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GENERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES--OPERATING

5 Sec. 101. 2007 c 518 s 101 (uncodified) is amended to read as 6 follows:

7 FOR THE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

8	Grade Crossing Protective AccountState
9	Appropriation
10	<u>\$504,000</u>

11 **Sec. 102.** 2007 c 518 s 102 (uncodified) is amended to read as 12 follows:

13 FOR THE OFFICE OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

14	Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation	((\$3,054,000))
15		<u>\$3,177,000</u>
16	Puget Sound Ferry Operations AccountState	
17	Appropriation	\$100,000
18	TOTAL APPROPRIATION	((\$3,154,000))
19		\$3,277,000

20 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 21 conditions and limitations:

(1) \$2,545,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is
 provided solely for the office of regulatory assistance integrated
 permitting project.

(2) \$75,000 of the motor vehicle account state appropriation is provided solely to address transportation budget and reporting requirements.

sec. 103. 2007 c 518 s 103 (uncodified) is amended to read as 1 2 follows: FOR THE MARINE EMPLOYEES COMMISSION 3 4 Puget Sound Ferry Operations Account--State 5 \$419,000 6 7 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following conditions and limitations: A maximum of \$6,000 may be expended to pay 8 9 the department of personnel for conducting the 2007 salary survey. 10 sec. 104. 2007 c 518 s 104 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows: 11 FOR THE STATE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION 12 13 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$985,000)) 14 \$983,000 15 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 16 conditions and limitations: The entire appropriation in this section 17 is provided solely for road maintenance purposes. 18 sec. 105. 2007 c 518 s 105 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows: 19 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE 20 21 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$1,358,000)) 22 \$1,355,000 23 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following conditions and limitations: 24 25 (1) \$351,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is 26 provided solely for costs associated with the motor fuel quality 27 program. 28 (2) ((\$1,007,000)) <u>\$1,004,000</u> of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided solely to test the quality of biofuel. 29 The department must test fuel quality at the biofuel manufacturer, 30 31 distributor, and retailer. 32 Sec. 106. 2007 c 518 s 106 (uncodified) is amended to read as 33 follows: 34 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION 35 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$223,000))

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The appropriation in this section is subject to the following conditions and limitations: The entire appropriation is provided solely for ((staffing costs to be dedicated to state)) transportation activities. Staff hired to support transportation activities must have practical experience with complex construction projects.

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TRANSPORTATION AGENCIES--OPERATING

8 Sec. 201. 2007 c 518 s 201 (uncodified) is amended to read as 9 follows: 10 FOR THE WASHINGTON TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION Highway Safety Account--State Appropriation ((\$2,609,000)) 11 12 \$2,605,000 13 Highway Safety Account--Federal Appropriation . . . ((\$15,880,000)) 14 \$15,849,000 15 School Zone Safety Account--State Appropriation ((\$3,300,000)) 16 \$3,376,000 17 18 \$21,830,000

19 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: \$76,000 of the school zone safety 20 21 account -- state appropriation is provided solely for contracting with 2.2 the office of the superintendent of public instruction (OSPI) to conduct pilot programs in three school districts for road safety 23 education and training for children, in order to teach children safe 24 25 walking, bicycling, and transit use behavior. The pilot projects shall 26 be conducted during the 2008-09 academic year, and shall be modeled 27 after a program and curriculum successfully implemented in the Spokane school district. Funds are provided for curriculum resources, bicycle 28 purchases, teacher training, other essential services and equipment, 29 and OSPI administrative expenses which may include contracting out 30 pilot program administration. The participating school districts shall 31 32 be located as follows: One in Grant county, one in Island county, and one in Kitsap county. The OSPI shall evaluate the pilot programs, and 33 report to the transportation committees of the legislature no later 34 than December 1, 2009, on the outcomes of the pilot programs. The 35

report shall include a survey identifying barriers to, interest in, and 1 2 the likelihood of students traveling by biking, walking, or transit both prior to and following completion of the pilot program. 3 4 Sec. 202. 2007 c 518 s 202 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows: 5 6 FOR THE COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD 7 Rural Arterial Trust Account--State Appropriation ((\$907,000)) 8 \$901,000 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$2,075,000)) 9 10 \$2,060,000 County Arterial Preservation Account--State 11 12 13 \$1,389,000 14 15 \$4,350,000 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 16 conditions and limitations: 17 \$481,000 of the county arterial preservation account--state appropriation is provided solely for 18 19 continued development and implementation of a maintenance management 20 system to manage county transportation assets. 21 Sec. 203. 2007 c 518 s 203 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows: 22 23 FOR THE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT BOARD 24 Urban Arterial Trust Account--State Appropriation . . . $((\frac{\$1,793,000}))$ 25 \$1,780,000 26 Transportation Improvement Account--State 27 \$1,781,000 28 29 30 \$3,561,000 31 Sec. 204. 2007 c 518 s 204 (uncodified) is amended to read as 32 follows: FOR THE BOARD OF PILOTAGE COMMISSIONERS 33 34 Pilotage Account--State Appropriation ((\$1,156,000)) 35 \$1,153,000

sec. 205. 2007 c 518 s 205 (uncodified) is amended to read as 1 2 follows: FOR THE JOINT TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE 3 4 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$2,103,000))

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\$2,364,000 State Patrol Highway Account -- State Appropriation \$100,000 б 7 Multimodal Transportation Account--State Appropriation . . . \$550,000

- 8 TOTAL APPROPRIATION $((\frac{22,653,000}{2}))$ \$3,014,000 9
- The appropriations in this section ((is)) are subject to the 10 11 following conditions and limitations:

12 (1) ((\$500,000)) <u>\$750,000</u> of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is for establishing a work group to implement Engrossed 13 14 Substitute House Bill No. 2358 (regarding state ferries) and review 15 other matters relating to Washington state ferries. The cochairs of the committee shall establish the work group comprising committee 16 members or their designees, an appointee by the governor, and other 17 stakeholders as appointed by the cochairs, to assist in the committee's 18 19 work. The work group shall present a report ((the progress)) of its 20 tasks to the transportation committees of the legislature by December ((15, 2007)) 1, 2008. The work group is tasked with the following: 21

(a) Implementing the recommendations of Engrossed Substitute House 22 Bill No. 2358 (regarding state ferries). As directed by Engrossed 23 24 Substitute House Bill No. 2358, the committee work group shall participate in and provide a review of the following: 25

26 (i) The Washington transportation commission's development and 27 interpretation of a survey of ferry customers;

28 (ii) The department of transportation's analysis and 29 reestablishment of vehicle level of service standards. In reestablishing the standards, consideration must be given to whether 30 31 boat wait is the appropriate measure;

(iii) The department's development of pricing policy proposals. 32 In 33 developing these policies, the policy, in effect on some routes, of 34 collecting fares in only one direction must be evaluated to determine 35 whether one-way fare pricing best serves the ferry system;

(iv) The department's development of operational strategies; 36

(v) The department's development of terminal design standards; and 37

1 (vi) The department's development of a long-range capital plan;

2 (b) Reviewing the following Washington state ferry programs:

3 (i) Ridership demand forecast;

4 (ii) Updated life cycle cost model, as directed by Engrossed 5 Substitute House Bill No. 2358;

6 (iii) Administrative operating costs, nonlabor and nonfuel 7 operating costs, Eagle Harbor maintenance facility program and 8 maintenance costs, administrative and systemwide capital costs, and 9 vessel preservation costs; and

10 (iv) The Washington state ferries' proposed capital cost allocation 11 plan methodology, as described in Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 12 2358;

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(c) Making recommendations regarding:

14 The most efficient timing and sizing of future vessel (i) acquisitions beyond those currently authorized by the legislature. 15 Vessel acquisition recommendations must be based on the ridership 16 17 projections, level of service standards, and operational and pricing strategies reviewed by the committee and must include the impact of 18 those recommendations on the timing and size of terminal capital 19 investments and the state ferries' long range operating and capital 20 21 finance plans; and

22 (ii) Capital financing strategies for consideration in the 2009 This 23 legislative session. work must include confirming the 24 department's estimate of future capital requirements based on a long 25 range capital plan and must include the department's development of a plan for codevelopment and public private partnership opportunities at 26 27 public ferry terminals; and

(d) Evaluate the capital cost allocation plan methodology developed
by the department to implement Engrossed Substitute House Bill No.
2358.

(2) \$250,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation and \$250,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation are for the <u>continuing</u> implementation of ((Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207)) <u>chapter 514</u>, Laws of 2007.

(3) \$300,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state
 appropriation is for implementing Substitute House Bill No. 1694
 (coordinated transportation). If Substitute House Bill No. 1694 is not

enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection shall 1 2 lapse.

(4) \$100,000 of the state patrol highway account--state 3 appropriation is for a study of the most cost-effective means of 4 ensuring that the pension concerns of the members of the Washington 5 state patrol retirement system are adequately and appropriately б considered and submitted to the legislature. The committee shall 7 solicit participation and quidance from the senate ways and means 8 committee, the house of representatives appropriations committee, the 9 department of retirement systems, the office of financial management, 10 the Washington state patrol troopers association, the Washington state 11 patrol lieutenants association, the Washington state patrol, and the 12 13 office of the state actuary, and report the study recommendations to the legislature by November 1, 2008. 14

Sec. 206. 2007 c 518 s 206 (uncodified) is amended to read as 15 16 follows:

17 FOR THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

18	Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation ((\$2,276,000))
19	<u>\$2,469,000</u>
20	Multimodal Transportation AccountState Appropriation \$112,000
21	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
22	\$2,581,000

The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 23 24 conditions and limitations:

25 (1) \$350,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided solely for the commission to conduct a survey of ferry 26 customers as described in Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2358. 27 Development and interpretation of the survey must be done with 28 29 participation of the joint transportation committee work group 30 established in section 205(1) of this act.

(2) ((\$100,000)) \$300,000 of the motor vehicle account--state 31 appropriation is provided solely for a study to identify and evaluate 32 long-term financing alternatives for the Washington state ferry system. 33 The study shall incorporate the findings of the initial survey 34 described in subsection (1) of this section, and shall consider the 35 potential for state, regional, or local financing options. The 36

commission shall submit a draft final report of its findings and
 recommendations to the transportation committees of the legislature no
 later than December 2008.

4 (3) The commission shall conduct a planning grade tolling study 5 that is based on the recommended policies in the commission's 6 comprehensive tolling study submitted September 20, 2006.

7 (4) Pursuant to RCW 43.135.055, during the 2007-09 fiscal biennium, 8 the transportation commission shall establish, periodically review, 9 and, if necessary, modify a schedule of toll charges applicable to the 10 state route 167 high-occupancy toll lane pilot project, as required by 11 RCW 47.56.403.

12 **Sec. 207.** 2007 c 518 s 207 (uncodified) is amended to read as 13 follows:

14 FOR THE FREIGHT MOBILITY STRATEGIC INVESTMENT BOARD

17 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 18 conditions and limitations:

(1) The freight mobility strategic investment board shall, on a quarterly basis, provide status reports to the office of financial management and the transportation committees of the legislature on the delivery of projects funded by this act.

(2) The freight mobility strategic investment board and the 23 24 department of transportation shall collaborate to submit a report to the office of financial management and the transportation committees of 25 the legislature by September 1, 2008, listing proposed freight highway 26 27 and rail projects. The report must describe the analysis used for selecting such projects, as required by chapter 47.06A RCW for the 28 board and as required by this act for the department. When developing 29 its list of proposed freight highway and rail projects, the freight 30 mobility strategic investment board shall use the priorities identified 31 32 in section 309(7)(a) of this act to the greatest extent possible.

33 Sec. 208. 2007 c 518 s 208 (uncodified) is amended to read as 34 follows:

35 FOR THE WASHINGTON STATE PATROL--FIELD OPERATIONS BUREAU

36 State Patrol Highway Account--State

1 2 \$227,172,000 State Patrol Highway Account--Federal 3 4 5 State Patrol Highway Account--Private/Local 6 7 TOTAL APPROPRIATION $((\frac{236,457,000}))$ 8 \$238,184,000

9 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 10 conditions and limitations:

(1) Washington state patrol officers engaged in off-duty uniformed 11 12 employment providing traffic control services to the department of transportation or other state agencies may use state patrol vehicles 13 for the purpose of that employment, subject to quidelines adopted by 14 the chief of the Washington state patrol. The Washington state patrol 15 shall be reimbursed for the use of the vehicle at the prevailing state 16 employee rate for mileage and hours of usage, subject to guidelines 17 developed by the chief of the Washington state patrol. 18

(2) In addition to the user fees, the patrol shall transfer into 19 20 the state patrol nonappropriated airplane revolving account under RCW 21 43.79.470 no more than the amount of appropriated state patrol highway account and general fund funding necessary to cover the costs for the 2.2 23 patrol's use of the aircraft. The state patrol highway account and general fund--state funds shall be transferred proportionately in 24 25 accordance with a cost allocation that differentiates between highway traffic enforcement services and general policing purposes. 26

(3) The patrol shall not account for or record locally provided DUI cost reimbursement payments as expenditure credits to the state patrol highway account. The patrol shall report the amount of expected locally provided DUI cost reimbursements to the governor and transportation committees of the senate and house of representatives by September 30th of each year.

(4) \$1,662,000 of the state patrol highway account--state
appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Substitute
House Bill No. 1304 (commercial vehicle enforcement). If Substitute
House Bill No. 1304 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount
provided in this subsection shall lapse.

1 (5) During the fiscal year 2008, the Washington state patrol shall 2 continue to perform traffic accident investigations on Thurston, Mason, 3 and Lewis county roads, and shall work with the counties to transition 4 the traffic accident investigations on county roads to the counties by 5 July 1, 2008.

6 (6) \$100,000 of the state patrol highway account--state 7 appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Substitute 8 House Bill No. 1417 (health benefits for surviving dependents). If 9 Substitute House Bill No. 1417 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the 10 amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

\$3,300,000 of the state patrol highway account--state 11 (7) 12 appropriation is provided solely for the salaries and benefits associated with accretion in the number of troopers employed above 13 14 1,158 authorized commissioned troopers, or solely for training new cadets; however, the amount provided in this subsection is contingent 15 on the Washington state patrol submitting a 2009-11 budget request that 16 fully funds field force operations without reliance on a projected 17 vacancy rate. 18

<u>(8) By July 1, 2008, the Washington state patrol shall assign six</u>
 additional troopers to the Monroe detachment from among troopers
 requesting transfer to Monroe or graduating cadet classes.

