

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #1 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 772,000
Total Funds	\$ 772,000

Current Activity: [Agency Administration](#)

The Society's administration provides executive leadership, policy development, strategic planning, accounting, budgeting, personnel management, labor relations, risk management, investment management, purchasing, and records management functions.

Rank: #2 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 1,257,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,257,000

Current Activity: [Agency Administration](#)

Administrative functions of the MAC(Northwest Museum of Arts and Culture)/Eastern Washington State Historical Society reside with its Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and a support team comprised of a confidential assistant, accounting manager, and two fiscal staff. These individuals handle all personnel activities, financial accounting, and agency reporting. The CEO and Board of Trustees provide overall policy and strategic planning direction.

Rank: #3 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Parks and Recreation Commission

State Funds	\$ 5,678,000
Total Funds	\$ 5,678,000

Current Activity: [State Parks Administration](#)

This activity provides executive leadership, commission support, policy development and review, financial services, facilities management, computer and information technology services, personnel services, communications, interagency billings, debt service, and other related administrative services.

Rank: #4 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Arts Commission

State Funds	\$ 1,006,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,192,000

Current Activity: [Build Participation in the Arts](#)

The Arts Commission advances and supports arts and culture in Washington State through leadership, knowledge, funding, and resources that build participation in and access to the arts. Washington residents and visitors have expanded opportunities to participate in the arts as a result of the agency's investment in arts activities, artists, and targeted initiatives throughout the state. Funding and services are focused to strengthen local communities and to provide arts opportunities for the public, including geographically remote, economically disadvantaged, disabled, and ethnic communities.

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Rank: #5 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 2,145,000
Total Funds	\$ 2,145,000

Current Activity: [Museum Operation and Facilities Maintenance](#)

The Society provides a safe and enjoyable museum experience by maintaining safe, well-functioning museum facilities. It preserves the state's investment in our facilities by preventive maintenance and building systems upgrades.

Rank: #6 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Arts Commission

State Funds	\$ 1,817,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,093,000

Current Activity: [Local Arts Organizations](#)

The Arts Commission invests in a range of public and nonprofit arts organizations through competitive grant funding to increase access to the arts and strengthen arts organizations across the state. State funding leverages additional public and private funds from local, state, and federal sources, and reduces admission prices. Arts Commission grants require organizations to demonstrate accountability, and to document and evaluate the results of state investments.

Rank: #7 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Office of the Secretary of State

State Funds	\$ 545,000
Total Funds	\$ 728,000

Current Activity: [Digital Historical Collection](#)

This activity provides searchable online access to State Library historical resources that have previously been available only in paper or microfilm. The collections are web-accessible to citizens across the state.

Rank: #8 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Parks and Recreation Commission

State Funds	\$ 3,912,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,912,000

Current Activity: [Parks Reservation, Information, and Marketing](#)

This activity provides park information to the public on locations, services and programming, and facilities reservations. It also provides the public with information on Parks Centennial Plan and 2013 Vision through news releases and annual reports, as well as making the public aware of park services through marketing, promotions, and park brochures.

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Rank: #9 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Parks and Recreation

State Funds	\$ 689,000
Total Funds	\$ 5,453,000

Current Activity: [Boating Safety](#)

This activity is responsible for coordinating the state's boating safety education, marine law enforcement, mandatory boating certification, and accident reporting programs. This program also provides grants to city and county law enforcement agencies. Funds for the grants are provided by the United States Coast Guard, Recreation Conservation Office (boating excise tax), and vessel registration fees.

Rank: #10 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Arts Commission

State Funds	\$ 721,000
Total Funds	\$ 761,000

Current Activity: [Public Art](#)

Public art enhances state buildings and spaces, and encourages community dialogue and participation. The Arts Commission's Art in Public Places program has a mandated responsibility (RCW 43.46.090) to acquire and place artwork in publicly accessible places throughout Washington State. The State Art Collection includes 4,600 artworks acquired since 1974. Acquisition, stewardship, conservation, and education efforts are focused on preserving the state's investment, minimizing future maintenance needs, and ensuring the quality of the collection for future generations to experience.

