

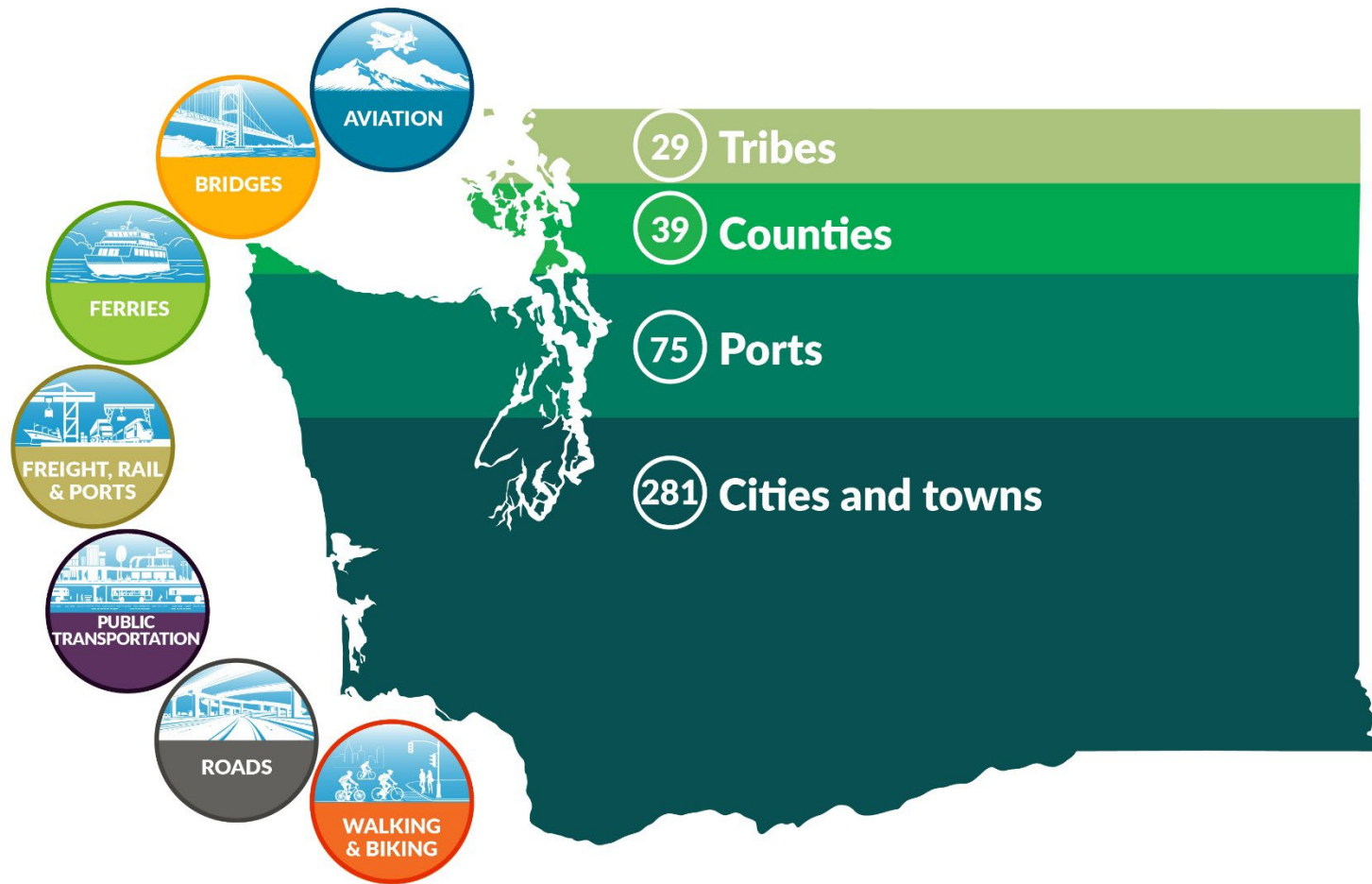
Local Programs

Overview

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Partnerships deliver for Washington Communities