Sec. 209. 2007 c 518 s 209 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows:
FOR THE WASHINGTON STATE PATROL--INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES BUREAU

25 State Patrol Highway Account--State Appropriation . . . ((\$1,300,000))
26 \$1,553,000

27 **Sec. 210.** 2007 c 518 s 210 (uncodified) is amended to read as 28 follows:

29 FOR THE WASHINGTON STATE PATROL--TECHNICAL SERVICES BUREAU

30	State Patrol Highway AccountState Appropriation (($\$103,157,000$))
31	<u>\$102,891,000</u>
32	State Patrol Highway AccountPrivate/Local
33	Appropriation
34	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
35	\$104,899,000

1 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 2 conditions and limitations:

(1) The Washington state patrol shall work with the risk management 3 division in the office of financial management in compiling the 4 Washington state patrol's data for establishing the agency's risk 5 management insurance premiums to the tort claims account. The office 6 7 of financial management and the Washington state patrol shall submit a report to the legislative transportation committees by December 31st of 8 each year on the number of claims, estimated claims to be paid, method 9 10 of calculation, and the adjustment in the premium.

11 (2) $((\frac{12,641,000}))$ $\frac{59,981,000}{59,981,000}$ of the total appropriation is 12 provided solely for automobile fuel in the 2007-2009 biennium.

13 (3) ((\$\$,678,000)) \$7,461,000 of the total appropriation is 14 provided solely for the purchase of pursuit vehicles.

15 (4) ((\$5,254,000)) \$6,328,000 of the total appropriation is 16 provided solely for vehicle repair and maintenance costs of vehicles 17 used for highway purposes.

(5) \$384,000 of the total appropriation is provided solely for the purchase of mission vehicles used for highway purposes in the commercial vehicle and traffic investigation sections of the Washington state patrol.

(6) The Washington state patrol may submit information technology related requests for funding only if the patrol has coordinated with the department of information services as required by section 602 of this act.

26 (7) \$630,000 of the total appropriation is provided solely for the 27 ongoing software maintenance and technical support for the digital 28 microwave system. The Washington state patrol shall coordinate with 29 the other members of the Washington state interoperability executive 30 committee to ensure compatibility between emergency communication 31 systems.

32 Sec. 211. 2007 c 518 s 212 (uncodified) is amended to read as 33 follows:

34 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING

35	Marine Fuel Tax Refund AccountState Appropriation	•	•	•	• •	\$32,000
36	Motorcycle Safety Education AccountState					
37	Appropriation			((\$3,9	05,000))

1 <u>\$3,899,000</u> 2 3 \$831,000 4 Highway Safety Account--State Appropriation ((\$141,953,000)) 5 \$145,570,000 Highway Safety Account--Federal Appropriation \$233,000 6 7 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$79,230,000)) 8 \$78,424,000 9 Motor Vehicle Account--Private/Local Appropriation . . . \$1,372,000 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation ((\$117,000)) 10 \$1,354,000 11 12 Department of Licensing Services Account--State 13 14 \$4,542,000 Washington State Patrol Highway Account--State 15 16 17 \$237,402,000 18

19 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 20 conditions and limitations:

21 (1) \$2,941,000 of the highway safety account--state appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Substitute House Bill No. 2.2 23 1267 (modifying commercial driver's license requirements). Τf 24 Substitute House Bill No. 1267 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the 25 amount provided in this subsection shall lapse. The department shall informally report to the legislature by December 1, 2008, with 26 measurable data indicating the department's progress in meeting its 27 28 goal of improving public safety by improving the quality of the commercial driver's license testing process. 29

30 (2) \$716,000 of the motorcycle safety education account--state
31 appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Senate Bill
32 No. 5273 (modifying motorcycle driver's license endorsement and
33 education provisions). If Senate Bill No. 5273 is not enacted by June
34 30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

(3) ((\$8,872,000)) \$12,322,000 of the highway safety account--state appropriation is provided solely for costs associated with the ((systems development and issuance of)) processing costs of issuing enhanced drivers' licenses and identicards to facilitate crossing the

1 Canadian border. ((If Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1289 2 (relating to the issuance of enhanced drivers' licenses and identicards) is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount provided in 3 4 this subsection shall lapse. The department may expend funds only after acceptance of the enhanced Washington state driver's license for 5 border crossing purposes by the Canadian and United States governments. 6 7 The department may expend funds only after prior written approval of 8 the director of financial management. Of the amount provided in this subsection, up to \$1,000,000 is for a statewide educational campaign, 9 10 which must include coordination with existing public and private entities, to inform the Washington public of the benefits of the new 11 12 enhanced drivers' licenses and identicards.))

13 (4) \$91,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation and 14 \$152,000 of the highway safety account--state appropriation are provided solely for contracting with the office of the attorney general 15 to investigate criminal activity uncovered in the course of the 16 17 agency's licensing and regulatory activities. Funding is provided for the 2008 fiscal year. The department may request funding for the 2009 18 fiscal year if the request is submitted with measurable data indicating 19 the department's progress in meeting its goal of increased prosecution 20 21 of illegal activity.

(5) \$350,000 of the highway safety account--state appropriation is provided solely for the costs associated with the systems development of the interface that will allow insurance carriers and their agents real time, online access to drivers' records. If Substitute Senate Bill No. 5937 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

(6) \$1,145,000 of the state patrol highway account--state
appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Substitute
House Bill No. 1304 (modifying commercial motor vehicle carrier
provisions). If Substitute House Bill No. 1304 is not enacted by June
30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

33 (7) The department may submit information technology related 34 requests for funding only if the department has coordinated with the 35 department of information services as required by section 602 of this 36 act.

37 (8) ((Within the amounts appropriated in this section, the 38 department shall, working with the legislature, develop a proposal to))

\$116,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided 1 2 solely to, in consultation with the legislature, streamline title and registration statutes to specifically address apparent conflicts, fee 3 distribution, and other recommendations by the department that are 4 revenue neutral and which do not change legislative policy. 5 The shall ((report the results of this review to the 6 department transportation committees of the legislature by December 1, 2007)) 7 submit recommended changes to the transportation committees of the 8 legislature by the end of the biennium. 9

10 (9) \$246,000 of the department of licensing services account--state 11 appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Substitute 12 Senate Bill No. 6836 (secure vehicle licensing system). If Substitute 13 Senate Bill No. 6836 is not enacted by June 30, 2008, the amount 14 provided in this subsection shall lapse.

15 (10) \$960,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is 16 provided solely for the implementation of Second Substitute House Bill 17 No. 1046 (motor vehicle insurance). If Second Substitute House Bill 18 No. 1046 is not enacted by June 30, 2008, the amount provided in this 19 subsection shall lapse.

20 (11) \$277,000 of the highway safety account--state appropriation is 21 provided solely for the implementation of Senate Bill No. 6885 (driving 22 record abstracts). If Senate Bill No. 6885 is not enacted by June 30, 23 2008, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

(12) \$417,000 of the highway safety account--state appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Engrossed Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 6546 (ignition interlock drivers' license). If Engrossed Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 6546 is not enacted by June 30, 2008, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

29 (13) The department shall investigate instituting a program whereby 30 individual registered vehicle owners can have license plates tested for 31 reflectivity to determine whether the department's requirement that the 32 license plates be replaced after seven years can be waived for that 33 particular set of license plates.

34 Sec. 212. 2007 c 518 s 213 (uncodified) is amended to read as 35 follows:

36 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--TOLL OPERATIONS AND

1 MAINTENANCE--PROGRAM B 2 High-Occupancy Toll Lanes Account--State 3 4 \$2,253,000 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$5,600,000)) 5 \$1,018,000 6 7 Tacoma Narrows Toll Bridge Account--State 8 9 \$28,249,000 10 TOTAL APPROPRIATION $((\frac{336,414,000}{)})$ \$31,520,000 11 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 12 conditions and limitations: 13 14 (((1) \$5,000,000 of the motor vehicle account state is provided 15 solely to provide a reserve for the Tacoma Narrows Bridge project. This appropriation shall be held in unallotted status until the office 16 of financial management deems that revenues applicable to the Tacoma 17 Narrows Bridge project are not sufficient to cover the project's 18 19 expenditures. 20 (2) The department shall solicit private donations to fund 21 activities related to the opening ceremonies of the Tacoma Narrows bridge project.)) The department shall develop incentives to reduce 2.2 and control tolling operations costs. These incentives may be directed 23 24 at the public, the tolling contractor, or the department. Incentives to be considered should include, but not be limited to: Incentives to 25 return unneeded transponders, incentives to close inactive accounts, 26 incentives to reduce printed account statements, incentives to reduce 27 labor costs, and incentives to reduce postage and shipping costs. 28 These incentives shall be presented for review by the transportation 29 commission by September 30, 2008. 30 31 sec. 213. 2007 c 518 s 214 (uncodified) is amended to read as 32 follows: 33 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY--PROGRAM 34 C 35 Transportation Partnership Account--State 36 37 \$5,892,000

1	Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation ((\$67,613,000))
2	<u>\$67,744,000</u>
3	Motor Vehicle AccountFederal Appropriation \$1,096,000
4	Puget Sound Ferry Operations AccountState
5	Appropriation
6	<u>\$9,147,000</u>
7	Multimodal Transportation AccountState
8	Appropriation
9	Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account)State
10	Appropriation
11	<u>\$5,337,000</u>
12	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
13	<u>\$89,579,000</u>

14 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 15 conditions and limitations:

(1) The department shall consult with the office of financial 16 17 management and the department of information services to ensure that department's current and future system development 18 (a) the is consistent with the overall direction of other key state systems; and 19 20 (b) when possible, use or develop common statewide information systems 21 to encourage coordination and integration of information used by the department and other state agencies and to avoid duplication. 2.2

23 (2) The department shall provide updated information on six project milestones for all active projects, funded in part or in whole with 24 25 2005 transportation partnership account funds or 2003 nickel account 26 funds, on a quarterly basis in the transportation executive information 27 system (TEIS). The department shall also provide updated information 28 on six project milestones for projects, funded with preexisting funds and that are agreed to by the legislature, office of financial 29 30 management, and the department, on a quarterly basis in TEIS.

31 (3) ((\$2,300,000)) <u>\$3,300,000</u> of the motor vehicle account--state 32 appropriation is provided solely for preliminary work needed to transition the department to the state government network. 33 Τn the department of information 34 collaboration with services the 35 department shall complete an inventory of the current network infrastructure, ((and)) develop an implementation plan for transition 36 to the state government network, improve security, and initiate 37 connection to the state government network. 38

(4) \$1,000,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation, 1 2 ((\$4,556,000)) \$5,892,000 of the transportation partnership account-appropriation, and ((\$4,000,000)) \$5,337,000 3 state of the transportation 2003 account (nickel account) -- state appropriation are 4 5 provided solely for the department to develop a project management and reporting system which is a collection of integrated tools for capital 6 7 construction project managers to use to perform all the necessary tasks associated with project management. The department shall integrate 8 commercial off-the-shelf software with existing department systems and 9 10 enhanced approaches to data management to provide web-based access for multi-level reporting and improved business workflows and reporting. 11 12 Beginning September 1, 2007, and on a quarterly basis thereafter, the 13 department shall report to the office of financial management and the 14 transportation committees of the legislature on the status of the development and integration of the system. The first report shall 15 16 include a detailed work plan for the development and integration of the 17 system including timelines and budget milestones. At a minimum the ensuing reports shall indicate the status of the work as it compares to 18 the work plan, any discrepancies, and proposed adjustments necessary to 19 bring the project back on schedule or budget if necessary. 20

(5) The department may submit information technology related requests for funding only if the department has coordinated with the department of information services as required by section 602 of this act.

25 (6) \$1,600,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided solely for the critical application assessment implementation 26 27 project. The department shall submit a progress report on the critical application assessment implementation project 28 to the house of representatives and senate transportation committees on or before 29 December 1, 2007, and December 1, 2008, with a final report on or 30 31 before June 30, 2009.

32 Sec. 214. 2007 c 518 s 215 (uncodified) is amended to read as 33 follows:

34 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--FACILITY MAINTENANCE, OPERATIONS 35 AND CONSTRUCTION--PROGRAM D--OPERATING

1 sec. 215. 2007 c 518 s 216 (uncodified) is amended to read as 2 follows: FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--AVIATION--PROGRAM F 3 Aeronautics Account--State Appropriation ((\$6,889,000)) 4 5 \$7,868,000 Aeronautics Account--Federal Appropriation \$2,150,000 6 7 Multimodal Transportation Account--State Appropriation . . . \$631,000 8 9 \$10,649,000 10 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: The entire multimodal transportation 11 account--state appropriation ((is)) and \$400,000 of the aeronautics 12 account--state appropriation are provided solely for the aviation 13 planning council as provided for in RCW 47.68.410. 14 15 Sec. 216. 2007 c 518 s 217 (uncodified) is amended to read as 16 follows: 17 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION -- PROGRAM DELIVERY MANAGEMENT AND SUPPORT--PROGRAM H 18 19 Transportation Partnership Account--State 20 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$50,446,000)) 21 22 \$52,317,000 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation \$500,000 23 24 Multimodal Transportation Account--State 25 26 Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account)--State 27 28 TOTAL APPROPRIATION $((\frac{56,040,000}{}))$ 29 \$57,911,000 30 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 31 conditions and limitations: \$2,422,000 of the transportation 32 partnership account appropriation and \$2,422,000 of the transportation 33 2003 account (nickel account) -- state appropriation are provided solely 34 for consultant contracts to assist the department in the delivery of the capital construction program by identifying improvements to program 35

36 delivery, program management, project controls, program and project

1 monitoring, forecasting, and reporting. The consultants shall work 2 with the department of information services in the development of the 3 project management and reporting system.

The consultants shall provide an updated copy of the capital construction strategic plan to the legislative transportation committees and to the office of financial management on June 30, 2008, and each year thereafter.

8 The department shall coordinate its work with other budget and 9 performance efforts, including Roadmap, the findings of the critical 10 applications modernization and integration strategies study, including 11 proposed next steps, and the priorities of government process.

12 The department shall report to the transportation committees of the 13 house of representatives and senate, and the office of financial management, by December 31, 2007, on the implementation status of 14 recommended capital budgeting and reporting options. Options must 15 against legislatively-established project 16 include: Reporting 17 identification numbers and may include recommendations for reporting against other appropriate project groupings; measures for reporting 18 progress, timeliness, and cost which create an incentive for the 19 department to manage effectively and report its progress in a 20 21 transparent manner; and criteria and process for transfers of funds 22 among projects.

23 Sec. 217. 2007 c 518 s 218 (uncodified) is amended to read as 24 follows: 25 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--ECONOMIC PARTNERSHIPS--PROGRAM 26 к Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$1,151,000)) 27 28 \$1,142,000 29 Multimodal Transportation Account--State Appropriation . . . \$300,000 30 31 \$1,442,000

32 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 33 conditions and limitations:

(1) \$300,000 of the multimodal account--state appropriation is provided solely for the department to hire a consultant to develop a plan for codevelopment and public-private partnership opportunities at public ferry terminals. 1 (2) The department shall conduct an analysis and, if determined to 2 be feasible, initiate requests for proposals involving the distribution 3 of alternative fuels along state department of transportation 4 rights-of-way.

