

Apprenticeship Utilization Program Update

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WSDOT IMPLEMENTS STATE APPRENTICESHIP REQUIREMENTS ON PROJECTS

- During the 2005 Legislative Session, legislation was passed requiring public works contracts to utilize apprentice labor
- The apprentices must be enrolled in a program approved by the Washington State Apprenticeship and Training Council (WSATC)
- The goal is to ensure that Washington maintains a skilled workforce in the construction trades



REQUIREMENTS OF RCW 39.04.320

- Apprenticeship requirements shall be phased in throughout a two-year period

Advertisement Date	Engineers' Estimate	Apprentice Labor Requirement
July 1, 2007 – June 30, 2008	\$5 M or greater	No less than 10%
July 1, 2008 – June 30, 2009	\$3 M or greater	No less than 12%
From July 1, 2009 – Forward	\$2 M or greater	No less than 15%

REQUIREMENTS OF RCW 39.04.320

- The secretary of transportation shall establish an apprenticeship utilization advisory committee. The Committee shall:
 - Consist of equal numbers of representatives of contractors and labor and provide statewide geographic representation.
 - Must include at least one member representing contractor businesses with less than thirty-five employees.
 - meet regularly to discuss implementation and discuss adjusting requirements.
 - The committee shall provide a report to the legislature by January 1, 2008, (effects of the apprentice labor requirement on transportation projects and on the availability of apprentice labor and programs statewide).

APPRENTICESHIP UTILIZATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

- Bob Abbott, District Council of Laborers
- Bob Adams, Association of General Contractors
- Dave Johnson, Washington State Building and Trades Council
- Linea Laird, WSDOT (chair)
- John Littel, Pacific NW Regional Council of Carpenters
- Randy Loomans, Intl. Union of Operating Engineers, Local 302
- Dean Smith, Lakeside Industries
- Jason West, Westway Construction (35 or less)
- Tom Zamzow, Wilder Construction

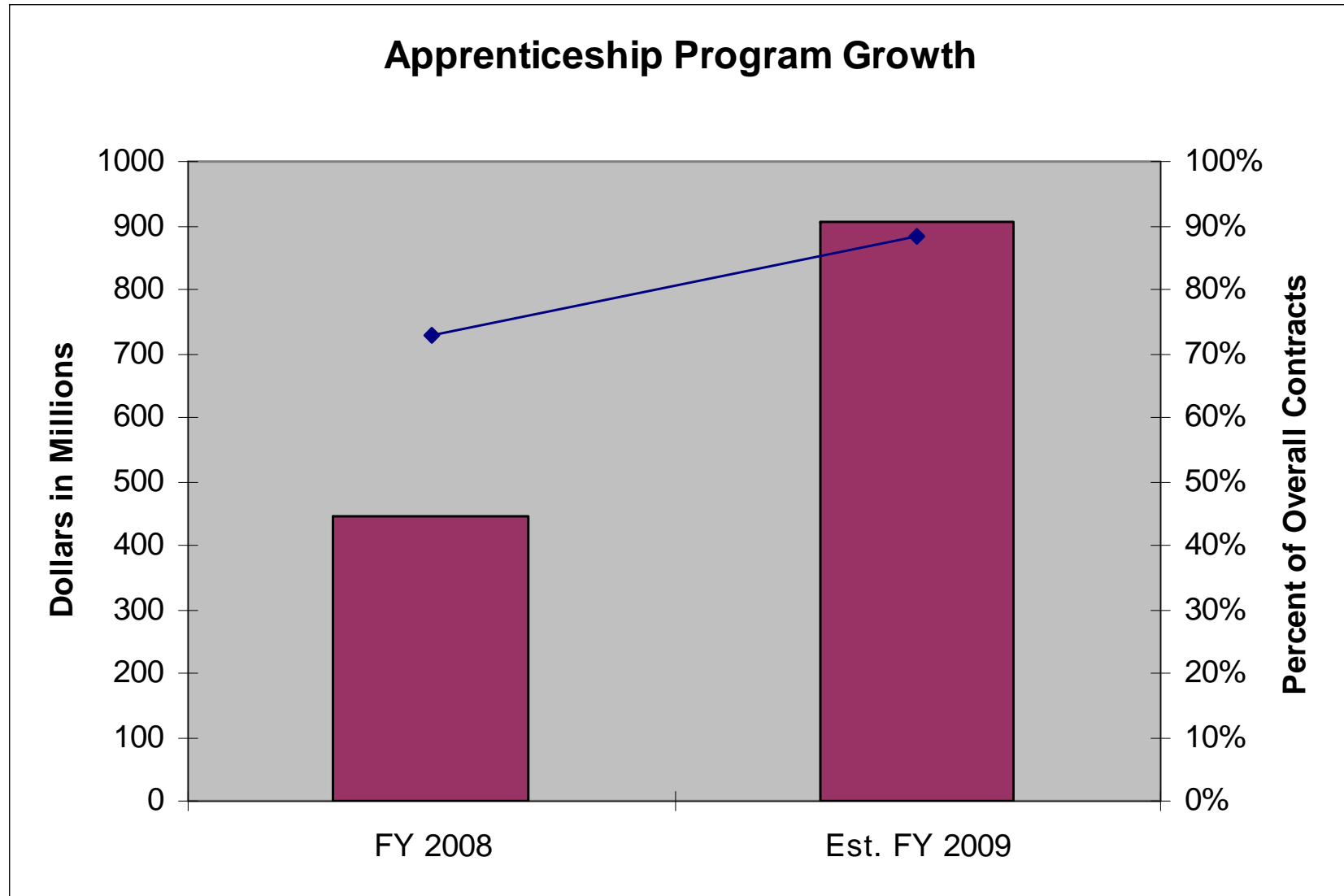
WHERE ARE WE NOW?