WSDOT Enables Local Transportation Investment

Active Transportation: Pedestrian and Bicyclist Program; Safe Routes to School; Sandy Williams Connecting Communities Program; E-Bike Lending; Library Program; E-Bike Rebate Program; Statewide Bicycle Education Program

Aviation: Airport Aid Grant Program; Community Aviation Revitalization Board (CARB) loan program; Sustainability Grants; Proviso Grants

Innovative Partnerships: Highway Corridor ZEV Infrastructure ((ZEVIP), MHD ZEV Voucher Incentives (WAZIP), Hydrogen Refueling Infrastructure, National EV Infrastructure, EV Charging Repair/Replacement, West Coast Truck Charging and Fueling

Local Programs: Local transportation infrastructure funding, grants, and technical support for bridges, safety, roadways, trails, sidewalks and miscellaneous other transportation related infrastructure.

Rail – Freight – Ports: Freight Rail Assistance Program; Freight Rail Investment Bank; Freight Rail line-item grants; Port Electrification competitive grant program; Port Electrification line-item grants

Public Transportation: Rural Mobility; Special Need Transportation; Commute Trip Reduction; Transit Support Grants; Green Rideshare Program for low income (ZAP); Intercity Bus Expansion ; Regional Motility Program; Rideshare Program; Tribal Transit Mobility Grant; Green Transportation Grant; State Bus & Bus Facilities; MAW Tier Projects; Connecting WA Projects

WSDOT Funding Programs

25-27 Biennium

- Aviation Division (\$6.4M)
- Active Transportation (\$241M)
- Local Programs (\$2.4B)
- Rail, Freight & Ports (\$142M)
- Public Transportation (\$699M)
- Innovative Partnerships (\$213M)

**Please note these figures are estimates and not exact figures*

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Local Programs Overview

Support to cities, counties, and other transportation partners such as tribal governments, ports, and transit agencies:

- **Oversee & Administer Local Federal Aid Programs**
Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) funding
- Technical Support
- Funding Programs
- Education (LTAP)
- State Funded Projects



124th Ave NE Pedestrian Bridge, Kirkland

Managed Programs

- Local Bridge
- Safety Improvement
 - City
 - County
 - Railway-Highway Crossings
 - Video Analytics
 - Reducing Rural Roadway Departures
 - Multiuse Roadway Safety (ATV's)
 - Civilian Intervention Program
- National Highway System (NHS) Asset Management
- PROTECT



