal amounts of loaded protein. (E) q.RT-PCR analysis of mRNA levels in A549 cells using indicated primers. (F) Western blotting of proteins with indicated antibodies in A549 cells.

**Supplemental Figure 3. (Related to Figure 3)** (A-C) q.RT-PCR analysis of reporter mRNAs. FLuc-MS2bs mRNA levels were normalized to RLuc mRNAs. The FLuc:RLuc ratio obtained in MS2 (control) was set to 100%. Error bars = mean  $\pm$ s.d., n=3. (D)  $\alpha$ -FLAG western blot of indicated proteins. (E) Western blot analysis of METTL14 and WTAP expression in control and siRNA knockdown cells. (F) q.RT-PCR analysis of reporter mRNAs. Error bars = mean  $\pm$ s.d.,

n=3. **(G)** Tethering assay to measure translation efficiency of reporter mRNAs as in Figure 3 (D). \*\*\*P<0.001. Error bars = mean  $\pm$ s.d., n=3.

**Supplemental Figure 4. (Related to Figure 4) (A)** Effectiveness of RNase A treatment demonstrated using RT-PCR analysis of  $\beta$ -Actin mRNA. **(B)** Co-IPs of FLAG-YTHDF1.

**Supplemental Figure 5. (Related to Figure 6) (A)** Expression of METTL3 and METTL14 in normal tissue (n=41) and colon adenocarcinoma (n=228) from TCGA-COAD dataset. **(B-E)** Depletion of METTL3 regulates cellular proliferation, survival and invasion of H1299, H1792 and HeLa cells. **(B)** Western blot. **(C)** MTS assay of cellular proliferation. **(D)** *In vitro* cell invasion assay. **(E)** Quantification of invasive cells. **(F-H)** METTL3 overexpression regulate cell invasion in BJ cells. **(F)** Western blot. **(G)** *In vitro* cell invasion assay. **(H)** Quantification of invasive BJ cells. Data are presented as  $\pm$ SEM. \*\*p<0.01, \*\*\*p<0.001.

**Supplemental Table 1 (Related to Figure 1): List and annotation of m6A peaks and target genes in A549 and H1299 cells**

**Supplemental Table 2 (Related to Experimental Procedures): List of primers used for cloning and RT-PCR**

Cloning Primers	
NotI-hMETTL3-F	AACAAGCGGCCGCGTCCGGACACGTGGAGCTCTATCC
BglII-hMETTL3-R	AACAAAGATCTTAGGTTTAGAGATGATACCATCTGGG
NotI-YTHDF1-F	AACAAGCGGCCGCGTCCGGCCACCAGCGTGG
BglII-YTHDF1-R	AACAAAGATCTCATTGTTTGTTCGACTCTGCCG
HindIII-MS-F	CATAAAGCTTATGGCTTCTAACTTTACTCAGTTCGTTTC
HindIII-MS-R	CGATAAGCTTGTAGATGCCGGAGTTTGCTGCGATTGC
NotI-2xMS2site-F	ATAAGAATGCGGCCGCCGCGTACACGATCACGGTAC
NotI-2xMS2site-R	ATAAGAATGCGGCCGCCCGGGAGCATGGGTGAT
NheI-Kozak-FLAG-F	GTCATGCTAGCGCCACCATGGACTACAAAGACGATG
SwaI-METTL3-R	TCAGATTTAAATTTAGGTTTAGAGATGATACCATCTGGG

METTL3 MUT-F	CCCGCGGATATTCACATGGAAGTCC
METTL3 MUT-R	TGGGGCAGCCATCACAAGTCAAAC
PCR Primers for m6A-IP-q.PCR	
hEGFR(peak)-F	CAGAAAGGCAGCCACCAAAT
hEGFR(peak)-R	GCTTGGCTTCCTTGGGAAAG
hEGFR(non-peak)-F	AGCAGTCCTTTGTAAACAGT
hEGFR(non-peak)-R	TCTGAACCATTTCTTCCTTGAT
hTAZ(peak)-F	CCTTCTGGATTCTTGGCCCG
hTAZ(peak)-R	GTCTAAAAGCCACGTTTGAGC
hTAZ(non-peak)-F	ATGAGTTCGGAATTCCTGCGT
hTAZ (non-peak)-R	ATTCCGACATGCCACAGGG
hMAPKAPK2(peak)-F	CCCACTGAGCCACCGC
hMAPKAPK2(peak)-R	TTCCTGTAGAGAGTTATTGCTTGT
hMAPKAPK2(non-peak)-F	ACGGATCGTGGATGTGTACG
hMAPKAPK2(non-peak)-R	AGTTCTCCACCGTCCAAACA
hDNMT3A(peak)-F	TCGCTCCGCTGAAGGAGTAT
hDNMT3A(peak)-R	CTACCTCAGTTTGCCCCCAT
hDNMT3A(non-peak)-F	AGGACATCTTATGGTGCCTGA
hDNMT3A(non-peak)-R	CCAAGCGGCTCATGTTGGAG
hHRAS(peak)-F	ACTGCAGACCCTCCAGG
hHRAS(peak)-R	GGAGCTAAGGGCTGGGGTTC
hHRAS(non-peak)-F	TGGACGAATACGACCCCACTA
hHRAS(non-peak)-R	GATGTCCAACAGGCACGTCT
RT-PCR Primers	
hEGFR-F	TCTGAGTGCAACCAGCAACA
hEGFR-R	GTGGGGTCTGAGCTGTATCG
hMETTL3-F	CAAGCTGCACTTCAGACGAA
hMETTL3-R	GCTTGGCGTGTGGTCTTT
hTAZ-F	ATGAGTTCGGAATTCCTGCGT
hTAZ-R	ATTCCGACATGCCACAGGG
hMAPKAPK2-F	ACGGATCGTGGATGTGTACG
hMAPKAPK2-R	AGTTCTCCACCGTCCAAACA
hDNMT3A-F	TGATGCCAAAGAAGTGTCAGC
hDNMT3A-R	TTCACAGTGGATGCCAACGG
h- $\beta$ -Actin-F	TTCTACAATGAGCTGCGTGTG
h- $\beta$ -Actin-R	GGGGTGTGAAGGTCTCAA
hHRAS-F	GGCATCCCCTACATCGAGAC
hHRAS-R	TCCCGGAGCTGGAGCTAGA
hMYC-F	GGACTATCCTGCTGCCAAGA
hMYC-R	CGCCTCTTGACATTCTCCTC
hRCN2-F	AGGGCATTGCACAAGAGGAG
hRCN2-R	CATCATGGAGCTGTCTGCCA
hHPRT1-F	TGACACTGGCAAACAATGCA
hHPRT1-R	GGTCCTTTTACCAGCAAGCT
Firefly-luc-F	GGTACTGTTGGTAAAGCCAC
Firefly-luc-R	CTCTTCATAGCCTTATGCAG
Renilla-luc-F	CACTGGGCAGGTGTCCACTC
Renilla-luc-R	GTTCTGGATCATAAACTTTC

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