

Consolidated Grant Competition Regional Rankings

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Puget Sound Regional Council

Specialized Transportation

People with special transportation needs include:

- Older adults
- People with disabilities
- People with low-income
- Youth

WSDOT Consolidated Grant provides funding from a variety of federal and state sources for specialized transportation programs.



Overview of WSDOT Consolidated Grant Process



NOTE: Kitsap County participates in the WSDOT Consolidated Grant regional ranking process through the Peninsula RTPO.



Allocation of Regional Priority Rankings

- **WSDOT allows projects to apply for 2 or 4 years**
- **8 projects (\$2.8M) were funded in 2021 for 2023–25 biennium**
- **15 ABC rankings are available for 2023–25 for PSRC:**
 - 5 A's
 - 5 B's
 - 5 C's
 - Unlimited D's



Regional Priority Ranking Factors

- **PSRC worked with the Special Needs Transportation Committee to develop the Regional Priority Ranking Factors**
- **These factors are derived from PSRC's Coordinated Mobility Plan:**
 - Project type (preservation vs. new/expansion)
 - Support for PSRC's Coordinated Mobility Plan
 - Uniqueness of service
 - Financial sustainability



Summary of Projects Recommended

- **Number of Projects: 16 projects (5 A's, 5 B's, 5C's, and 1D)**
- **Total Request:**
 - \$10.9M for 2023–25
 - \$8.3M for 2025–27
- **Project Types:**
 - Operating projects
 - Mobility management
 - Planning
- **More than half of the projects are seeking funding for four years**



Today's Action

The TPB should recommend that the Executive Board approve PSRC's regional priority rankings for the Washington State Department of Transportation Consolidated Grant competition as found in **Agenda Item 6, Attachment A.**



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Thank you