•27 construction contracts contain the requirement

- Scholman Road to 256th Street E
- Peshastin East Interchange
- NSC BNSF RR Tunnel
- NE 10th St Bridge Crossing
- Bossburg to Canada HMA
- UW Bothell CCC Campus South Access
- Scatter Creek & Maytown Rest Area
- NCR 2008 Seal
- Frenchtown to Walla Walla
- Tenmile Rd to SR 546 Widening
- 176th St SE to Marsh Rd
- Fredonia to I-5 Widening Stage 2
- Grand Mound to Maytown Stage 1
- Horton Road to SR 546 Wetland Mitigation
- 5t Ave NE to NE 92nd St Noise Wall
- 40th Ave W to Casino Road
- Mill Plain Connectors
- Quiet Cove Rd to SR 20 Spur Stage 2
- SR 704 Cross Base Highway Spanaway Loop to SR 7
- Castle Rock to SR 505 Paving
- Burley-Olalla Interchange
- SE 78th to Newport way
- Purdy Creek Bridge – Repl.
- Alaskan Way Viaduct – Electrical
- Homer M Hadley – Joint Repair
- Central King to Snohomish
- So. Fork Chehalis River Bridge

WSDOT estimates an additional 33 projects will be awarded thru February 2009 containing the Apprentice Utilization Requirement.