Rank: #11 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Department of Fish and Wildlife

State Funds	\$ 1,486,000
Total Funds	\$ 2,542,000

Current Activity: [Manage Watchable Fish and Wildlife Recreation](#)

All actions related to the promotion of fish and wildlife viewing and other appreciative/non-consumptive use recreation are included in this activity.

Rank: #12 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Office of the Secretary of State

State Funds	\$ 112,000
Total Funds	\$ 112,000

Current Activity: [Legacy Project](#)

The Legacy Project will publish oral histories and biographies on former U.S. Senators, Members of Congress, Governors, influential newsmakers, and people who have influenced the political history of the State of Washington.

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Rank: #13 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 1,627,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,627,000

Washington State Historical Society

Current Activity: [State Historical Exhibits](#)

The Society provides interpretive services to museum visitors using permanent and temporary exhibits. It also provides interpretive services to local museums and community centers using traveling exhibits.

Rank: #14 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 102,000
Total Funds	\$ 102,000

Office of the Secretary of State

Current Activity: [Oral History Program](#)

This activity records, transcribes, and publishes the recollections of legislators, state officials, and citizens who have been involved with the state's political history. The publications document the formation of public policy in Washington State and demonstrate the roots of our democratic government. The program's mission is to gather and disseminate this history, which otherwise would be lost and inaccessible to researchers, teachers, students, and others interested in our state history.

Rank: #15 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 6,616,000
Total Funds	\$ 6,616,000

Department of Natural Resources

Current Activity: [Recreation](#)

This program provides access opportunities and support facilities to the public for both non-motorized and motorized recreation. It operates and maintains 143 recreational sites and more than 1,000 miles of trails across the state. The Department of Natural Resources, through this program, competes for grant funding to successfully accomplish site and trail maintenance, restoration, and enhancement projects. Volunteers are involved in recreation planning and on-the-ground site and trail maintenance work.

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Rank: #16 of 89
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Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

State Funds	\$ 1,491,000
Total Funds	\$ 2,009,000

Current Activity: [Preserving and Enhancing Historic Places](#)

Under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 and complimentary authority under state law, this activity provides technical and financial assistance to 35 local governments certified by the National Park Service as eligible for federal assistance. This activity also conducts the technical review and approval of applications for federal tax incentives related to rehabilitation of historic properties. In addition, the Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation develops a statewide historic preservation plan every five years and reviews historic preservation plans developed under Washington's Growth Management Act (GMA).

Rank: #17 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 763,000
Total Funds	\$ 763,000

Current Activity: [Historical Education](#)

The Society provides interpretive services to K-12 students, teachers, and the general public through school field trips, teacher professional development training, and public programs. It also creates online curricula closely aligned with state assessment requirements for public use in schools statewide in keeping with the society's Education Digital Initiative (EDI) and the state's commitment to increased student academic achievement.

Rank: #18 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Washington State Arts Commission

State Funds	\$ 1,690,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,962,000

Current Activity: [Support the Arts as Basic Education](#)

The agency invests in learning in, through, and about the arts for children, youth, and adults. The Arts Commission supports high quality and effective arts education programs for all K-12 students across the state through community-based arts learning partnerships. The arts improve student achievement and contribute to increased attendance, student leadership, and graduation rates. Arts education helps students develop 21st century skills such as creativity, critical thinking, creative problem solving, collaborative learning, interpersonal communication, and cultural awareness. Through Arts Commission investments, teachers and teaching artists receive training in the Essential Academic Learning Requirements (EALRs) in the Arts; they also learn to integrate the arts into other subject areas, and to improve student assessment techniques. The agency also invests in arts learning opportunities for adults including professional development for artists and arts leaders, workshops, conferences, and folk arts apprenticeships.

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Rank: #19 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 398,000
Total Funds	\$ 734,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Current Activity: [Creation and Management of Cultural Resource Data](#)

This activity manages a number of databases and official registers of archaeological sites and historic places, including the State Archaeological Database, the Washington state component of the National Register of Historic Places, and the Washington Heritage Register (the state compliment to the National Register). These inventories and registers are used by the public; local governments for Washington's Growth Management Act (GMA) planning purposes; federal and state agencies and Tribes for compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act and federal Environmental Policy Act; and tribes and government agencies at all levels for compliance with the state Environmental Policy Act. The Department of Natural Resources uses the archaeological database to ensure that archaeological sites are not impacted by forest practices.

