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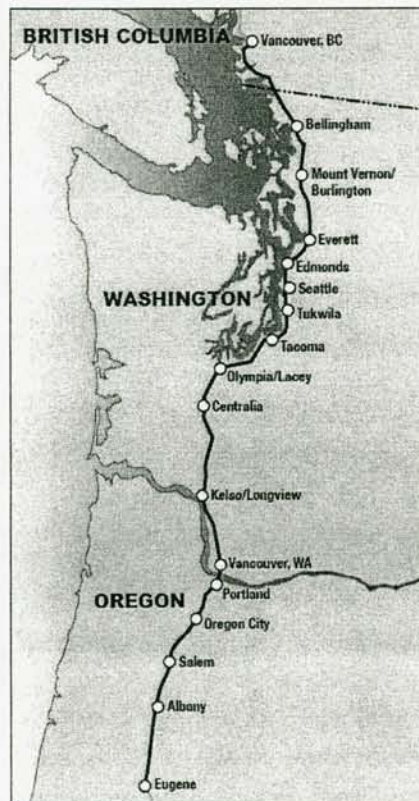
## Pacific Northwest Rail Corridor Stakeholder Meeting • May 27, 2009

Governor Chris Gregoire and Secretary of Transportation Paula Hammond invite you to attend an informational meeting regarding the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) stimulus package for high speed rail. Learn about WSDOT's proposed recommendations for projects along the Pacific Northwest Rail Corridor (PNWRC) and give us your ideas.

The **Pacific Northwest Rail Corridor Stakeholder Meeting** is scheduled for:

**Wednesday May 27, 2009**  
**9:00 am – 12:00 pm**  
Seattle Airport Marriott  
3201 South 176th St  
Seattle, WA 98188  
206-241-2000

Following the PNWRC stakeholder meeting, the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) is hosting a High Speed Intercity Rail Workshop from 1:00 – 4:30 pm. For more information about this meeting and to register to attend, visit: [www.fra.dot.gov](http://www.fra.dot.gov).



**Pacific Northwest Rail Corridor**

**For more information about WSDOT's involvement in the ARRA High Speed Passenger Rail strategic plan visit:**

**[www.wsdot.wa.gov/funding/stimulus/passengerrail](http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/funding/stimulus/passengerrail)**

### During this meeting, we will:

1. Review the history of the PNWRC and Washington State's existing investment in high-speed passenger rail.
2. Outline WSDOT's preliminary strategic plan for pursuing ARRA high-speed passenger rail funding.
3. Examine the draft list of capital rail projects and how they meet the requirements for stimulus funding consideration.
4. Provide an opportunity for us to hear your comments on the preliminary strategic plan and draft project list.

Space will be limited at this meeting. Please R.S.V.P. by Wednesday, May 20th to:

**360-705-7900 or**  
**[rail@wsdot.wa.gov](mailto:rail@wsdot.wa.gov)**

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[www.wsdot.wa.gov/funding/stimulus/rail](http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/funding/stimulus/rail)

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