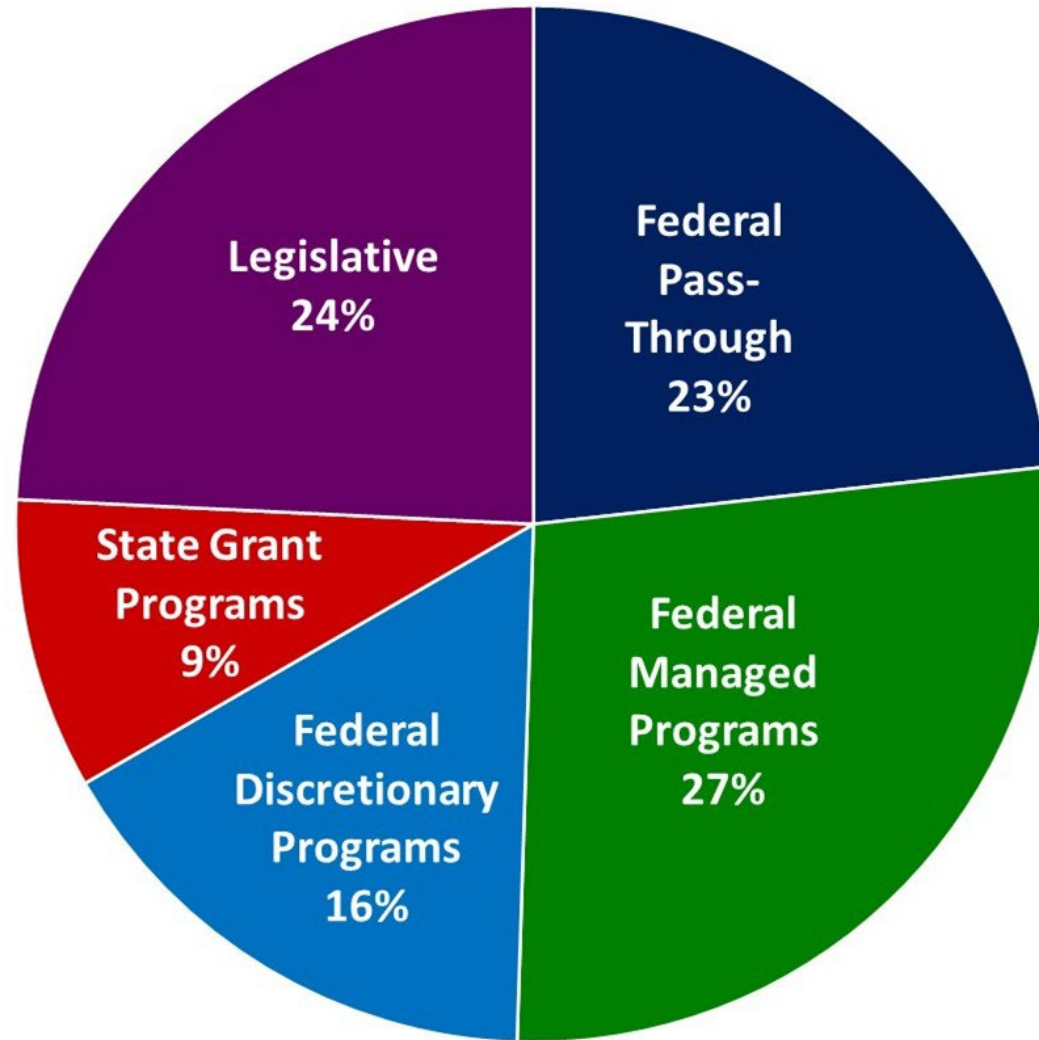
Citywide Pedestrian Treatments, Walla Walla

Local Programs

Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2025

- Authorized \$444M FHWA Funds
- Additionally, \$192M State Transportation Funds
- Total \$636M FFY 2025 (October 2024-September 2025)

2025-27 Capital Budget Overview



- **Federal Pass-Through \$632 million**
 - Surface Transportation Block Grant \$437m
 - Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality \$100m
 - Transportation Alternatives \$54m
 - Carbon Reduction \$41m
- **Federal Managed Programs \$741 million**
 - Local Bridge Program \$282m
 - Highway Safety Improvement Program \$143m
 - NHS Asset Management Program \$234m
 - National Highway Freight Program \$45m
 - PROTECT \$37m
- **Federal Discretionary \$446 million**
- **State Grant Programs \$236 million**
 - Safe Routes to School \$83m
 - Pedestrian & Bicycle Safety \$82m
 - Connecting Communities \$33m
 - Other Active Transportation programs \$38m
- **Legislative \$645 million**
 - Connecting WA projects \$124m
 - Move Ahead WA projects \$415m
 - Legislatively Directed \$40m
 - Freight Mobility \$44m
 - Local Federal Exchange Program \$22m

