

# Amtrak Cascades Intercity Passenger Rail

467-mile corridor with service between Vancouver, B.C. and Eugene through Seattle and Portland.

## 2012 performance:

- 11 daily trains totaling 4,015 annually.
- Ridership exceeded 830,000.
- Ticket revenues exceeded \$30M.
- Farebox recovery 64.3% (federal fiscal year).

## Partnerships make it possible:

- BNSF, UP and CN own the tracks.
- Amtrak operates the service.
- Talgo and Amtrak maintain equipment.
- Who pays: The states of Oregon and Washington, and passengers pay for the service. U.S. and Canada provide funds for border security.



## Intercity Rail Connecting Major Economic Centers



**Vancouver, B.C. (Metro)**  
2.5 million residents  
141,000 on-offs at  
Pacific Central Station



**Seattle (Metro)**  
3.5 million residents  
461,000 on-offs at  
King Street Station



**Portland (Metro)**  
2.3 million residents  
462,000 on-offs at  
Union Station