Sec. 218. 2007 c 518 s 219 (uncodified) is amended to read as 5 6 follows: 7 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE--PROGRAM M Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$321,888,000)) 8 9 \$331,565,000 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation ((\$2,000,000)) 10 11 <u>\$5,000,000</u> 12 Motor Vehicle Account--Private/Local Appropriation \$5,797,000 13 14 \$342,362,000

15 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 16 conditions and limitations:

(1) If portions of the appropriations in this section are required to fund maintenance work resulting from major disasters not covered by federal emergency funds such as fire, flooding, and major slides, supplemental appropriations must be requested to restore state funding for ongoing maintenance activities.

(2) The department shall request an unanticipated receipt for any federal moneys received for emergency snow and ice removal and shall place an equal amount of the motor vehicle account--state into unallotted status. This exchange shall not affect the amount of funding available for snow and ice removal.

(3) The department shall request an unanticipated receipt for any private or local funds received for reimbursements of third party damages that are in excess of the motor vehicle account--private/local appropriation.

(4) ((\$1,500,000)) \$5,000,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation is provided for unanticipated federal funds that may be received during the 2007-09 biennium. Upon receipt of the funds, the department shall provide a report on the use of the funds to the transportation committees of the legislature and the office of financial management. 1 (5) Funding is provided for maintenance on the state system to 2 deliver service level targets as listed in LEAP Transportation Document 3 2007-C, as developed April 20, 2007. In delivering the program and 4 aiming for these targets, the department should concentrate on the 5 following areas:

6 (a) Eliminating the number of activities delivered in the "f" level 7 of service at the region level; and

8 (b) Evaluating, analyzing, and potentially redistributing resources 9 within and among regions to provide greater consistency in delivering 10 the program statewide and in achieving overall level of service 11 targets.

12 (6) The department may work with the department of corrections to 13 utilize corrections crews for the purposes of litter pickup on state 14 highways.

(7) \$650,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided solely for increased asphalt costs.

17 <u>(8) The department shall prepare a comprehensive listing of</u> 18 <u>maintenance backlogs and related costs and report to the office of</u> 19 <u>financial management and the transportation committees of the</u> 20 <u>legislature by December 31, 2008.</u>

(9) \$79,266,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is for snow and ice related expenses, within which is a one-time increase of \$3,250,000 provided solely for extraordinary snow and ice removal expenses incurred during the winter of 2007-08.

25 Sec. 219. 2007 c 518 s 220 (uncodified) is amended to read as 26 follows:

27 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--TRAFFIC OPERATIONS--PROGRAM Q-28 OPERATING

The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: (1) \$654,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is
 provided solely for the department to time state-owned and operated
 traffic signals. This funding may also be used to program incident,
 emergency, or special event signal timing plans.

5 (2) \$346,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is 6 provided solely for the department to implement a pilot tow truck 7 incentive program. The department may provide incentive payments to 8 towing companies that meet clearance goals on accidents that involve 9 heavy trucks.

(3) \$6,800,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is 10 provided solely for low-cost enhancements. The department shall give 11 priority to low-cost enhancement projects that improve safety or 12 13 provide congestion relief. The department shall prioritize low-cost enhancement projects on a statewide rather than regional basis. 14 By January 1, 2008, and January 1, 2009, the department shall provide a 15 16 report to the legislature listing all low-cost enhancement projects 17 prioritized on a statewide rather than regional basis completed in the 18 prior year.

19 (4) The department, in consultation with the Washington state 20 patrol, may conduct a pilot program for the patrol to issue infractions 21 based on information from automated traffic safety cameras in roadway 22 construction zones on state highways when workers are present.

(a) In order to ensure adequate time in the 2007-09 biennium to
evaluate the effectiveness of the pilot program, any projects
authorized by the department must be authorized by December 31, 2007.

(b) The department shall use the following guidelines to administerthe program:

(i) Automated traffic safety cameras may only take pictures of the vehicle and vehicle license plate and only while an infraction is occurring. The picture must not reveal the face of the driver or of passengers in the vehicle;

32 (ii) The department shall plainly mark the locations where the 33 automated traffic safety cameras are used by placing signs on locations 34 that clearly indicate to a driver that he or she is entering a roadway 35 construction zone where traffic laws are enforced by an automated 36 traffic safety camera;

(iii) Notices of infractions must be mailed to the registered ownerof a vehicle within fourteen days of the infraction occurring;

1 (iv) The owner of the vehicle is not responsible for the violation 2 if the owner of the vehicle, within fourteen days of receiving 3 notification of the violation, mails to the patrol, a declaration under 4 penalty of perjury, stating that the vehicle involved was, at the time, 5 stolen or in the care, custody, or control of some person other than 6 the registered owner, or any other extenuating circumstances;

(v) For purposes of the 2007-09 biennium pilot project, infractions 7 detected through the use of automated traffic safety cameras are not 8 part of the registered owner's driving record under RCW 46.52.101 and 9 46.52.120. Additionally, infractions generated by the use of automated 10 traffic safety cameras must be processed in the same manner as parking 11 infractions for the purposes of RCW 3.46.120, 3.50.100, 35.20.220, 12 46.16.216, and 46.20.270(3). However, the amount of the fine issued 13 for an infraction generated through the use of an automated traffic 14 safety camera is one hundred thirty-seven dollars. The court shall 15 remit thirty-two dollars of the fine to the state treasurer for deposit 16 17 into the state patrol highway account;

(vi) If a notice of infraction is sent to the registered owner and 18 the registered owner is a rental car business, the infraction will be 19 dismissed against the business if it mails to the patrol, within 20 21 fourteen days of receiving the notice, a declaration under penalty of 22 perjury of the name and known mailing address of the individual driving or renting the vehicle when the infraction occurred. If the business 23 24 is unable to determine who was driving or renting the vehicle at the 25 time the infraction occurred, the business must sign a declaration under penalty of perjury to this effect. The declaration must be 26 27 mailed to the patrol within fourteen days of receiving the notice of traffic infraction. Timely mailing of this declaration to the issuing 28 agency relieves a rental car business of any liability under this 29 section for the notice of infraction. A declaration form suitable for 30 this purpose must be included with each automated traffic infraction 31 32 notice issued, along with instructions for its completion and use; and

33 (vii) By June 30, 2009, the department shall provide a report to 34 the legislature regarding the use, public acceptance, outcomes, and 35 other relevant issues regarding the pilot project.

36 (5) The traffic signal operations along 164th Street SE at the 37 intersections of Mill Creek Boulevard and SR 527 should be optimized to 1 minimize vehicle delay on both corridors based on traffic volumes and

2 not only on functional classification or designation.

Sec. 220. 2007 c 518 s 221 (uncodified) is amended to read as 3 4 follows: FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT AND 5 б SUPPORT--PROGRAM S 7 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$28,215,000)) 8 \$27,392,000 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation \$30,000 9 10 Puget Sound Ferry Operations Account--State 11 12 Multimodal Transportation Account--State 13 14 TOTAL APPROPRIATION $((\frac{30,789,000}{0}))$ 15 \$29,966,000 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 16 conditions and limitations: 17 (1) The department shall work with staffs from the legislative 18 19 evaluation and accountability program committee, the transportation 20 committees of the legislature, and the office of financial management on developing a new capital budgeting system to meet identified 21 22 information needs. (2) \$250,000 of the multimodal account--state appropriation is 23 24 provided solely for implementing a wounded combat veteran's internship 25 program, administered by the department. The department shall seek

26 federal funding to support the continuation of this program.

Sec. 221. 2007 c 518 s 222 (uncodified) is amended to read as 27 follows: 28 29 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--TRANSPORTATION PLANNING, DATA, 30 AND RESEARCH--PROGRAM T 31 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$30,698,000)) 32 \$27,620,000 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation \$19,163,000 33 34 Multimodal Transportation Account--State 35 36 \$1,801,000

1	Multimodal Transportation AccountFederal
2	Appropriation
3	Multimodal Transportation AccountPrivate/Local
4	Appropriation
5	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
6	\$51,493,000

7 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 8 conditions and limitations:

9 (1) ((\$3,900,000 of the motor vehicle account-state appropriation is provided solely for the costs of the regional transportation 10 investment district (RTID) and department of transportation project 11 12 oversight. The department shall provide support from its urban 13 corridors region to assist in preparing project costs, expenditure plans, and modeling. The department shall not deduct a management 14 15 reserve, nor charge management or overhead fees. These funds, including those expended since 2003, are provided as a loan to the RTID 16 17 and shall be repaid to the state within one year following formation of the RTID. \$2,391,000 of the amount provided under this subsection 18 shall lapse, effective January 1, 2008, if voters fail to approve 19 20 formation of the RTID at the 2007 general election, as determined by 21 the certification of the election results.)) \$1,559,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided solely for costs 2.2 incurred for the 2007 regional transportation investment district 23 24 election.

25 (2) ((\$300,000)) \$1,080,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation is provided solely for a transportation 26 27 demand management program, developed by the Whatcom council of 28 governments, to further reduce drive-alone trips and maximize the use of sustainable transportation choices. The community-based program 29 must focus on all trips, not only commute trips, by providing 30 education, assistance, and incentives to four target audiences: 31 (a) 32 Large work sites; (b) employees of businesses in downtown areas; (c) school children; and (d) residents of Bellingham. 33

(3) \$320,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation and
\$128,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation are
provided solely for development of a freight database to help guide
freight investment decisions and track project effectiveness. The
database will be based on truck movement tracked through geographic

1 information system technology. TransNow will contribute an additional 2 \$192,000 in federal funds which are not appropriated in the 3 transportation budget. The department shall work with the freight 4 mobility strategic investment board to implement this project.

(4) By December 1, 2008, the department shall require confirmation 5 from jurisdictions that plan under the growth management act, chapter 6 7 36.70A RCW, and that receive state transportation funding under this act, that the jurisdictions have adopted standards for access 8 9 permitting on state highways that meet or exceed department standards 10 in accordance with RCW 47.50.030. The objective of this subsection is encourage local governments, through the receipt of state 11 to transportation funding, to adhere to best practices in access control 12 applicable to development activity significantly impacting state 13 14 transportation facilities. By January 1, 2009, the department shall submit a report to the appropriate committees of the legislature 15 detailing the progress of the local jurisdictions in adopting the 16 17 highway access permitting standards.

(5) \$150,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation is provided solely for the costs to develop an electronic map-based computer application that will enable law enforcement officers and others to more easily locate collisions and other incidents in the field.

(6) The department shall add a position within the freight systems division to provide expertise regarding the trucking aspects of the state's freight system.

(7) The department shall evaluate the feasibility of developing a 26 27 freight corridor bypass from Everett to Gold Bar on US 2, including a connection to SR 522. US 2 is an important freight corridor, and is an 28 alternative route for I-90. Congestion, safety issues, and flooding 29 concerns have all contributed to the need for major improvements to the 30 corridor. The evaluation shall consider the use of toll lanes for the 31 32 project. The department must report to the transportation committees legislature by December 1, 2007, on its analysis and 33 of the recommendations regarding the benefit of a freight corridor and the 34 potential use of freight toll lanes to improve safety and congestion in 35 the corridor. 36

37 (8) The department shall work with the department of ecology, the
 38 county road administration board, and the transportation improvement

1	board to develop model procedures and municipal and state rules in
2	regard to maximizing the use of recycled asphalt on road construction
3	and preservation projects. The department shall report to the joint
4	transportation committee by December 1, 2008, with recommendations on
5	increasing the use of recycled asphalt at the state and local level.
6	sec. 222. 2007 c 518 s 223 (uncodified) is amended to read as
7	follows:
8	FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATIONCHARGES FROM OTHER AGENCIES
9	PROGRAM U
10	Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation ((\$66,342,000))
11	<u>\$66,428,000</u>
12	Motor Vehicle AccountFederal Appropriation \$400,000
13	Multimodal Transportation AccountState
14	Appropriation
15	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
16	<u>\$67,087,000</u>
17	The appropriations in this section are subject to the following
18	conditions and limitations:
19	(1) \$36,665,000 of the motor vehicle fundstate appropriation is
20	provided solely for the liabilities attributable to the department of
21	transportation. The office of financial management must provide a
22	detailed accounting of the revenues and expenditures of the self-
23	insurance fund to the transportation committees of the legislature on
24	December 31st and June 30th of each year.
25	(2) Payments in this section represent charges from other state
26	agencies to the department of transportation.
27	(a) FOR PAYMENT OF OFFICE OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
28	DIVISION OF RISK MANAGEMENT FEES
29	(b) FOR PAYMENT OF COSTS OF THE OFFICE OF THE STATE
30	AUDITOR
31	\$1,153,000
32	(c) FOR PAYMENT OF COSTS OF DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL
33	ADMINISTRATION FACILITIES AND SERVICES AND CONSOLIDATED
34	MAIL SERVICES
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1	<u>\$7,593,000</u>
2	(e) FOR PAYMENT OF SELF-INSURANCE LIABILITY
3	PREMIUMS AND ADMINISTRATION \$36,665,000
4	(f) FOR PAYMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL
5	ADMINISTRATION CAPITAL PROJECTS SURCHARGE
6	(g) FOR ARCHIVES AND RECORDS MANAGEMENT ((\$647,000))
7	<u>\$677,000</u>
8	(h) FOR OFFICE OF MINORITIES AND WOMEN BUSINESS
9	ENTERPRISES
10	\$1,042,000
11	(i) FOR USE OF FINANCIAL SYSTEMS PROVIDED BY
12	THE OFFICE OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
13	<u>\$966,000</u>
14	(j) FOR POLICY ASSISTANCE FROM THE DEPARTMENT
15	OF INFORMATION SERVICES
16	<u>\$945,000</u>
17	(k) FOR LEGAL SERVICE PROVIDED BY THE ATTORNEY
18	GENERAL'S OFFICE
19	\$9,045,000
20	(1) FOR LEGAL SERVICE PROVIDED BY THE ATTORNEY
21	GENERAL'S OFFICE FOR THE SECOND PHASE OF THE BOLDT
22	LITIGATION
23	(m) FOR DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL ONLINE RECRUITING \$326,000
24	sec. 223. 2007 c 518 s 224 (uncodified) is amended to read as
25	follows:
26	FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATIONPUBLIC TRANSPORTATIONPROGRAM
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28	Regional Mobility Grant Program AccountState
29	Appropriation
30	Multimodal Transportation AccountState
31	Appropriation
32	\$85,606,000
33	Multimodal Transportation AccountFederal
34	Appropriation
35	Multimodal Transportation AccountPrivate/Local
36	Appropriation
37	<u>\$659,000</u>

3 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 4 conditions and limitations:

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5 (1) \$25,000,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 6 appropriation is provided solely for a grant program for special needs 7 transportation provided by transit agencies and nonprofit providers of 8 transportation.

9 (a) \$5,500,000 of the amount provided in this subsection is 10 provided solely for grants to nonprofit providers of special needs 11 transportation. Grants for nonprofit providers shall be based on need, 12 including the availability of other providers of service in the area, 13 efforts to coordinate trips among providers and riders, and the cost 14 effectiveness of trips provided.