Appropriated \$ 963 million

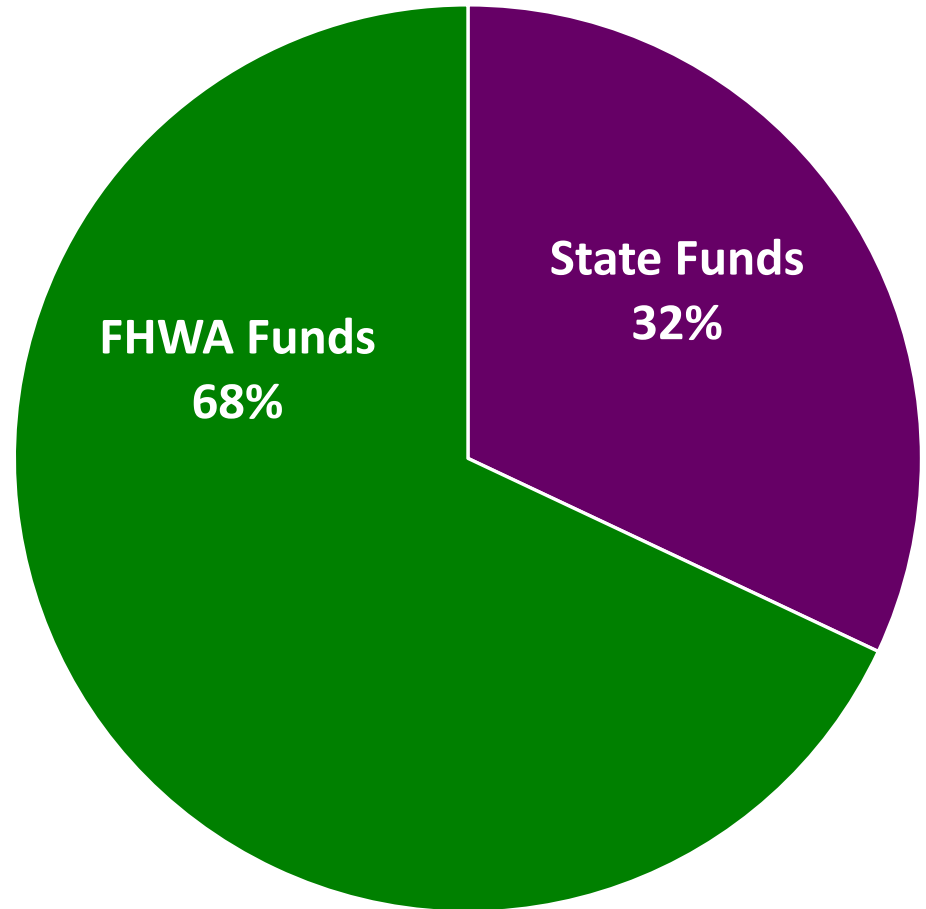
Unappropriated \$1,737 million

Dollars may not add due to rounding.

Z-Program 2025-27 Capital Budget

State Funds vs FHWA Funds

- Federal Pass-Through
– \$1,078 million
- Federal Managed Programs
– \$741 million
- State Grant Programs
– \$236 million
- Legislative
– \$645 million