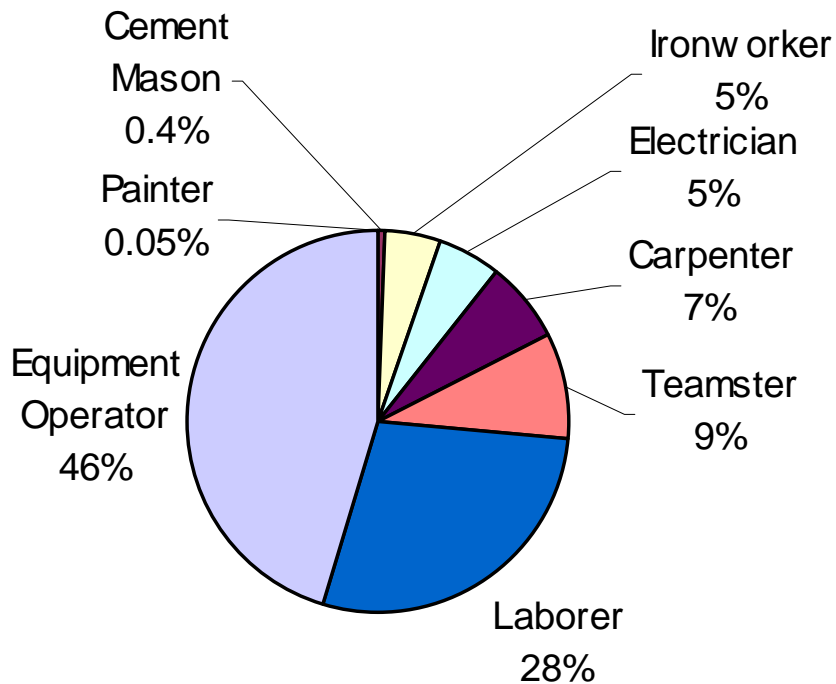
Program Growth



Apprentices being used?