15 (b) \$19,500,000 of the amount provided in this subsection is 16 provided solely for grants to transit agencies to transport persons with special transportation needs. To receive a grant, the transit 17 have a maintenance of effort for agency must 18 special needs transportation that is no less than the previous year's maintenance of 19 20 effort for special needs transportation. Grants for transit agencies 21 shall be prorated based on the amount expended for demand response service and route deviated service in calendar year 2005 as reported in 2.2 23 the "Summary of Public Transportation - 2005" published by the department of transportation. No transit agency may receive more than 24 25 thirty percent of these distributions.

26 (2) Funds are provided for the rural mobility grant program as 27 follows:

(a) \$8,500,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 28 appropriation is provided solely for grants for those transit systems 29 serving small cities and rural areas as identified in the Summary of 30 Transportation - 2005 published by the 31 Public department of 32 Noncompetitive grants must be distributed to the transportation. transit systems serving small cities and rural areas in a manner 33 34 similar to past disparity equalization programs.

35 (b) \$8,500,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 36 appropriation is provided solely to providers of rural mobility service 37 in areas not served or underserved by transit agencies through a 38 competitive grant process.

1 (3) \$8,600,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 2 appropriation is provided solely for a vanpool grant program for: (a) Public transit agencies to add vanpools; and (b) incentives for 3 employers to increase employee vanpool use. The grant program for 4 public transit agencies will cover capital costs only; no operating 5 costs for public transit agencies are eligible for funding under this б 7 grant program. No additional employees may be hired from the funds provided in this section for the vanpool grant program, and supplanting 8 of transit funds currently funding vanpools is not allowed. Additional 9 10 criteria for selecting grants must include leveraging funds other than 11 state funds.

12 (4) \$40,000,000 of the regional mobility grant program account--13 state appropriation is provided solely for the regional mobility grant 14 projects identified on the LEAP Transportation Document 2007-B as 15 developed April 20, 2007. The department shall review all projects receiving grant awards under this program at least semiannually to 16 17 determine whether the projects are making satisfactory progress. Any project that has been awarded funds, but does not report activity on 18 the project within one year of the grant award, shall be reviewed by 19 the department to determine whether the grant should be terminated. 20 21 The department shall promptly close out grants when projects have been 22 completed, and any remaining funds available to the office of transit mobility shall be used only to fund projects on the LEAP Transportation 23 24 Document 2007-B as developed April 20, 2007. The department shall 25 provide annual status reports on December 15, 2007, and December 15, 26 2008, to the office of financial management and the transportation 27 committees of the legislature regarding the projects receiving the 28 grants.

(5) \$17,168,087 of the multimodal transportation account--state 29 appropriation is reappropriated and provided solely for the regional 30 mobility grant projects identified on the LEAP Transportation Document 31 32 2006-D, regional mobility grant program projects as developed March 8, 2006. The department shall continue to review all projects receiving 33 grant awards under this program at least semiannually to determine 34 35 whether the projects are making satisfactory progress. The department 36 shall promptly close out grants when projects have been completed, and 37 any remaining funds available to the office of transit mobility shall

be used only to fund projects on the LEAP Transportation Document
 2007-B as developed April 20, 2007, or the LEAP Transportation Document
 2006-D as developed March 8, 2006.

(6) \$200,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 4 5 appropriation is provided solely for the department to study and then develop pilot programs aimed at addressing commute trip reduction 6 7 strategies for K-12 students and for college and university students. The department shall submit to the legislature by January 1, 2009, a 8 9 summary of the program results and recommendations for future student 10 commute trip reduction strategies. The pilot programs are described as follows: 11

(a) The department shall consider approaches, including mobility
 education, to reducing and removing traffic congestion in front of
 schools by changing travel behavior for elementary, middle, and high
 school students and their parents; and

(b) The department shall design a program that includes student employment options as part of the pilot program applicable to college and university students.

(7) \$2,400,000 of the multimodal account--state appropriation is provided solely for establishing growth and transportation efficiency centers (GTEC). Funds are appropriated for one time only. The department shall provide in its annual report to the legislature an evaluation of the GTEC concept and recommendations on future funding levels.

(8) \$381,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation is provided solely for the implementation of Substitute House Bill No. 1694 (reauthorizing the agency council on coordinated transportation). If Substitute House Bill No. 1694 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

30 (9) ((\$136,000)) \$504,000 of the multimodal transportation 31 account--private/local appropriation is provided solely for the 32 implementation of Senate Bill No. 5084 (updating rail transit safety 33 plans). If Senate Bill No. 5084 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the 34 amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

35 (10) \$60,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 36 appropriation is provided solely for low-income car ownership programs. 37 The department shall collaborate with interested regional 38 transportation planning organizations and metropolitan planning 1 organizations to determine the effectiveness of the programs at 2 providing transportation solutions for low-income persons who depend 3 upon cars to travel to their places of employment.

4 (11) \$1,000,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state
5 appropriation is provided solely for additional funding for the trip
6 reduction performance program, including telework enhancement projects.
7 Funds are appropriated for one time only.

8 (12) ((\$2,000,000)) \$2,309,000 of the multimodal transportation
 9 account--state appropriation is provided solely for the tri-county
 10 connection service for Island, Skagit, and Whatcom transit agencies.

(13) \$150,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state 11 12 appropriation is provided solely as a grant for a telework pilot 13 project to be developed, administered, and monitored by the Kitsap 14 regional coordinating council. Funds are appropriated for one time only. The primary purposes of the pilot project are to educate 15 employers about telecommuting, develop telework policies and resources 16 17 for employers, and reduce traffic congestion by encouraging teleworking in the workplace. As part of the pilot project, the council shall 18 recruit public and private sector employer participants throughout the 19 county, identify telework sites, develop an employer's toolkit 20 consisting of teleworking resources, and create a telecommuting 21 template that may be applied in other communities. The council shall 2.2 submit to the legislature by July 1, 2009, a summary of the program 23 24 results and any recommendations for future telework strategies.

25 **Sec. 224.** 2007 c 518 s 225 (uncodified) is amended to read as 26 follows:

27 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--MARINE--PROGRAM X

Puget Sound Ferry Operations Account--State 28 29 30 \$425,009,000 31 Multimodal Transportation Account--State 32 33 \$1,914,000 34 35 \$426,923,000

The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: (1) ((\$79,191,000)) \$90,299,000 of the Puget Sound ferry
 operations--state appropriation is provided solely for auto ferry
 vessel operating fuel in the 2007-2009 biennium.

4 (2) The Washington state ferries must work with the department's 5 information technology division to implement an electronic fare system, 6 including the integration of the regional fare coordination system 7 (smart card). Each December and June, semiannual updates must be 8 provided to the transportation committees of the legislature concerning 9 the status of implementing and completing this project, with updates 10 concluding the first December after full project implementation.

(3) The Washington state ferries shall continue to provide serviceto Sidney, British Columbia.

13 (4) ((\$1,830,000)) <u>\$1,914,000</u> of the multimodal transportation 14 account--state appropriation is provided solely to provide 15 passenger-only ferry service. The ferry system shall continue passenger-only ferry service from Vashon Island to Seattle through June 16 17 30, 2008. Ferry system management shall continue to implement its agreement with the inlandboatmen's union of the pacific and the 18 international organization of masters, mates and pilots providing for 19 part-time passenger-only work schedules. 20

(5) \$932,000 of the Puget Sound ferries operations account--state appropriation is provided solely for compliance with department of ecology rules regarding the transfer of oil on or near state waters. Funding for compliance with on-board fueling rules is provided for the 2008 fiscal year. The department may request funding for the 2009 fiscal year if the request is submitted with an alternative compliance plan filed with the department of ecology, as allowed by rule.

(6) \$1,116,000 of the Puget Sound ferry operations account--state appropriation is provided solely for ferry security operations necessary to comply with the ferry security plan submitted by the Washington state ferry system to the United States coast guard. The department shall track security costs and expenditures. Ferry security operations costs shall not be included as part of the operational costs that are used to calculate farebox recovery.

35 (7) \$378,000 of the Puget Sound ferry operations account--state 36 appropriation is provided solely to meet the United States coast guard 37 requirements for appropriate rest hours between shifts for vessel crews 38 on the Bainbridge to Seattle and Edmonds to Kingston ferry routes.

(8) \$694,000 of the Puget Sound ferries operating account--state 1 2 appropriation is provided solely for implementing Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2358 as follows: 3

(a) The department shall allow the joint transportation committee 4 work group established in section 205(1) of this act to participate in 5 the following elements as they are described in Engrossed Substitute 6 7 House Bill No. 2358:

(i) Development and implementation of a survey of ferry customers; 8 (ii) Analysis and reestablishment of vehicle level of service 9 standards. In reestablishing the standards, consideration shall be 10 given to whether boat wait is the appropriate measure. The level of 11 service standard shall be reestablished in conjunction with or after 12 13 the survey has been implemented;

(iii) Development of pricing policy proposals. In developing these 14 policies, the policies, in effect on some routes, of collecting fares 15 in only one direction shall be evaluated to determine whether one-way 16 17 fare pricing best serves the ferry system. The pricing policy proposals must be developed in conjunction with or after the survey has 18 been implemented; 19

(iv) Development of operational strategies. 20 The operational 21 strategies shall be reestablished in conjunction with the survey or 22 after the survey has been implemented;

(v) Development of terminal design standards. The terminal design 23 24 standards shall be finalized after the provisions of subsections (a)(i) through (iv) and subsection (b) of this section have been developed and 25 reviewed by the joint transportation committee; and 26

27 (vi) Development of a capital plan. The capital plan shall be finalized after terminal design standards have been developed by the 28 department and reviewed by the joint transportation committee. 29

(b) The department shall develop a ridership demand forecast that 30 31 shall be used in the development of a long-range capital plan. If more 32 than one forecast is developed they must be reconciled.

(c) The department shall update the life cycle cost model to meet 33 the requirements of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2358 no later 34 than August 1, 2007. 35

(d) The department shall develop a cost allocation methodology 36 37 proposal to meet the requirements described in Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2358. The proposal shall be completed and presented to
 the joint transportation committee no later than August 1, 2007.

3 (9) \$200,000 of the Puget Sound ferry operations account--state 4 appropriation is provided solely for the initial acquisition of 5 transportation worker identification credentials required by the United 6 States department of homeland security for unescorted access to secure 7 areas of ferries and terminals.

8 (10) The legislature finds that a rigorous incident investigation 9 process is an essential component of marine safety. The department is 10 directed to review its accident and incident investigation procedures 11 and report the results of its review with any proposals for changes to 12 the legislature by November 1, 2008.

13 sec. 225. 2007 c 518 s 226 (uncodified) is amended to read as
14 follows:

15 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--RAIL--PROGRAM Y--OPERATING

16 Multimodal Transportation Account--State

 17
 Appropriation
 ((\$37,034,000))

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 \$37,012,000

19 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 20 conditions and limitations:

(1) The department shall publish a final long-range plan for Amtrak Cascades by September 30, 2007. By December 31, 2008, the department shall submit to the office of financial management and the transportation committees of the legislature a midrange plan for Amtrak Cascades that identifies specific steps the department would propose to achieve additional service beyond current levels.

(2)(a) \$29,091,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation is provided solely for the Amtrak service contract and Talgo maintenance contract associated with providing and maintaining the state-supported passenger rail service. Upon completion of the rail platform project in the city of Stanwood, the department shall provide daily Amtrak Cascades service to the city.

33 (b) The department shall negotiate with Amtrak and Burlington
34 Northern Santa Fe to adjust the Amtrak Cascades schedule to leave
35 Bellingham at a significantly earlier hour.

36 (c) When Amtrak Cascades expands the second roundtrip between

Vancouver, B.C. and Seattle, the department shall negotiate for the
 second roundtrip to leave Bellingham southbound no later than 8:30 a.m.
 (3) No Amtrak Cascade runs may be eliminated.

4 (4) \$40,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state
5 appropriation is provided solely for the produce railcar program. The
6 department is encouraged to implement the produce railcar program by
7 maximizing private investment.

8 (5) The department shall begin planning for a third roundtrip 9 Cascades train between Seattle and Vancouver, B.C. by 2010.

sec. 226. 2007 c 518 s 227 (uncodified) is amended to read as 10 11 follows: 12 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--LOCAL PROGRAMS--PROGRAM Z--OPERATING 13 14 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$8,630,000)) 15 \$8,745,000 16 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation \$2,567,000 17 TOTAL APPROPRIATION $((\frac{11,197,000}))$ 18 \$11,312,000 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 19 20 conditions and limitations: The department of transportation shall provide up to \$3,450,000 in toll credits to Kitsap transit for 21 passenger-only ferry service. The number of toll credits provided to 22 Kitsap transit must be equal to, but no more than, a number sufficient 23 24 to meet federal match requirements for grant funding for passenger-only ferry service, but shall not exceed the amount authorized under this 25 26 section. The department may not allocate, grant, or utilize any state or state appropriated or managed federal funds as match to the federal 27 grant funding on projects to which these toll credits are applied. 28

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TRANSPORTATION AGENCIES -- CAPITAL

30 Sec. 301. 2007 c 518 s 301 (uncodified) is amended to read as 31 follows: 32 FOR THE WASHINGTON STATE PATROL 33 State Patrol Highway Account--State Appropriation . . . ((\$2,934,000))

33 State Patrol Highway Account-State Appropriation . . $((\frac{52,934,000}{54,234,000}))$ 34 $\frac{$4,234,000}{54,234,000}$ 1 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 2 conditions and limitations:

(1) \$2,200,000 is provided solely for the following minor works 3 \$195,000 for HVAC renovation at the Chehalis, Kelso, 4 projects: Okanogan, and Ellensburg detachments; \$50,000 for roof replacements at 5 the Toppenish, SeaTac NB, SeaTac SB, and Plymouth weigh stations; 6 \$35,000 for replacement of the Shelton academy roof drain and 7 downspout; \$100,000 for parking lot repairs at Okanogan, Goldendale, 8 Ritzville, and Moses Lake detachment offices and the Wenatchee 6 9 headquarters; \$290,000 for replacement of the weigh station scales at 10 Brady and Artic; \$152,000 for carpet replacement at the Ritzville, 11 12 Moses Lake, Morton, Kelso, Chehalis, Walla Walla, Kennewick, South 13 King, and Hoquiam detachment offices; \$185,000 for HVAC replacement at 14 Tacoma and Marysville detachment offices; \$330,000 for repair and upgrade of the Bellevue tower; \$473,000 for replacement of twenty-one 15 communication site underground fuel tanks; \$240,000 for replacement of 16 17 communication site buildings at Lind, Scoggans Mountain, and Lewiston 18 Ridge; and \$150,000 for unforeseen emergency repairs.

(2) \$687,000 is provided solely for design and construction of regional waste water treatment systems for the Shelton academy of the Washington state patrol.

(3) \$47,000 is provided solely for predesign of a single, consolidated aviation facility at the Olympia airport to house the fixed wing operations of the Washington state patrol, the department of natural resources (DNR), and the department of fish and wildlife, and the rotary operations of the DNR.