State Funds \$ 856 million

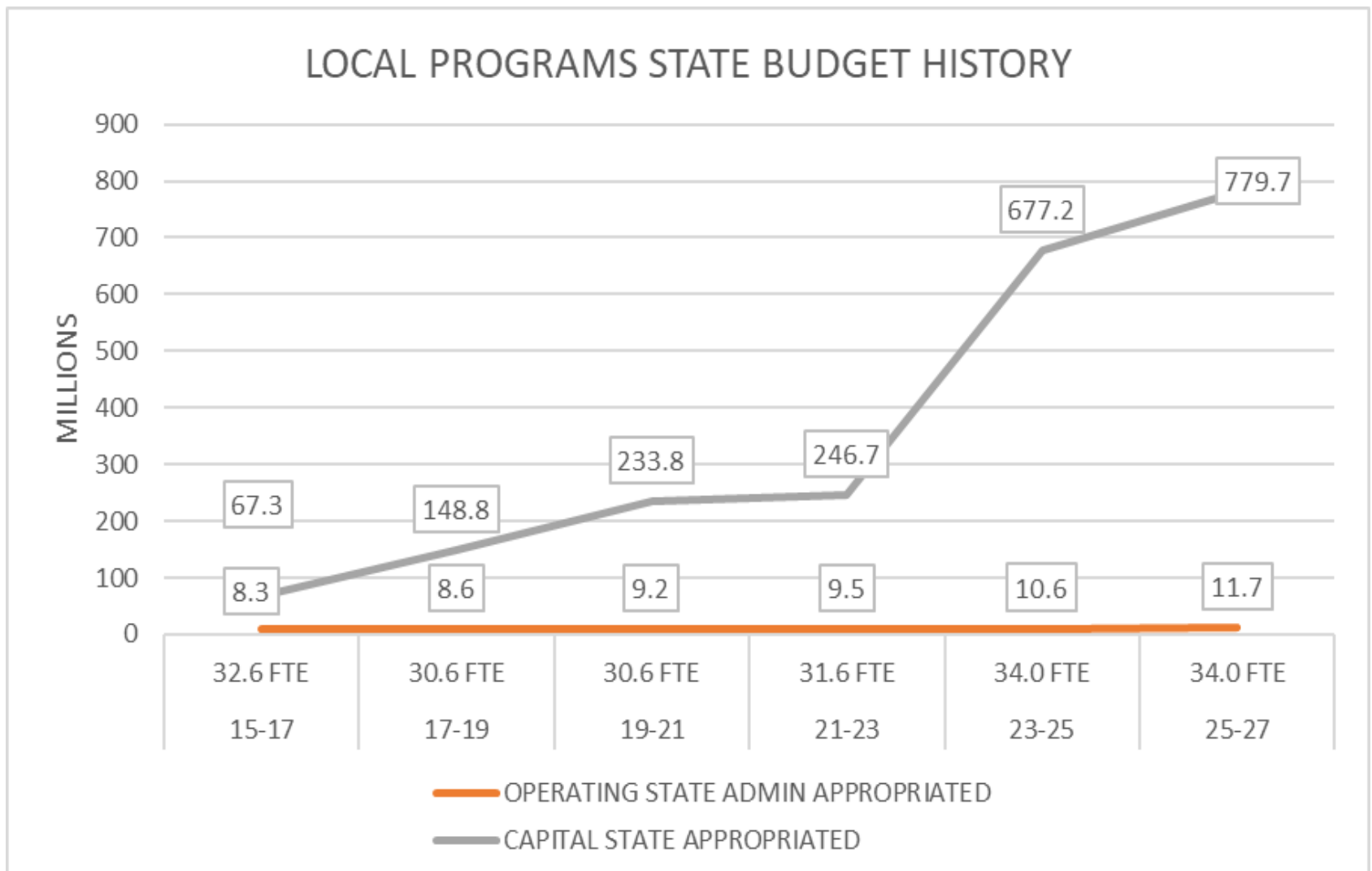
FHWA Funds \$1,844 million

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Grant & Award Lessons

- Understand requirements and constraints
- Project Readiness
 - Scope, Schedule Budget
 - Community Support
 - Project Delivery Team
 - Internal Resources
 - Consultant
- Funding Requirements?

Operating Challenges



Infrastructure Investments and Jobs Act (IIJA)

- IIJA signed on November 15, 2022 and effective FFY 2022-2026
- \$1.2 trillion total
 - \$550b in new funding
 - Created new formula, competitive and discretionary grant programs
 - PROTECT
 - AOP
 - Connecting Communities
 - SS4A
 - NEVI
 - Estimated \$5.443 billion in federal-aid highway funding to Washington State
- Reauthorized for FY2022-FY2026 surface transportation formula programs:
 - federal-aid highway programs (incl CMAQ, CRP, Bridge Formula)
 - highway safety

Questions?

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Crawford/Colville Roundabout – City of Deer Park