Rank: #20 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 1,005,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,005,000

Washington State Historical Society

Current Activity: [Acquire and Maintain Historic Collection](#)

The Washington State Historical Society collects, catalogs, and preserves artifacts, manuscripts, maps, ephemera, photographs and books that are irreplaceable and related to the interpretation of our state's history. The collections are available to the public and to internal interpretive service departments, including digital assets accessible on-line.

Rank: #21 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 13,664,000
Total Funds	\$ 13,664,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Current Activity: [Park Maintenance](#)

This activity addresses the maintenance and repair needs of parks facilities, trees, structures, and roads, and is responsible for all agency vehicles and equipment. Included in this function is maintenance and preservation of piers, pilings, bulkheads, mooring buoys, and docks. This program also is responsible for statewide ski lift inspection.

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Rank: #22 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 623,000
Total Funds	\$ 623,000

Current Activity: [Cultural, Artistic, and Historical Education and Community Outreach Activities](#)

Through its education and outreach staff, the MAC(Northwest Museum of Arts and Culture)/Eastern Washington State Historical Society(EWSHS) produces more than 150 programs, events, and activities each year. Between 8,000 and 12,000 students from diverse, largely rural, and underserved populations in eastern Washington participate in educational activities that meet state guidelines. It also offers lectures, films, and other special events for families and adults. The MAC/EWSHS trains new teachers through Eastern Washington University; it has formal partnerships with six colleges and universities, four tribes, and ten arts and cultural groups, including the Smithsonian Institution.

Rank: #23 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Parks and Recreation Commission

State Funds	\$ 111,995,000
Total Funds	\$ 112,368,000

Current Activity: [Park Operations](#)

Washington has more than 120 diverse parks which receive 48 million visits each year. Park facilities include picnic and day-use sites, overnight campsites, Environmental Learning Centers, boat launches, marine parks, and trails.

Rank: #24 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Parks and Recreation Commission

State Funds	\$ 6,847,000
Total Funds	\$ 6,848,000

Current Activity: [Cross-State and Winter Recreation Trails](#)

The Cross-State Trails Program is responsible for coordinating statewide recreational trail connections in all jurisdictions. The Winter Recreation Trails program is responsible for snow removal at sno-parks, trail grooming, facility construction, safety education, and law enforcement services for cross-country skiers, snowmobilers, dog sledgers, and snowshoers. It is funded solely from snowmobile registration fees, Sno-Park permits, and the snowmobile portion of the state fuel tax. The program provides pass-through funds for the operation of the Northwest Weather and Avalanche Center.

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Rank: #25 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 3,834,000
Total Funds	\$ 4,000,000

State Parks and Recreation

Current Activity: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

This activity is responsible for the protection of natural, historic, cultural, and environmental resources. It oversees the administration of salmon recovery, timber management, fire protection, State Environmental Protection Act review and other environmental issues, shellfish enhancement, wildlife management, pesticide use, weed control, and State Parks arbor crew activities. It also conducts research, develops natural resources policy, procedures, and other issues affecting State Parks lands including agricultural and grazing leases, firewood cutting (conservation) permits, and timber salvage sales. The activity also coordinates efforts to reduce water pollution from recreational boating activities by providing United States Fish and Wildlife Service capital grants to public and private marinas to install boat sewage disposal facilities.

Rank: #26 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 2,384,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,222,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Current Activity: [Protecting Archaeological and Historic Resources](#)

Under state and federal law, this activity reviews proposed federal or state funded construction projects, federal licenses and/or federal permits for potential impacts on archaeological artifacts, human remains, and the historic built environment. In cases where project sponsors must apply for an archaeological permit, or develop a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) governing archaeological mitigation, this activity reviews applications, establishes archaeological methodologies, identifies required conditions that must be met during construction, consults with Tribes, and, as applicable, issues state permits or signs federal agreements. When archaeological artifacts or burial sites have been disturbed, this activity conducts investigations and takes enforcement action. For historic sites: historic bridges, districts, structures, or buildings, this activity proposes the appropriate mitigation or adaptive reuse when a federally funded, licensed, or permitted undertaking would have an adverse effect on the property. The activity results in the signing of a federal MOA for the historic property. This activity also works with Tribes on balancing cultural resource protection with project delivery, as well as facilitating environmental streamlining initiatives for federally funded, licensed, or permitted undertakings as well as state or locally funded projects.