27 (4) \$1,300,000 of the state patrol highway account--state appropriation is provided solely for the acquisition of land adjacent 28 to the Shelton training academy for anticipated expansion; however, the 29 amount provided in this subsection is contingent on the Washington 30 state patrol adding a surcharge to the rates charged to any other 31 agency or entity that uses the academy in an amount sufficient to 32 defray a share of the expansion costs that is proportionate to the 33 relative volume of use of the academy by such agencies or entities. 34 The surcharge imposed must be sufficient to recover the requisite 35 36 portion of the academy expansion costs within ten years of the 37 effective date of this subsection.

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sec. 302. 2007 c 518 s 302 (uncodified) is amended to read as 1 2 follows: FOR THE COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATION BOARD 3 Rural Arterial Trust Account--State Appropriation . . . \$64,000,000 4 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$2,368,000)) 5 \$2,370,000 6 County Arterial Preservation Account--State 7 8 9 \$32,641,000 10 11 \$99,011,000 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 12 conditions and limitations: 13 (1) ((\$2,069,000)) \$2,370,000 of the motor vehicle account--state 14 15 appropriation may be used for county ((ferries. The board shall review the requests for county ferry funding in consideration with other 16 projects funded from the board. If the board determines these projects 17 are a priority over the projects in the rural arterial and county 18 19 arterial preservation grant programs, then they may provide funding for 20 these requests)) ferry projects as set forth in RCW 47.56.725(4). 21 (2) The appropriations contained in this section include funding to counties to assist them in efforts to recover from winter storm and 2.2 flood damage, by providing capitalization advances and local match for 23 24 federal emergency funding as determined by the county road administration board. The county road administration board shall 25 specifically identify any such selected projects and shall include 26 information concerning them in its next annual report to the 27

28 <u>legislature</u>.

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 \$5,900,000

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 Urban Arterial Trust Account--State Appropriation . ((\$129,600,000))

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 \$128,200,000

37 Transportation Improvement Account--State

5 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 6 conditions and limitations:

7 (1) The transportation improvement account--state appropriation
8 includes up to \$7,143,000 in proceeds from the sale of bonds authorized
9 in RCW 47.26.500.

10 (2) The urban arterial trust account--state appropriation includes 11 up to \$15,000,000 in proceeds from the sale of bonds authorized in 12 Substitute House Bill No. 2394. If Substitute House Bill No. 2394 is 13 not enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection 14 shall lapse.

15 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 304. A new section is added to 2007 c 518 (uncodified) to read as follows:

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION. The nickel and transportation 17 partnership revenue packages were created in 2003 and 2005 to finance 18 19 transportation construction over a sixteen year period. Since the 20 adoption of the 2003 and 2005 transportation project lists, significant cost increases have resulted from extraordinary inflation. At the same 21 22 time, motor vehicle fuel prices have risen dramatically, and state and federal gas tax revenues dedicated to paying for these programs are 23 forecasted to decrease over the sixteen year time period. Additional 24 25 cost increases and eroding revenues will be difficult, if not 26 impossible, to accommodate in the sixteen year financial plan.

27 As part of its budget submittal for the 2009-2011 biennium, the department of transportation shall prepare information regarding the 28 nickel and transportation partnership funded projects for consideration 29 the office of financial 30 bv management and the legislative transportation committees that: 31

32 (1) Compares the original project cost estimates approved in the 33 2003 and 2005 project list to the completed cost of the project, or the 34 most recent legislatively approved budget and total project costs for 35 projects not yet completed;

36 (2) Identifies highway projects that may be reduced in scope and 37 still achieve a functional benefit; (3) Identifies highway projects that have experienced scope
 increases and that can be reduced in scope;

3 (4) Identifies highway projects that have lost significant local or 4 regional contributions which were essential to completing the project; 5 and

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(5) Identifies contingency amounts allocated to projects.

7 Sec. 305. 2007 c 518 s 304 (uncodified) is amended to read as 8 follows:

9 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--PROGRAM D (DEPARTMENT OF 10 TRANSPORTATION-ONLY PROJECTS)--CAPITAL

 11
 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$6,202,000))

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 \$7,157,000

13 The appropriation in this section is subject to the following 14 conditions and limitations:

(1) \$584,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is for statewide administration.

17 (2) ((\$750,000)) \$803,000 of the motor vehicle account--state 18 appropriation is for regional minor projects.

(3) \$568,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation isfor the Olympic region headquarters property payments.

(4) By September 1, 2007, the department shall submit to the transportation committees of the legislature predesign plans, developed using the office of financial management's predesign process, for all facility replacement projects to be proposed in the facilities 2008 budget proposal.

(5) \$1,600,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is
 for site acquisition for the Tri-cities area maintenance facility.

(6) \$2,700,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is
 for site acquisition for the Vancouver light industrial facility.

30 (7) The department shall work with the office of financial 31 management and staff of the transportation committees of the 32 legislature to develop a statewide inventory of all department-owned 33 surplus property that is suitable for development for department 34 facilities or that should be sold. By December 1, 2008, the department 35 shall report to the joint transportation committee on the findings of 36 this study.

2 for reimbursing the miscellaneous transportation programs account for expenditures for the Olympic region headquarters complex that were 3 incurred in the 2005-07 biennium. 4 5 Sec. 306. 2007 c 518 s 305 (uncodified) is amended to read as б follows: 7 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--IMPROVEMENTS--PROGRAM I 8 Transportation Partnership Account--State 9 10 \$1,117,857,000 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$82,045,000)) 11 12 \$84,345,000 13 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation ((\$404,090,000)) \$458,332,000 14 15 Motor Vehicle Account--Private/Local 16 17 \$64,487,000 18 Special Category C Account--State Appropriation . . . ((\$29,968,000)) 19 \$29,125,000 20 Multimodal Transportation Account--Federal 21 Tacoma Narrows Toll Bridge Account--State 2.2 23 24 \$32,277,000 Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account)--State 25 26 27 \$1,147,530,000 ((Freight Congestion Relief Account-State 28 29 Freight Mobility Multimodal Account--State 30 31 32 33 \$3,020,261,000 34 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: 35 (1) Except as provided otherwise in this section, the entire 36 transportation 2003 account (nickel account) appropriation and the 37

(8) \$902,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is

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entire transportation partnership account appropriation are provided 1 2 solely for the projects and activities as listed by fund, project, and amount in LEAP Transportation Document ((2007-1)) 2008-1, Highway 3 Improvement Program (I) as developed ((April 20, 2007)) February 25, 4 However, limited transfers of specific line-item project 5 2008. appropriations may occur between projects for those amounts listed 6 subject to the conditions and limitations in section 603 of this act. 7

(2) The department shall not commence construction on any part of 8 the state route number 520 bridge replacement and HOV project until a 9 10 record of decision has been reached providing reasonable assurance that project impacts will be avoided, minimized, or mitigated as much as 11 12 practicable to protect against further adverse impacts on neighborhood 13 environmental quality as a result of repairs and improvements made to 14 the state route 520 bridge and its connecting roadways, and that any such impacts will be addressed through engineering design choices, 15 mitigation measures, or a combination of both. 16 The requirements of 17 this section shall not apply to off-site pontoon construction supporting the state route number 520 bridge replacement and HOV 18 project. 19

(3) Within the amounts provided in this section, ((\$1,991,000)) 20 21 \$1,895,000 of the transportation partnership account--state appropriation, ((\$1,656,000)) \$2,147,000 of the motor vehicle account--22 appropriation, and ((\$8,343,000)) \$10,331,000 23 federal of the 24 transportation 2003 account (nickel account) -- state appropriation are 25 for project 109040T as identified in the LEAP transportation document 26 referenced in subsection (1) of this section: I-90/Two Way Transit-27 Transit and HOV Improvements - Stage 1. Expenditure of the funds on construction is contingent upon revising the access plan for Mercer 28 Island traffic such that Mercer Island traffic will have access to the 29 outer roadway high occupancy vehicle (HOV) lanes during the period of 30 operation of such lanes following the removal of Mercer Island traffic 31 32 from the center roadway and prior to conversion of the outer roadway HOV lanes to high occupancy toll (HOT) lanes. Sound transit may only 33 have access to the center lanes when alternative R8A is complete. 34

35 (4) The Tacoma Narrows toll bridge account--state appropriation 36 includes up to $((\frac{131,016,000}{}))$ \$18,000,000 in proceeds from the sale 37 of bonds authorized by RCW 47.10.843.

(5) The funding described in this section includes ((\$8,095,541))1 2 \$36,693,000 of the transportation 2003 account (nickel account)--state appropriation and ((\$237,241 of the motor vehicle account- 3 private/local)) \$208,000 of the freight mobility multimodal account --4 state appropriation, which are for the SR 519 project identified as 5 project number 851902A in the LEAP Transportation Document referenced 6 7 in subsection (1) of this section. The total project is expected to cost no more than \$74,400,000 including ((\$11,950,000)) <u>\$10,402,000</u> in 8 9 contributions from project partners.

10 (6) To promote and support community-specific noise reduction 11 solutions, the department shall:

12 (a) Prepare a draft directive that establishes how each community's 13 priorities and concerns may be identified and addressed in order to 14 allow consideration of a community's preferred methods of advanced visual shielding and aesthetic screening, for the purpose of improving 15 the noise environment of major state roadway projects in locations that 16 17 do not meet the criteria for standard noise barriers. The intent is for these provisions to be supportable by existing project budgets. 18 The directive shall also include direction on the coordination and 19 selection of visual and aesthetic options with local communities. 20 The 21 draft directive shall be provided to the standing transportation 22 committees of the legislature by January 2008; and

(b) Pilot the draft directive established in (a) of this subsection 23 24 in two locations along major state roadways. If practicable, the 25 department should begin work on the pilot projects while the directive is being developed. One pilot project shall be located in Clark county 26 27 on a significant capacity improvement project. The second pilot project shall be located in urban King county, which shall be on a 28 corridor highway project through mixed land use areas that is nearing 29 or under construction. The department shall provide a written report 30 to the standing transportation committees of the legislature on the 31 32 findings of the Clark county pilot project by January 2009, and the King county pilot project by January 2010. Based on results of the 33 pilot projects, the department shall update its design manual, 34 environmental procedures, or other appropriate documents to incorporate 35 the directive. 36

37 (((8))) <u>(7)</u> If the "Green Highway" provisions of Engrossed Second 38 Substitute House Bill No. 1303 (cleaner energy) are enacted, the 1 department shall erect signs on the interstate highways included in 2 those provisions noting that these interstates have been designated 3 "Washington Green Highways."

4 (((9))) <u>(8)</u> If on the I-405/I-90 to SE 8th Street Widening project 5 the department finds that there is an alternative investment to 6 preserve reliable rail accessibility to major manufacturing sites 7 within the I-405 corridor that are less expensive than replacing the 8 Wilburton Tunnel, the department may enter into the necessary 9 agreements to implement that alternative provided that costs remain 10 within the approved project budget.

11 (((11))) <u>(9)</u> The department shall apply for surface transportation 12 program (STP) enhancement funds to be expended in lieu of or in 13 addition to state funds for eligible costs of projects in Programs I 14 and P, including, but not limited to, the SR 518, SR 519, SR 520, and 15 Alaskan Way Viaduct projects.

16 (((12))) (10) \$250,000 of the motor vehicle account--state 17 appropriation ((is)) and \$213,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation are provided solely for an inland pacific hub study to 18 develop an inland corridor for the movement of freight and goods to and 19 through eastern Washington; and \$500,000 of the motor vehicle account --20 21 state appropriation is provided solely for the SR3/SR16 corridor study 22 to plan and prioritize state and local improvements needed over the next 10-20 years to support safety, capacity development, and economic 23 24 development within the corridor.

(((13))) (11) The department shall, on a quarterly basis beginning 25 July 1, 2007, provide to the office of financial management and the 26 27 legislature reports providing the status on each active project funded in part or whole by the transportation 2003 account (nickel account) or 28 the transportation partnership account. Funding provided at a 29 level for transportation partnership account and 30 programmatic 31 transportation 2003 account (nickel account) projects relating to 32 bridge rail, guard rail, fish passage barrier removal, and roadside safety projects should be reported on a programmatic basis. Projects 33 within this programmatic level funding should be completed on a 34 priority basis and scoped to be completed within the current 35 programmatic budget. Other projects may be reported on a programmatic 36 37 basis. The department shall work with the office of financial management and the transportation committees of the legislature to 38

agree on report formatting and elements. Elements shall include, but not be limited to, project scope, schedule, and costs. The department shall also provide the information required under this subsection on a quarterly basis via the transportation executive information systems (TEIS).

6 (((14))) <u>(12)</u> The department shall apply for the competitive 7 portion of federal transit administration funds for eligible transit-8 related costs of the SR 520 bridge replacement and HOV project. The 9 federal funds described in this subsection shall not include those 10 federal transit administration funds distributed by formula.

11 (((15))) (13) Funding provided by this act for the Alaskan Way 12 Viaduct project shall not be spent for preliminary engineering, design, 13 right-of-way acquisition, or construction on the project if completion 14 of the project would more likely than not reduce the capacity of the 15 facility. Capacity shall be measured by including the consideration of 16 the efficient movement of people and goods on the facility.

17 (((16))) <u>(14)</u> The governor shall convene a collaborative process 18 involving key leaders to determine the final project design for the 19 Alaskan Way Viaduct.

(a) The process shall be guided by the following common principles:
Public safety must be maintained; the final project shall meet both
capacity and mobility needs; and taxpayer dollars must be spent
responsibly.

24 (b) The state's project expenditures shall not exceed 25 \$2,800,000,000.

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(c) A final design decision shall be made by December 31, 2008.

27 ((((17))) (15) During the 2007-09 biennium, the department shall proceed with a series of projects on the Alaskan Way Viaduct that are 28 common to any design alternative. Those projects include relocation of 29 two electrical transmission lines, Battery Street tunnel upgrades, 30 seismic upgrades from Lenora to the Battery Street tunnel, viaduct 31 32 removal from Holgate to King Street, and development of transit enhancements and other improvements to mitigate congestion during 33 construction. However, the department shall not be responsible for 34 funding any cost increases on any early action projects for which it is 35 not the lead agency, and funds shall not be expended by the department 36 37 on the early action item project six - transit enhancements and other capital improvements until the following conditions have been met: 38

1 (a) The city of Seattle signs an agreement with the department 2 waiving construction permit fees and lost parking meter revenue that 3 will likely occur during construction of the Alaskan Way viaduct 4 replacement projects; and

5 (b) The city of Seattle and the department determine the 6 appropriate cost allocation for public utilities removal and 7 replacement on the Alaskan Way viaduct replacement project, and report 8 to the joint transportation committee by September 30, 2008, on a 9 proposed cost sharing allocation.

(((18) The entire freight congestion relief account-state 10 appropriation is contingent upon the enactment during the 2007-2009 11 12 fiscal biennium of a bill, resulting from the study established in 13 Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207, that makes available funding to 14 support project expenditures funded from the freight congestion relief account created in Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207. If such a funding 15 bill is not enacted by June 30, 2009, the entire freight congestion 16 17 relief account--state appropriation shall lapse.