Overall Apprentice Utilization = 13.1%

Apprentice Utilization To date

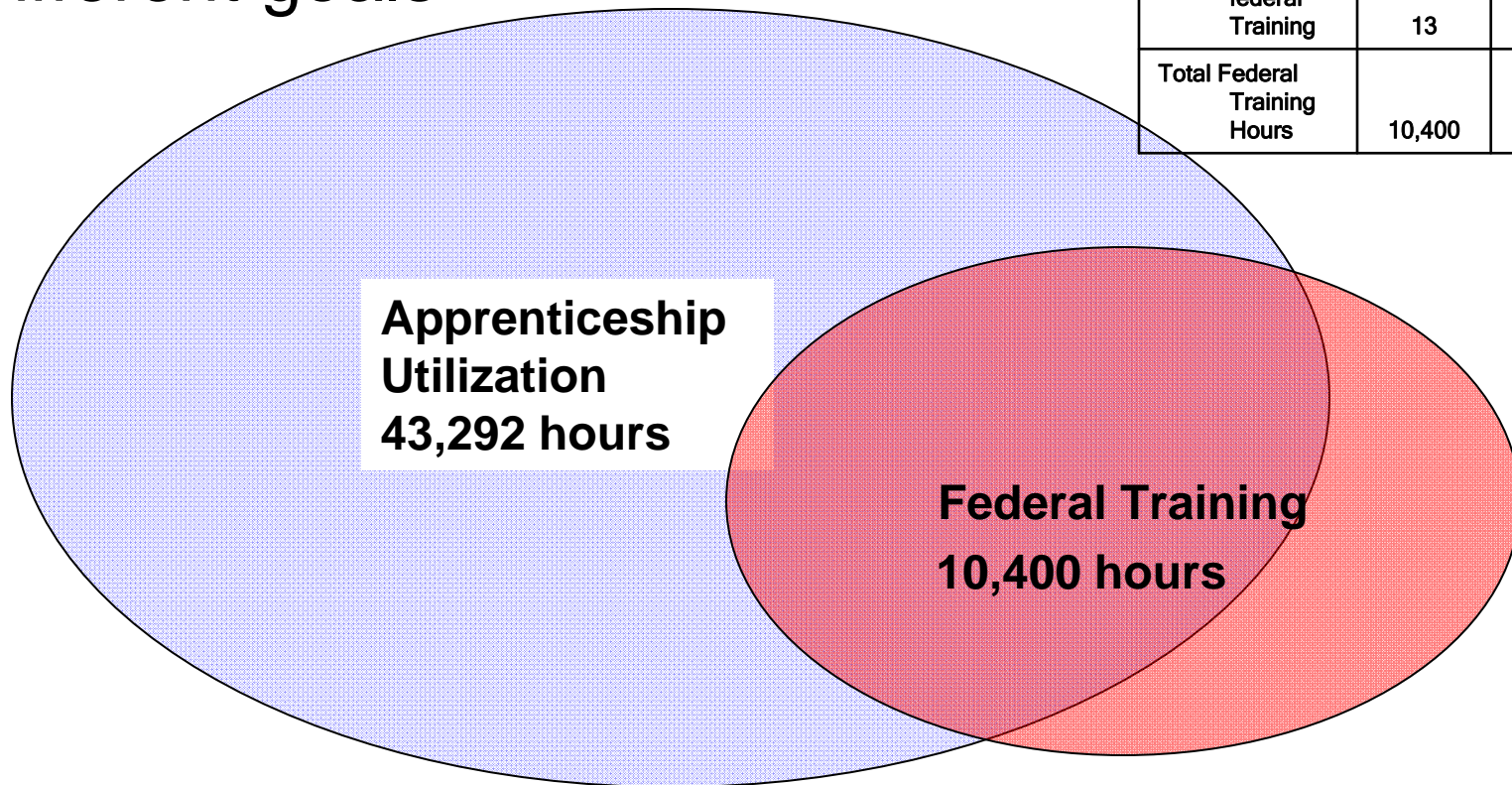


Trade	Apprentices Hours
Carpenter	3,379
Cement Mason/Finisher	213
Construction Electrician	2,468
Equipment Operator	21,663
Ironworker	2,303
Laborer	13,601
Painter	22
Teamster	4,337
All Trades	47,986

Federal Training vs Apprenticeship

- Two Different Programs
- Different goals

FFY 2008		
Total Contracts	187	
Federal Contracts	87	47%
Federal Contracts with federal Training	13	7%
Total Federal Training Hours	10,400	



What does it mean to you?

- Opportunity for enrollment in existing programs
- Look at establishing your own Programs through State Apprenticeship Training Council

Find a Law (RCW) or Rule (WAC) Get a form or publication Help

- ▶ Licenses & Permits
- ▶ Electrical
- ▶ Apprenticeship
 - How to Become an Apprentice
 - ▣ For Employers
 - ▣ For Women
 - ▣ What You Need to Know
 - ▣ Apprenticeship Programs in Washington
 - Current Apprenticeship Openings
 - Apprenticeship Occupations in WA
 - ▣ Apprenticeship Programs & Standards
 - Program Web Sites
 - Federal Programs
 - What to Do If Injured as an Apprentice
 - ▣ News & Events
 - ▣ Apprenticeship & Training Council
 - ▣ (ARTS) Apprenticeship Registration & Tracking
 - Rules, Laws & Policies
 - ▣ Apprenticeship Forms & Publications
- ▶ Factory-Built Structures
- ▶ Elevators

Apprenticeship Programs in Washington

Current Apprenticeship Openings

Information on apprenticeship openings received from registered apprenticeship programs.

Contact Us

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Apprenticeship Occupations in Washington

List of current and past occupations that have had apprenticeship programs in the state of Washington.

Other Web Sites

> Apprenticeship/OJT Programs approved for Veterans Training Benefits

Apprenticeship Programs & Standards

Contains the official standards for each of the registered apprenticeship programs in Washington, along with information such as geographical area, minimum requirements, wage progression, work processes, type of schooling, committee members and other information.

Program Web Sites

Web sites of registered apprenticeship programs.

Federal Programs in Washington

Information about apprenticeship programs in Washington that are approved and overseen by the federal government.

Find apprenticeship programs that you are interested in using our online Apprenticeship Registration and Tracking System (ARTS) database:

■ By county

■ By occupation

QUESTIONS?

<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/biz/construction/>

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