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Rank: #27 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 774,000
Total Funds	\$ 7,478,000

Office of the Secretary of State

Current Activity: [Assistance to Local Libraries](#)

This activity coordinates, in conjunction with the Library Council of Washington (LCW), statewide projects and initiatives using Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) funds. It administers the LSTA grant, in compliance with LSTA's parent institution, the Institute of Museum and Library Services. This includes monitoring the requirements to retain federal funds.

Rank: #28 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 0
Total Funds	\$ 250,000

State Parks and Recreation

Federal Spending Authority: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

The Clean Vessel and Recreational Boating Programs are supported primarily with federal resources. Both federal agencies have authorized additional operating funding for the 2009-11 biennium. Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission will have federal carry over from the previous US Coast Guard grant and the US F&WS Clean Vessel program has authorized funds to be used for such activities as pump-out inspection, additional education on boater sewage that includes a marketing campaign to increase boater awareness, and increased coordination with non-profit environmental groups. With the addition of \$1 million Federal spending authority, the agency will be able to enhance both the Clean Vessel and Recreational Boating Programs.

Note: #28 and #29 are the same request with portions of the cost applied to two of the agency's activities. The total request is for Federal Funds of \$1,000,000.

Rank: #29 of 89
 Purchase Category: High (Top 90%)

State Funds	\$ 0
Total Funds	\$ 750,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Federal Spending Authority: [Boating Safety](#)

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Rank: #30 of 89

Purchase Category: Low (Next 10%)

State Funds	\$ 3,596,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,596,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Current Activity: [Law Enforcement, Visitor Safety, and Staff Protection](#)

Through this activity, State Parks prevents and mitigates risk to visitors, staff, property, and natural resources. An important component of this activity is the commissioning of all park rangers to provide law enforcement services to visitors and protect park resources. Specific tasks include providing academy and in-service training for rangers, offering risk prevention training for parks staff, conducting investigations, addressing ethics issues, managing claims, and adopting procedures to reduce risks.

Rank: #31 of 89

Purchase Category: Low (Next 10%)

State Funds	\$ 3,331,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,331,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Current Activity: [Parks Acquisitions, Planning, and Development](#)

This activity is responsible for oversight and management of building, renovation, and preservation of park facilities and infrastructure; long-range park planning and trend analysis; acquisition, disposal, and management of real property consistent with the Commission's mission and vision; and inspection ski lifts and park bridges. This activity also handles trespass resolution, Seashore Conservation Act compliance, administration of agency water rights, and sales of valuable materials.

Rank: #32 of 89

Purchase Category: Low (Next 10%)

State Funds	\$ 11,123,000
Total Funds	\$ 16,309,000

Department of Fish and Wildlife

Current Activity: [Manage WDFW Facilities](#)

This includes management of the Department of Fish and Wildlife's facilities, excluding hatcheries, game farm facilities, wildlife areas, and lands.

Rank: #33 of 89

Purchase Category: Low (Next 10%)

State Funds	\$ 4,220,000
Total Funds	\$ 4,220,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Current Activity: [Museum Operations, Maintenance, and Exhibits](#)

The MAC(Northwest Museum of Arts and Culture)/Eastern Washington State Historical Society(EWSHS) creates and installs interpretive exhibitions in art, history and culture for the benefit of Washington residents and tourists. It maintains four buildings, two of which are listed on the National Register of Historic Places and are in the top ten of historic house museums nationally. Campbell House and Carriage House are more than a century old. The custodial and maintenance staff cares for more than 105,000 square feet, and our visitor services staff serve more than 100,000 visitors each year.