18 (19))) (16) The transportation 2003 account (nickel account)--state 19 appropriation includes up to ((\$874,610,000)) \$817,264,000 in proceeds 20 from the sale of bonds authorized by RCW 47.10.861.

21 $((\frac{20}{17}))$ <u>(17)</u> The transportation partnership account--state 22 appropriation includes up to $((\frac{900,000,000}{100}))$ <u>\$722,170,000</u> in proceeds 23 from the sale of bonds authorized in RCW 47.10.873.

(((21))) <u>(18)</u> The special category C account--state appropriation includes up to ((\$22,080,000)) <u>\$22,517,000</u> in proceeds from the sale of bonds authorized in Substitute House Bill No. 2394. If Substitute House Bill No. 2394 is not enacted by June 30, 2007, the amount provided in this subsection shall lapse.

29 (((22))) <u>(19)</u> \$4,500,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal 30 appropriation is provided solely for cost increases on the SR 31 304/Bremerton tunnel project.

32 (((23) \$3,000,000)) (20) \$2,071,000 of the motor vehicle account-33 ((state)) federal appropriation is provided solely for initial design
34 and right of way work on a new southbound SR 509 to eastbound SR 518
35 freeway-to-freeway elevated ramp.

36 (((24))) <u>(21)</u> \$500,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal 37 appropriation to the SR 543/I-5 to Canadian border project is provided 38 solely for retaining wall facia improvements. 1 (((25) \$1,400,000)) (22) \$950,000 of the motor vehicle account--2 federal appropriation ((is)) and \$24,000 of the motor vehicle 3 account--state appropriation are provided solely for the Westview 4 school noise wall.

5 (((26))) <u>(23)</u> \$1,600,000 of the motor vehicle account--((federal)) 6 <u>state</u> appropriation is provided solely for two noise walls on SR 161 in 7 King county.

8 (((27))) <u>(24)</u> ((\$900,000)) <u>\$20,000</u> of the motor vehicle account-9 state appropriation and ((\$100,000)) <u>\$280,000</u> of the motor vehicle 10 account--federal appropriation are provided solely for interchange 11 design and planning work on US 12 at A street and tank farm road.

12 (25) The funding described in this section includes \$19,939,000 of 13 the transportation partnership account--state appropriation, \$29,000 of 14 the motor vehicle account--state appropriation, \$308,000 of the motor vehicle account--private/local appropriation, and \$17,900,000 of the 15 16 motor vehicle account--federal appropriation for the I-5/Columbia river 17 crossing/Vancouver project. The funding described in this subsection includes up to \$15,000,000 awarded to Washington and Oregon jointly 18 through the U.S. department of transportation corridors of the future 19 program in the 2007 federal highway authority discretionary fund 20 21 allocations.

22 (26) The department shall study any outstanding issues, including financial issues that may apply to the I-5/Columbia river 23 24 crossing/Vancouver project. The department's efforts must include an analysis of current bi-state efforts in planning, coordination, and 25 funding for the project; opportunities for the joining of state and 26 local government agencies and the private sector in a strong 27 partnership that contributes to the completion of the project; and 28 opportunities to work with the congressional delegations of Oregon and 29 Washington to provide federal funding and other assistance that will 30 advance this project of national and regional significance. 31

32 (27) \$1,500,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation 33 and \$4,908,000 of the transportation partnership account--state 34 appropriation are provided solely for project 109040Q as identified in 35 the LEAP transportation document in subsection (1) of this section: 36 I-90/Two-Way Transit-Transit and HOV Improvements, Stages 2 and 3. Of 37 these amounts, up to \$550,000 of the transportation partnership 38 account--state appropriation is to provide funding for an independent

technical review, overseen by the joint transportation committee, of 1 2 light rail impacts on the Interstate 90 - Homer Hadley Floating Bridge. The technical review shall complement sound transit's current and 3 planned engineering design work to expand light rail in the central 4 Puget Sound region. The department shall coordinate its work with 5 sound transit and seek contributions from sound transit for the review. 6 7 (28) \$700,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation is provided solely for a westbound passing lane west of Sultan on US 8 Highway 2. Additional project funding of \$4,300,000 is assumed in the 9 10 2009-2011 biennium, bringing the total project funding to \$5,000,000. This high priority safety project will provide a safe passing lane, 11 12 reducing head-on and crossover collisions as well as improving safety 13 and mobility.

Sec. 307. 2007 c 518 s 306 (uncodified) is amended to read as 14 15 follows: 16 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--PRESERVATION--PROGRAM P 17 Transportation Partnership Account--State 18 19 \$181,666,000 20 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$71,392,000)) 21 \$86,540,000 22 Motor Vehicle Account--Federal Appropriation ((\$425,161,000)) 23 \$463,338,000 24 Motor Vehicle Account--Private/Local Appropriation . . ((\$15,285,000)) 25 \$18,138,000 26 Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account) -- State 27 28 \$11,136,000 29 Puyallup Tribal Settlement Account--State 30 31 \$12,500,000 32 33 \$773,318,000 34 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: 35 (1) Except as provided otherwise in this section, the entire 36 transportation 2003 account (nickel account) appropriation and the 37

entire transportation partnership account appropriation are provided solely for the projects and activities as listed by fund, project, and amount in LEAP Transportation Document ((2007-1)) 2008-1, Highway Preservation Program (P) as developed ((April 20, 2007)) February 25, 2008. However, limited transfers of specific line-item project appropriations may occur between projects for those amounts listed subject to the conditions and limitations in section 603 of this act.

8 (2) ((\$295,000)) \$287,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal 9 appropriation and ((\$5,000)) \$11,000 of the motor vehicle account--10 state appropriation are provided solely for the department to determine 11 the most cost efficient way to replace the current Keller ferry. 12 Options reviewed shall not include an expansion of the current capacity 13 of the Keller ferry.

14 (3) ((\$5,513,000)) \$5,308,000 of the transportation partnership account--state appropriation is provided solely for the purposes of 15 settling all identified and potential claims from the Lower Elwha 16 17 Klallam Tribe related to the construction of a graving dock facility on the graving dock property. In the matter of Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe 18 et al v. State et al, Thurston county superior court, cause no. 19 05-2-01595-8, the Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe and the state of Washington 20 21 entered into a settlement agreement that settles all claims related to graving dock property and associated construction and releases the 22 state from all claims related to the construction of the graving dock 23 24 facilities. The expenditure of this appropriation is contingent on the 25 conditions and limitations set forth in subsections (a) and (b) of this subsection. 26

(a) \$2,000,000 of the transportation partnership account--state
appropriation is provided solely for the benefit of the Lower Elwha
Klallam Tribe to be disbursed by the department in accordance with
terms and conditions of the settlement agreement.

31 (b) ((\$3,513,000)) \$3,308,000 of the transportation partnership 32 account--state appropriation is provided solely for the department's 33 remediation work on the graving dock property in accordance with the 34 terms and conditions of the settlement agreement.

(4) The department shall apply for surface transportation program
 (STP) enhancement funds to be expended in lieu of or in addition to
 state funds for eligible costs of projects in Programs I and P,

including, but not limited to, the SR 518, SR 519, SR 520, and Alaskan
 Way Viaduct projects.

(5) The department shall, on a quarterly basis beginning July 1, 3 2007, provide to the office of financial management and the legislature 4 reports providing the status on each active project funded in part or 5 whole by the transportation 2003 account (nickel account) or the 6 7 transportation partnership account. Funding provided at a programmatic level for transportation partnership account projects relating to 8 9 seismic bridges should be reported on a programmatic basis. Projects 10 within this programmatic level funding should be completed on a priority basis and scoped to be completed within the current 11 programmatic budget. Other projects may be reported on a programmatic 12 13 The department shall work with the office of financial basis. 14 management and the transportation committees of the legislature to agree on report formatting and elements. Elements shall include, but 15 not be limited to, project scope, schedule, and costs. The department 16 17 shall also provide the information required under this subsection on a quarterly basis via the transportation executive information systems 18 (TEIS). 19

(6) The department of transportation shall continue to implement the lowest life cycle cost planning approach to pavement management throughout the state to encourage the most effective and efficient use of pavement preservation funds. Emphasis should be placed on increasing the number of roads addressed on time and reducing the number of roads past due.

26 (7) $((\frac{2,604,501}))$ $\frac{13,257,000}{0}$ of the motor vehicle account--27 federal appropriation and $((\frac{3,000,000}))$ $\frac{55,000,000}{0}$ of the motor 28 vehicle account--state appropriation are for expenditures on damaged 29 state roads due to flooding, mudslides, rock fall, or other unforeseen 30 events.

(8) ((\$9,665)) \$188,000 of the motor vehicle account--state appropriation, ((\$12,652,812)) \$28,749,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation, and ((\$138,174,581)) \$105,653,000 of the transportation partnership account--state appropriation are provided solely for the Hood Canal bridge project.

36 (9) \$12,500,000 of the Puyallup tribal settlement account--state 37 appropriation is provided solely for mitigation costs associated with 38 the Murray Morgan/11th Street Bridge demolition. The department may

negotiate with the city of Tacoma for the purpose of transferring 1 ownership of the Murray Morgan/11th Street Bridge to the city. If the 2 city agrees to accept ownership of the bridge, the department may use 3 the Puyallup tribal settlement account appropriation and other 4 appropriated funds for bridge rehabilitation, bridge replacement, 5 bridge demolition, and related mitigation. In no event shall the 6 department's participation exceed \$27,451,000. No funds may be 7 expended unless the city of Tacoma agrees to take ownership of the 8 bridge in its entirety and provides that the payment of these funds 9 extinguishes any real or implied agreements regarding future bridge 10 expenditures. 11

12 Sec. 308. 2007 c 518 s 307 (uncodified) is amended to read as 13 follows: 14 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--TRAFFIC OPERATIONS--PROGRAM Q--

The appropriations in this section are subject to the following conditions and limitations: The motor vehicle account--state appropriation includes ((\$8,\$33,000)) \$8,959,335 provided solely for state matching funds for federally selected competitive grant or congressional earmark projects. These moneys shall be placed into reserve status until such time as federal funds are secured that require a state match.

29 sec. 309. 2007 c 518 s 308 (uncodified) is amended to read as 30 follows: 31 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--WASHINGTON STATE FERRIES 32 CONSTRUCTION--PROGRAM W 33 Puget Sound Capital Construction Account--State 34 \$143,155,000 35 Puget Sound Capital Construction Account--Federal 36

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1 2 \$43,979,000 3 Puget Sound Capital Construction Account --4 Multimodal Transportation Account--State 5 6 Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account)--State 7 8 9 \$51,431,000 10 \$244,754,000 11

12 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 13 conditions and limitations:

(1) ((\$6,432,000)) \$36,500,000 of the Puget Sound capital construction account--state appropriation is provided solely for ((emergency capital costs)) project 944470A as identified in the LEAP Transportation Document 2008-1, Ferries Construction Program (W) as developed February 25, 2008, for the construction of three marine vessels to replace the steel electric auto ferry vessels. The document includes a total of \$84,500,000 for these replacement vessels.

21 (2) ((\$16,567,000)) \$22,922,823 of the Puget Sound capital construction account--state appropriation ((and)), \$4,100,000 of the 2.2 multimodal transportation account--state appropriation, \$5,410,000 of 23 24 the transportation 2003 account (nickel account) -- state appropriation, \$4,490,000 of the Puget Sound capital construction account--federal 25 appropriation, and \$2,089,000 of the Puget Sound capital construction 26 account--private/local appropriation are provided solely for the 27 28 terminal projects listed:

(a) Anacortes ferry terminal - utilities work; right-of-way purchase for a holding area during construction; and completion of design and permitting on the terminal building, pick-up and drop-off sites, ((and)) pedestrian and bicycle facilities, and paving;

33 (b) Bainbridge Island ferry terminal - environmental planning <u>and</u> 34 <u>a traffic signalization project in the vicinity of SR 305 Harborview</u> 35 <u>drive</u>;

36 (c) Bremerton ferry terminal - overhead loading control system and 37 moving the terminal agent's office;

38 (d) Clinton ferry terminal - septic system replacement;

1 (e) Edmonds ferry terminal - right-of-way acquisition costs
2 ((and)), federal match requirements, and removal of Unocal Pier;

(f) Friday Harbor ferry terminal - parking resurfacing;

4 (g) Keystone and Port Townsend ferry terminals - route 5 environmental planning;

6 (h) Kingston ferry terminal - transfer span retrofit and overhead 7 vehicle holding control system modifications;

8 (i) Mukilteo ferry terminal - right-of-way acquisition,
9 archaeological studies, ((and)) environmental planning, and additional
10 vehicle holding;

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(j) <u>Orcas ferry terminal - dolphin replacement;</u>

12 (k) Port Townsend ferry terminal - wingwall replacement, interim 13 holding, tie-up slip, and initial reservation system;

14 (((k))) <u>(1)</u> Seattle ferry terminal - environmental planning, 15 coordination with local jurisdictions, ((and)) coordination with 16 highway projects, and contractor payment for automated re-entry gates; 17 ((and)

18 (1)) (m) Southworth ferry terminal - federal grant to conduct
19 preliminary studies and planning for a 2nd operating slip; and

20 <u>(n)</u> Vashon Island and Seattle ferry terminals - modify the 21 passenger-only facilities.

(((4) \$76,525,000)) (3) \$46,020,666 of the transportation 2003 account (nickel account)--state appropriation and ((\$50,985,000)) \$3,750,000 of the Puget Sound capital construction account--((state)) federal appropriation are provided solely for the procurement of ((four)) up to three 144-vehicle auto-passenger ferry vessels.

(((5))) <u>(4)</u> \$18,716,000 of the Puget Sound capital construction account--state appropriation is provided solely for the Eagle Harbor maintenance facility preservation project. These funds may not be used for relocating any warehouses not currently on the Eagle Harbor site.

31 (((6))) (5) The department shall research an asset management 32 system to improve Washington state ferries' management of capital 33 assets and the department's ability to estimate future preservation 34 needs. The department shall report its findings regarding a new asset 35 management system to the governor and the transportation committees of 36 the legislature no later than January 15, 2008.

37 (((7))) <u>(6)</u> The department shall sell the M.V. Chinook and M.V. 38 Snohomish passenger-only fast ferries as soon as practicable and deposit the proceeds of the sales into the passenger ferry account created in RCW 47.60.645. Once the department ceases to provide passenger-only ferry service, the department shall sell the M.V. Kalama and M.V. Skagit passenger-only ferries and deposit the proceeds of the sales into the passenger ferry account created in RCW 47.60.645.

(((8))) (7) The department shall, on a quarterly basis beginning 6 7 July 1, 2007, provide to the office of financial management and the legislature reports providing the status on each project listed in this 8 section and in the project lists submitted pursuant to this act and on 9 10 any additional projects for which the department has expended funds during the 2007-09 fiscal biennium. Elements shall include, but not be 11 12 limited to, project scope, schedule, and costs. The department shall 13 also provide the information required under this subsection via the 14 transportation executive information systems (TEIS).

15 (8) The department of transportation is authorized to sell up to 16 \$90,000,000 in bonds authorized by RCW 47.10.843 for vessel and 17 terminal acquisition, major and minor improvements, and long lead-time 18 materials acquisition for the Washington state ferries.

19 (9) The department shall review the costs and benefits of continued 20 use of the primavera scheduling system in the Washington state ferries 21 marine division and include that review with its 2009-2011 budget 22 submittal.

(10) The department shall review staffing in its capital engineering divisions to ensure core competency in, and a focus on, terminal and vessel preservation, with staffing sufficient to implement the preservation program in the capital plan. The department shall not fill any current or future vacancies in the capital program until the completion of the capital plan.

29 (11) The department shall submit a plan for the disposal or sale of 30 the four steel electric auto-ferry vessels to the joint transportation 31 committee by July 1, 2008.

32 Sec. 310. 2007 c 518 s 309 (uncodified) is amended to read as 33 follows:

34 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION--RAIL--PROGRAM Y--CAPITAL

35 Essential Rail Assistance Account--State Appropriation . . . \$500,000

36 ((Freight Congestion Relief Account-State

1	Transportation Infrastructure AccountState
2	Appropriation
3	<u>\$1,500,000</u>
4	Transportation Infrastructure AccountFederal
5	<u>Appropriation</u>
6	Multimodal Transportation AccountState
7	Appropriation
8	<u>\$165,492,000</u>
9	Multimodal Transportation AccountFederal
10	Appropriation
11	<u>\$33,906,000</u>
12	Multimodal Transportation AccountPrivate/Local
13	Appropriation
14	<u>\$2,659,000</u>
15	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
16	<u>\$204,844,000</u>

17 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 18 conditions and limitations:

(1)(a) Except as provided <u>otherwise</u> in ((subsection (8) of)) this 19 20 section, the entire appropriations in this section are provided solely 21 for the projects and activities as listed by fund, project, and amount in LEAP Transportation Document ((2007-1)) 2008-1, Rail Capital Program 22 (Y) as developed ((April 20, 2007)) <u>February 25, 2008</u>. 23 However, limited transfers of specific line-item project appropriations may 24 25 occur between projects for those amounts listed subject to the conditions and limitations in section 603 of this act. 26

(b) Within the amounts provided in this section, $((\frac{2,500,000}{)})$ 27 28 \$1,500,000 the transportation infrastructure of account--state appropriation ((is)) and \$787,000 of the transportation infrastructure 29 account--federal appropriation are for low-interest loans for rail 30 capital projects through the freight rail investment bank program. The 31 32 department shall issue a call for projects based upon the legislative priorities specified in subsection (7)(a) of this section. Application 33 34 must be received by the department by ((November 1, 2007)) <u>October 1,</u> By ((December 1, 2007)) November 1, 2008, the department shall 35 2008. submit a prioritized list of recommended projects to the office of 36 37 financial management and the transportation committees of the 38 legislature. The department shall award low-interest loans, based upon

the prioritized list of rail capital projects most recently submitted 1 2 to the legislature pursuant to this subsection, as follows: Port of Benton County (\$250,000); Port of Everett (\$250,000); Central 3 Terminals, LLC (\$250,000); Tacoma Rail--Maintenance Facility 4 (\$250,000); NW Container Service (\$250,000); Port of Chehalis 5 (\$250,000); Ballard Terminal Railroad (\$250,000); Eastern Washington б Gateway Railroad (\$36,875); Spokane County (\$250,000); Tacoma Rail--7 Locomotive Idling (\$250,000). 8

(c) Within the amounts provided in this section, ((\$3,335,000)) 9 10 \$2,561,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation is for statewide - emergent freight rail assistance 11 12 projects. However, the department shall perform a cost/benefit 13 analysis of the projects according to the legislative priorities specified in subsection (7)(a) of this section, and shall give priority 14 to the following projects: Rail - Tacoma rail yard switching upgrades 15 (\$500,000); Rail - Port of Ephrata spur rehabilitation (\$127,000); Rail 16 17 - Lewis and Clark rail improvements (\$1,100,000); Rail - Port of Grays Harbor rail access improvements (\$543,000); and Rail - Port of Longview 18 rail loop construction (\$291,000)((; and Rail - Port of Chehalis 19 If the relative cost of any of the six projects 20 (\$774,000)). 21 identified in this subsection (1)(c) is not substantially less than the 22 public benefits to be derived from the project, then the department shall not assign the funds to the project, and instead shall use those 23 24 funds toward those projects identified by the department in the 25 attachments to the "Washington State Department of Transportation 26 FREIGHT RAIL ASSISTANCE FUNDING PROGRAM: 2007-2009 Prioritized Project 27 List and Program Update" dated December 2006 for which the proportion of public benefits to be gained compared to the cost of the project is 28 29 greatest.

(d) ((Within the amounts provided in this section, \$25,000,000 of 30 31 the freight congestion relief account state appropriation is for 32 modifications to the Stampede Pass rail tunnel to facilitate the movement of double stacked rail cars. The department shall quantify 33 and report to the legislature by December 1, 2007, the volume of 34 35 freight traffic that would likely be shipped by rail rather than trucks 36 if the Stampede Pass rail tunnel were modified to accommodate double 37 stacked rail cars.

(e))) Within the amounts provided in this section, ((\$200,000))1 2 \$339,000 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation is for rescoping and completion of a programmatic EIS for the Kelso to 3 Martin's Bluff - 3rd Mainline and Storage Tracks project. The rescoped 4 project may include funds that are committed to the project by local or 5 private funding partners. However, the rescoped project must be 6 7 capable of being completed with not more than \$49,470,000 in future state funding, inclusive of inflation costs. Subject to this funding 8 constraint, the rescoped project must maximize capacity improvements 9 10 along the rail mainline.

11 (((f))) <u>(e)</u> Within the amounts provided in this section, \$3,600,000
12 of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation is for
13 work items on the Palouse River and Coulee City Railroad lines.

14 (2) The multimodal transportation account--state appropriation 15 includes up to $((\frac{137,620,000}))$ $\frac{144,500,000}{10}$ in proceeds from the sale 16 of bonds authorized by RCW 47.10.867.

17 (3) The department is directed to seek the use of unprogrammed 18 federal rail crossing funds to be expended in lieu of or in addition to 19 state funds for eligible costs of projects in Program Y, including, but 20 not limited to the "Tacoma -- bypass of Pt. Defiance" project.

(4) If new federal funding for freight or passenger rail is received, the department shall consult with the transportation committees of the legislature and the office of financial management prior to spending the funds on existing or additional projects.

(5) The department shall sell any ancillary property, acquired when the state purchased the right-of-ways to the PCC rail line system, to a lessee of the ancillary property who is willing to pay fair market value for the property. The department shall deposit the proceeds from the sale of ancillary property into the transportation infrastructure account.

31 (6) ((The entire freight congestion relief account state 32 appropriation is contingent upon the enactment during the 2007-2009 fiscal biennium of a bill, resulting from the study established in 33 34 Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207, that makes available funding to support project expenditures funded from the freight congestion relief 35 account created in Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207. If such a funding 36 37 bill is not enacted by June 30, 2009, the entire freight congestion 38 relief account--state appropriation shall lapse.

The department shall develop and 1 (7)))(a) implement the 2 benefit/impact evaluation methodology recommended in the statewide rail capacity and needs study finalized in December 3 2006. The benefit/impact evaluation methodology shall be developed using the 4 following priorities, in order of relative importance: 5

6 (i) Economic, safety, or environmental advantages of freight 7 movement by rail compared to alternative modes;

8 (ii) Self-sustaining economic development that creates family-wage9 jobs;

10 (iii) Preservation of transportation corridors that would otherwise
11 be lost;

12 (iv) Increased access to efficient and cost-effective transport to 13 market for Washington's agricultural and industrial products;

14 (v) Better integration and cooperation within the regional,15 national, and international systems of freight distribution; and

16 (vi) Mitigation of impacts of increased rail traffic on 17 communities.

(b) The department shall convene a work group to collaborate on the development of the benefit/impact analysis method to be used in the evaluation. The work group must include, at a minimum, the freight mobility strategic investment board, the department of agriculture, and representatives from the various users and modes of the state's rail system.

(c) The department shall use the benefit/impact analysis and priorities in (a) of this subsection when submitting requests for state funding for rail projects. The department shall develop a standardized format for submitting requests for state funding for rail projects that includes an explanation of the analysis undertaken, and the conclusions derived from the analysis.

(d) The department and the freight mobility strategic investment 30 board shall collaborate to submit a report to the office of financial 31 32 management and the transportation committees of the legislature by September 1, 2008, listing proposed freight highway and rail projects. 33 The report must describe the analysis used for selecting such projects, 34 as required by this act for the department and as required by chapter 35 36 47.06A RCW for the board. When developing its list of proposed freight 37 highway and rail projects, the freight mobility strategic investment

1 board shall use the priorities identified in (a) of this subsection to
2 the greatest extent possible.

3 (((8) \$5,000,000 of the multimodal transportation account state 4 appropriation is reappropriated and provided solely for the costs of 5 acquisition of the PCC railroad associated with the memorandum of 6 understanding (MOU), which was executed between Washington state and 7 Watco. Total costs associated with the MOU shall not exceed 8 \$10,937,000.))

9 (7) The department shall apply at the earliest possible date for 10 grants, pursuant to the new competitive intercity rail grant program 11 announced by the federal railroad administration on February 19, 2008, 12 for any projects that may qualify for such federal grants and are 13 currently identified on the project list referenced in subsection 14 (1)(a) of this section.

15 (8) Up to \$8,500,000 of any state funding designated on the project 16 list referenced in subsection (1)(a) of this section for the 17 "Vancouver-Rail Bypass and W 39th Street Bridge" project may be used to 18 upgrade, to class 2 condition, track owned by Clark county between 19 Vancouver and Battle Ground.

20	Sec. 311. 2007 c 518 s 310 (uncodified) is amended to read as
21	follows:
22	FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATIONLOCAL PROGRAMSPROGRAM Z
23	CAPITAL
24	Highway Infrastructure AccountState Appropriation \$207,000
25	Highway Infrastructure AccountFederal
26	Appropriation
27	Freight Mobility Investment AccountState
28	Appropriation
29	<u>\$12,378,000</u>
30	((Freight Congestion Relief Account State
31	Appropriation
32	Transportation Partnership AccountState
33	Appropriation
34	<u>\$3,906,000</u>
35	Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation ((\$9,854,000))
36	<u>\$8,773,000</u>
37	Motor Vehicle AccountFederal Appropriation ((\$60,150,000))

\$62,222,000

2	Freight Mobility Multimodal AccountState
3	Appropriation
4	<u>\$12,750,000</u>
5	Freight Mobility Multimodal Account
6	<u> Private/Local Appropriation</u>
7	Multimodal Transportation AccountFederal
8	Appropriation
9	<u>\$4,180,000</u>
10	Multimodal Transportation AccountState
11	Appropriation
12	<u>\$32,134,000</u>
13	Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account)State
14	Appropriation
15	<u>\$2,721,000</u>
16	Passenger Ferry AccountState Appropriation \$8,500,000
17	TOTAL APPROPRIATION
18	<u>\$153,128,000</u>

19 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following 20 conditions and limitations:

21 (1) The department shall, on a quarterly basis, provide status reports to the legislature on the delivery of projects as outlined in 2.2 23 the project lists incorporated in this section. For projects funded by new revenue in the 2003 and 2005 transportation packages, reporting 24 25 elements shall include, but not be limited to, project scope, schedule, 26 and costs. Other projects may be reported on a programmatic basis. 27 The department shall also provide the information required under this subsection on a quarterly basis via the transportation executive 28 29 information system (TEIS).

30 (2) \$8,500,000 of the passenger ferry account--state appropriation 31 is provided solely for near and long-term costs of capital improvements 32 in a business plan approved by the governor for passenger ferry 33 service.

(3) The department shall seek the use of unprogrammed federal rail
 crossing funds to be expended in lieu of or in addition to state funds
 for eligible costs of projects in local programs, program Z capital.

37 (4) The department shall apply for surface transportation program

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(STP) enhancement funds to be expended in lieu of or in addition to 1 2 state funds for eligible costs of projects in local programs, program Z capital. 3

(5) Federal funds may be transferred from program Z to programs I 4 5 and P and state funds shall be transferred from programs I and P to program Z to replace those federal funds in a dollar-for-dollar match. 6 Fund transfers authorized under this subsection shall not affect 7 project prioritization status. Appropriations shall initially be 8 allotted as appropriated in this act. The department may not transfer 9 10 funds as authorized under this subsection without approval of the office of financial management. The department shall submit a report 11 12 on those projects receiving fund transfers to the office of financial 13 management and the transportation committees of the legislature by 14 December 1, 2007, and December 1, 2008.

(6) The city of Winthrop may utilize a design-build process for the 15 Winthrop bike path project. Of the amount appropriated in this section 16 17 for this project, \$500,000 of the multimodal transportation account-state appropriation is contingent upon the state receiving from the 18 city of Winthrop \$500,000 in federal funds awarded to the city of 19 20 Winthrop by its local planning organization.

21 (7) ((\$7,000,000)) <u>\$11,591,224</u> of the multimodal transportation account--state appropriation, ((\$7,000,000)) \$8,640,239 of the motor 22 vehicle account--federal appropriation, and \$4,000,000 of the motor 23 24 vehicle account--federal appropriation are provided solely for the 25 pedestrian and bicycle safety program projects and safe routes to schools program projects identified in the LEAP Transportation Document 26 27 2007-A, pedestrian and bicycle safety program projects and safe routes to schools program projects as developed April 20, 2007. Projects must 28 be allocated funding based on order of priority. The department shall 29 review all projects receiving grant awards under this program at least 30 31 semiannually to determine whether the projects are making satisfactory 32 progress. Any project that has been awarded funds, but does not report activity on the project within one year of the grant award, shall be 33 reviewed by the department to determine whether the grant should be 34 The department shall promptly close out grants when terminated. 35 projects have been completed, and identify where unused grant funds 36 37 remain because actual project costs were lower than estimated in the 38 grant award.

(8) Up to a maximum of \$5,000,000 of the multimodal transportation 1 2 account--state appropriation and up to a maximum of \$2,000,000 of the motor vehicle account--federal appropriation are reappropriated for the 3 pedestrian and bicycle safety program projects and safe routes to 4 schools program projects identified in the LEAP transportation document 5 2006-B, pedestrian and bicycle safety program projects and safe routes 6 7 to schools program projects as developed March 8, 2006. Projects must be allocated funding based on order of priority. The department shall 8 review all projects receiving grant awards under this program at least 9 10 semiannually to determine whether the projects are making satisfactory progress. Any project that has been awarded funds, but does not report 11 12 activity on the project within one year of the grant award, shall be 13 reviewed by the department to determine whether the grant should be 14 The department shall promptly close out grants when terminated. projects have been completed, and identify where unused grant funds 15 remain because actual project costs were lower than estimated in the 16 17 grant award.