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Rank: #34 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,204,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,204,000

Washington State Historical Society

Current Activity: [Member, Donor and Public Relations](#)

The Society promotes Washington state heritage using publications such as Columbia: the Magazine of Northwest History and other media. It maintains customer relationships with members, the public, donors, and other key stakeholders.

Rank: #35 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,969,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,969,000

Washington State Historical Society

Current Activity: [Community Outreach Activities](#)

The Society engages students/teachers, organizations, agencies and communities statewide through outreach and effective partnerships using National History Day, Heritage Capital Projects, traveling exhibits, heritage conferences, workshops, and technical assistance. It coordinates access to Women's history information/resources at the Washington State Historical Society (WSHS) and partner institutions for the Women's History Consortium, for which WSHS is the lead agency. WSHS will also develop a plan for the 2010 centennial commemoration of women's suffrage.

Rank: #36 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 2,814,000
Total Funds	\$ 2,814,000

Office of the Secretary of State

Current Activity: [Historical Collection](#)

This activity provides citizens with information on the history of the Washington Territory and the state of Washington.

Rank: #37 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 436,000
Total Funds	\$ 436,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Current Activity: [Volunteer Assistance and Partnership Building](#)

This program supports the parks system by securing volunteers and encouraging community involvement. It develops policies for recruiting, placing, and training volunteers. It also solicits donations, writes grant requests, and develops interagency and cooperative agreements, such as corporate partnerships.

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Rank: #38 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 382,000
Total Funds	\$ 382,000

Current Activity: [Acquire and Maintain Cultural, Artistic, and Historic Collections](#)

The MAC(Northwest Museum of Arts and Culture)/Eastern Washington State Historical Society(EWSHS) acquires and maintains cultural, artistic and historic collections containing more than 67,000 objects, 200,000 photographs, and 15,000 volumes of literature and newspapers. It works to make these collections accessible to the public by creating and storing digitized images of these items. During the past three years, MAC/EWSHS has spent more than \$300,000 in restricted funds on collection care activities.

Rank: #39 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Parks and Recreation Commission

State Funds	\$ 739,000
Total Funds	\$ 739,000

Current Activity: [Park Concessions and Leases](#)

This activity provides food, beverage, and some recreational services in parks through its management of concessions. It leases and subleases telecommunication sites to other agencies, and also manages major television leases at two sites.

Rank: #40 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

Office of the Secretary of State

State Funds	\$ 2,574,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,230,000

Current Activity: [Washington Talking Book and Braille Library](#)

The Washington Talking Book and Braille Library, managed by the Washington State Library, provides statewide services to the blind, visually impaired, and persons with learning and physical disabilities.

Rank: #41 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

State Funds	\$ 777,000
Total Funds	\$ 777,000

Current Activity: [Development, Marketing, and Communications](#)

This unit is responsible for developing and coordinating MAC(Northwest Museum of Arts and Culture)/Eastern Washington State Historical Society(EWSHS)'s fundraising, marketing and public relations activities, and facility rentals. Fundraising work includes membership drives, annual giving, exhibition and program sponsorships, grant writing, and special solicitations. Marketing and public relations staff handle advertising, press relations, and graphic production. All of these efforts increase MAC/EWSHS's resources and visibility.

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Rank: #42 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 80,000
Total Funds	\$ 80,000

Department of Services for the Blind

Current Activity: [Telephonic Reading Services for the Blind](#)

Telephonic Reading Services provides reading services to blind individuals through the use of phone lines. The service is operated by the National Federation of the Blind (NFB) in Baltimore, Maryland, and is mandated by RCW 74.18.045.

Rank: #43 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 2,553,000
Total Funds	\$ 2,557,000

Department of General Administration

Current Activity: [Public and Historic Facilities Management](#)

This activity provides management of the capitol campus grounds and commonly-used spaces in the Legislative Building, O'Brien Building, Cherberg Building, and Temple of Justice. This activity serves as landlord, providing direction, long-range planning, stewardship, rate setting, quality assurance, and overall property management. The facilities are symbolic of statehood and state government, and are used by the public for education, public assembly, celebration, and recreational purposes related to this symbolic nature. Managed facilities include the campus grounds, memorials, fountains, campus streets, sidewalks, and lighting, as well as Sylvester Park, Heritage Park, Marathon Park, Centennial Park, Capitol Lake, Interpretive Center, and Deschutes Parkway. Operations and maintenance of Thurston County facilities is detailed in activities "Facilities Maintenance," "Physical Plant Engineering," and "Custodial."