((The entire freight congestion relief account-state 18 (9) 19 appropriation is contingent upon the enactment during the 2007-2009 20 fiscal biennium of a bill, resulting from the study established in 21 Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207, that makes available funding to 22 support project expenditures funded from the freight congestion relief account created in Substitute Senate Bill No. 5207. If such a funding 23 24 bill is not enacted by June 30, 2009, the entire freight congestion 25 relief account--state appropriation shall lapse.

26 (10)) \$3,500,000 of the multimodal transportation account--federal 27 appropriation is provided solely for the Museum of Flight pedestrian 28 bridge safety project.

29 (((11))) <u>(10)</u> \$250,000 of the multimodal transportation account--30 state appropriation is provided solely for the icicle rail station in 31 Leavenworth.

32 (((12))) <u>(11)</u> \$1,500,000 of the motor vehicle account--state 33 appropriation is provided solely for the Union Gap city road project.

34 (((13) \$350,000)) <u>(12) \$250,000</u> of the motor vehicle account--state 35 appropriation is provided solely for the Saltwater state park bridge 36 project <u>and off-site traffic control costs</u>.

37 ((((14)))) (13) \$1,000,000 of the motor vehicle account--state

1 appropriation ((is)) and \$4,688,000 of the motor vehicle account--2 federal appropriation are provided solely for the coal creek parkway 3 project.

4 (((15))) (14) \$250,000 of the multimodal transportation account-5 state appropriation is provided solely for a streetcar feasibility
6 study in downtown Spokane.

7 (((16))) <u>(15)</u> \$500,000 of the motor vehicle account--((state)) 8 <u>federal</u> appropriation is provided solely for ((the)) <u>slide repairs</u> 9 <u>completed during 2007 and 2008 at or in the vicinity of</u> marine view 10 drive bridge ((project)) <u>on Marine View Drive and on Des Moines</u> 11 <u>Memorial Drive</u> in Des Moines.

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TRANSFERS AND DISTRIBUTIONS

13 Sec. 401. 2007 c 518 s 401 (uncodified) is amended to read as 14 follows:

15 FOR THE STATE TREASURER--BOND RETIREMENT AND INTEREST, AND ONGOING 16 BOND REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER CHARGES: FOR BOND SALES DISCOUNTS AND 17 DEBT TO BE PAID BY MOTOR VEHICLE ACCOUNT AND TRANSPORTATION FUND 18 REVENUE

19 Highway Bond Retirement Account Appropriation . . . ((\$570,030,000)) 20 \$530,160,000 21 Ferry Bond Retirement Account Appropriation ((\$38,059,000)) 22 \$37,380,000 23 Transportation Improvement Board Bond Retirement 24 25 \$26,462,000 Nondebt-Limit Reimbursable Account Appropriation . . . ((\$19,359,000)) 26 27 \$11,194,000 28 Transportation Partnership Account--State 29 30 \$4,838,000 31 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$986,000)) 32 <u>\$1,011,000</u> Transportation Improvement Account--State Appropriation . ((\$68,000)) 33 34 \$59,000 35 Multimodal Transportation Account--State 36

1 \$1,373,000 2 Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account)--State 3 4 \$5,468,000 5 Urban Arterial Trust Account--State Appropriation ((\$473,000)) \$113,000 6 7 Special Category C Account Appropriation ((\$160,000)) 8 \$233,000 9 \$618,291,000 10 11 sec. 402. 2007 c 518 s 402 (uncodified) is amended to read as 12 follows: FOR THE STATE TREASURER--BOND RETIREMENT AND INTEREST, AND ONGOING 13 BOND REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER CHARGES: FOR BOND SALE EXPENSES AND 14 15 FISCAL AGENT CHARGES 16 Transportation Partnership Account--State 17 \$315,000 18 Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation ((\$329,000)) 19 20 \$60,000 21 Transportation Improvement Account--State Appropriation . . ((\$5,000))22 \$3,000 23 Multimodal Transportation Account--State Appropriation . ((\$130,000)) 24 \$72,000 Transportation 2003 Account (Nickel Account) -- State 25 26 27 \$357,000 28 Urban Arterial Trust Account--State Appropriation . . . ((\$38,000)) 29 \$7,000 30 Special Category C Account--State Appropriation ((\$53,000)) 31 \$13,000 32 33 \$827,000 34 sec. 403. 2007 c 518 s 403 (uncodified) is amended to read as 35 follows:

FOR THE STATE TREASURER--BOND RETIREMENT AND INTEREST, AND ONGOING 1 2 BOND REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER CHARGES: FOR MVFT BONDS AND TRANSFERS (1) Motor Vehicle Account--State Reappropriation: 3 For transfer to the Tacoma Narrows Toll Bridge 4 5 \$18,000,000 6 ((The department of transportation is authorized to sell up to 7 8 \$131,016,000 in bonds authorized by RCW 47.10.843 for the Tacoma 9 Narrows bridge project. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds shall be deposited into the motor vehicle account. The department of 10 transportation shall inform the treasurer of the amount to be 11 12 deposited.)) 13 (2) Motor Vehicle Account--State Appropriation: For transfer to the Puget Sound Capital Construction 14 15 16 \$83,000,000 17 ((The department of transportation is authorized to sell up to \$131,500,000 in bonds authorized by RCW 47.10.843 for vessel and 18 terminal acquisition, major and minor improvements, and long lead-time 19 20 materials acquisition for the Washington state ferries.)) 21 sec. 404. 2007 c 518 s 404 (uncodified) is amended to read as 22 follows: FOR THE STATE TREASURER--STATE REVENUES FOR DISTRIBUTION 23 2.4 Motor Vehicle Account Appropriation for motor vehicle fuel tax distributions to cities 25 26 27 \$501,783,827 28 sec. 405. 2007 c 518 s 405 (uncodified) is amended to read as 29 follows: 30 FOR THE STATE TREASURER--TRANSFERS Motor Vehicle Account--State 31 32 Appropriation: For motor vehicle fuel tax 33 34 \$918,908,000

1	Sec. 406. 2007 c 518 s 406 (uncodified) is amended to read as
2	follows:
3	FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSINGTRANSFERS
4	Motor Vehicle AccountState
5	Appropriation: For ((motor vehicle fuel tax
б	refunds and transfers)) statutory license,
7	permit, and fee distributions to other accounts ((\$346,657,000))
8	<u>\$333,207,000</u>
9	sec. 407. 2007 c 518 s 407 (uncodified) is amended to read as
10	follows:
11	FOR THE STATE TREASURERADMINISTRATIVE TRANSFERS
12	(1) Recreational Vehicle AccountState
13	Appropriation: For transfer to the Motor Vehicle
14	AccountState
15	<u>\$4,505,000</u>
16	(2) License Plate Technology AccountState
17	Appropriation: For the Multimodal Transportation
18	AccountState
19	(3) Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation:
20	For transfer to the High-Occupancy Toll Lanes Operations
21	State Account
22	(4) Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation:
23	For transfer to the Puget Sound Capital Construction
24	AccountState
25	<u>\$28,000,000</u>
26	(5) Multimodal Transportation AccountState
27	Appropriation: For transfer to the Puget Sound
28	Ferry Operations AccountState
29	<u>\$66,000,000</u>
30	(6) Advanced Right-of-Way Revolving AccountState
31	Appropriation: For transfer to the Motor Vehicle
32	AccountState
33	(7) Waste Tire Removal AccountState Appropriation:
34	For transfer to the Motor Vehicle AccountState \$5,600,000
35	(8) Motor Vehicle AccountState Appropriation:
36	For transfer to the Transportation Partnership
37	AccountState

2	(((10))) <u>(9)</u> Multimodal Transportation AccountState
3	Appropriation: For transfer to the Transportation
4	Infrastructure AccountState
5	<u>\$6,000,000</u>
6	(((11))) <u>(10)</u> Highway Safety AccountState Appropriation:
7	For transfer to the Multimodal Transportation
8	AccountState
9	(11) Urban Arterial Trust AccountState Appropriation:
10	For transfer to the Small City Pavement and Sidewalk
11	AccountState
12	(12) Multimodal Transportation AccountFederal
13	Appropriation: For transfer to the Transportation
14	<u>Infrastructure AccountFederal</u>
15	The transfers identified in this section are subject to the
16	following conditions and limitations: $((\frac{a}{a}))$ The amount transferred
17	in subsection (3) of this section may be spent only on "highway
18	purposes" as that term is construed in Article II, section 40 of the

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COMPENSATION

21 **Sec. 501.** 2007 c 518 s 501 (uncodified) is amended to read as 22 follows:

23 **COMPENSATION--NONREPRESENTED EMPLOYEES--INSURANCE BENEFITS.** The 24 appropriations for state agencies, are subject to the following 25 conditions and limitations:

26 (1)(a) The monthly employer funding rate for insurance benefit 27 premiums, public employees' benefits board administration, and the 28 uniform medical plan, shall not exceed \$707 per eligible employee for 29 fiscal year 2008. For fiscal year 2009 the monthly employer funding 30 rate shall not exceed ((\$732)) \$575 per eligible employee.

(b) In order to achieve the level of funding provided for health 31 benefits, the public employees' benefits board shall require any or all 32 of Employee premium copayments, increases 33 the following: in 34 sharing, the point-of-service cost implementation of managed 35 competition, or make other changes to benefits consistent with RCW 36 41.05.065.

Washington state Constitution.

1 (c) The health care authority shall deposit any moneys received on 2 behalf of the uniform medical plan as a result of rebates on 3 prescription drugs, audits of hospitals, subrogation payments, or any 4 other moneys recovered as a result of prior uniform medical plan claims 5 payments, into the public employees' and retirees' insurance account to 6 be used for insurance benefits. Such receipts shall not be used for 7 administrative expenditures.

8 (2) The health care authority, subject to the approval of the 9 public employees' benefits board, shall provide subsidies for health 10 benefit premiums to eligible retired or disabled public employees and 11 school district employees who are eligible for medicare, pursuant to 12 RCW 41.05.085. From January 1, 2008, through December 31, 2008, the 13 subsidy shall be \$165.31. Starting January 1, 2009, the subsidy shall 14 be \$184.26 per month.

15 Sec. 502. 2007 c 518 s 502 (uncodified) is amended to read as 16 follows:

17 COMPENSATION--REPRESENTED EMPLOYEES OUTSIDE SUPER COALITION--INSURANCE 18 BENEFITS. The appropriations for state agencies, are subject to the 19 following conditions and limitations:

20 (1)(a) The monthly employer funding rate for insurance benefit 21 premiums, public employees' benefits board administration, and the 22 uniform medical plan, for represented employees outside the super 23 coalition under chapter 41.80 RCW, shall not exceed \$707 per eligible 24 employee for fiscal year 2008. For fiscal year 2009 the monthly 25 employer funding rate shall not exceed ((\$732)) \$575 per eligible 26 employee.

27 (b) In order to achieve the level of funding provided for health benefits, the public employees' benefits board shall require any or all 28 Employee premium copayments, 29 of the following: increases in 30 point-of-service cost sharing, the implementation of managed 31 competition, or make other changes to benefits consistent with RCW 41.05.065. 32

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11 Sec. 503. 2007 c 518 s 503 (uncodified) is amended to read as 12 follows:

COMPENSATION--REPRESENTED EMPLOYEES--SUPER COALITION. 13 Collective bargaining agreements negotiated as part of the super coalition under 14 chapter 41.80 RCW include employer contributions to health insurance 15 16 premiums at 88% of the cost. Funding rates at this level are currently 17 \$707 per month for fiscal year 2008 and $\left(\frac{5732}{5}\right)$ per month for 18 fiscal year 2009. The agreements also include a one-time payment of 19 \$756 for each employee who is eligible for insurance for the month of June, 2007, and is covered by a 2007-2009 collective bargaining 20 21 agreement pursuant to chapter 41.80 RCW, as well as continuation of the 22 salary increases that were negotiated for the twelve-month period 23 beginning July 1, 2006, and scheduled to terminate June 30, 2007.

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MISCELLANEOUS

25 **Sec. 601.** RCW 46.68.110 and 2007 c 148 s 1 are each amended to 26 read as follows:

Funds credited to the incorporated cities and towns of the state as set forth in RCW 46.68.090 shall be subject to deduction and distribution as follows:

30 (1) One and one-half percent of such sums distributed under RCW 31 46.68.090 shall be deducted monthly as such sums are credited and set 32 aside for the use of the department of transportation for the 33 supervision of work and expenditures of such incorporated cities and 34 towns on the city and town streets thereof, including the supervision 35 and administration of federal-aid programs for which the department of 1 transportation has responsibility: PROVIDED, That any moneys so 2 retained and not expended shall be credited in the succeeding biennium 3 to the incorporated cities and towns in proportion to deductions herein 4 made;

5 (2) Thirty-three one-hundredths of one percent of such funds 6 distributed under RCW 46.68.090 shall be deducted monthly, as such 7 funds accrue, and set aside for the use of the department of 8 transportation for the purpose of funding the cities' share of the 9 costs of highway jurisdiction studies and other studies. Any funds so 10 retained and not expended shall be credited in the succeeding biennium 11 to the cities in proportion to the deductions made;

12 (3) One percent of such funds distributed under RCW 46.68.090 shall 13 be deducted monthly, as such funds accrue, to be deposited in the small 14 city pavement and sidewalk account, to implement the city hardship assistance program, as provided in RCW 47.26.164. However, any moneys 15 16 so retained and not required to carry out the program under this 17 subsection as of July 1st of each odd-numbered year thereafter, shall be retained in the account and used for maintenance, repair, and 18 resurfacing of city and town streets for cities and towns with a 19 population of less than five thousand. 20

(4) Except as provided in RCW 47.26.080, after making the deductions under subsections (1) through (3) of this section and RCW 35.76.050, the balance remaining to the credit of incorporated cities and towns shall be apportioned monthly as such funds accrue among the several cities and towns within the state ratably on the basis of the population last determined by the office of financial management.

27 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 602. A new section is added to 2007 c 518 28 (uncodified) to read as follows:

29 In order to promote the receipt of federal enhancement funds, or other applicable federal or state grant funds, the following portions 30 31 of highway are designated as part of the scenic and recreational highway system: Beginning at the Anacortes ferry landing, the 32 Washington state ferries Anacortes/San Juan Islands route, which 33 34 includes stops at Lopez, Shaw, Orcas, and San Juan Islands; and the 35 roads on San Juan and Orcas Islands as described in San Juan Island 36 county council resolution no. 7, adopted February 5, 2008.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 603. If any provision of this act or its 1 2 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other 3 persons or circumstances is not affected. 4

5 NEW SECTION. Sec. 604. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the 6 7 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect immediately. 8

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On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "appropriations;" strike the 1 2 remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 46.68.110; amending 3 2007 c 518 ss 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 4 5 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 501, 502, and 503 6 7 (uncodified); adding new sections to 2007 c 518 (uncodified); making 8 appropriations and authorizing capital improvements; and declaring an 9 emergency."

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