Rank: #44 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Current Activity: [Outdoor Education and Grant Program](#)

This activity is responsible for providing grants to public or private entities to develop programs for at risk students and youth with quality opportunities to directly experience the natural world and contribute to healthy life styles through outdoor recreation and natural resource based education.

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Rank: #45 of 89
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State Funds	\$ 300,000
Total Funds	\$ 300,000

Washington State Arts Commission

Expand K-12 Arts Learning: [Support the Arts as Basic Education](#)

The Arts Commission will expand support of K-12 student achievement by collaborating with Educational Service Districts (ESDs) to coordinate regional delivery of a successful arts learning partnership program. Requested funding will launch three to five ESD-based arts education partnerships, and will provide related training, evaluation, and staffing to enhance the partnerships' sustainability. The arts are a core academic subject area, but research demonstrates that many schools are unable to provide adequate arts education. The Arts Commission addresses this need by contracting with community consortia, (partnerships between ESDs, districts, public schools, arts organizations, and other community organizations), to provide sustainable K-12 arts education as part of the regular school day.

Rank: #46 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,834,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,834,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

No Child Left Inside: [Outdoor Education and Grant Program](#)

The Legislature adopted this program in 2007 and included \$1.5 million for grants to help low-income, academically at-risk youth improve student performance through participation in outdoor educational opportunities. Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission established operating procedures to grant the funds. The agency received a total of 238 applications requesting approximately \$8.7 million. This request is to continue the grant funding in the amount of \$1.5 million, as well as an additional \$333,100 for staffing and indirect costs to manage and continue the program operation and to raise additional funding through donations and gifts.

Rank: #47 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 199,000
Total Funds	\$ 199,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Local Government Archaeologist: [Protecting Archaeological and Historic Resources](#)

The Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) is requesting an additional Local Governments Archaeologist. Under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA), the Shoreline Management Act (SMA), the Washington Growth Management Act (GMA), and other local ordinances, cities, counties and ports are responsible for determining potential impacts to cultural resources. This includes determining whether or not effects to archaeological sites have been adequately assessed. Because local governments do not have staff with archaeological expertise, they rely on DAHP. Currently, DAHP has only one staff archaeologist to meet local government demand.

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State Funds	\$ 209,000
Total Funds	\$ 209,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Historic and Local Gov't Architect: [Protecting Archaeological and Historic Resources](#)

The Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) is requesting a full-time Historic/Local Government Architect to supplement the existing Historical Architect. DAHP's Government Management Accountability and Performance (GMAP) effort indicates that the economic benefits of historic preservation incentives are not being realized outside Seattle, Spokane, and Tacoma. With this position, DAHP intends to generate additional historic preservation rehabilitation projects outside those major urban areas. The agency expects an increased private investment in rehabilitation of historic buildings; and ultimately, increased numbers of historic properties preserved and maintained.

Rank: #49 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 145,000
Total Funds	\$ 145,000

Washington State Arts Commission

Conserve State Art Collection: [Public Art](#)

The Arts Commission requests funding to preserve artworks currently in the State Art Collection by providing conservation review, training necessary to minimize stewardship costs in the future, and direct conservation services. This request will expand a half-time Conservation Technician to full-time and fully support the Collections Manager position. The Art Commission's Art in Public Places program contracts with artists to create site-responsive artworks with partner agencies across the state. The State Art Collection, established in 1974 (RCW 43.46.090 and 43.46.095), now includes more than 4,600 artworks, and many aging artworks have significant conservation needs.

Rank: #50 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 3,490,000
Total Funds	\$ 3,490,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Preventative Maintenance: [Park Maintenance](#)

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) manages an extensive system of parks, parkways and undeveloped properties. The state park system includes 121 developed sites open to the public, 40 marine parks and numerous monuments and historic structures. The system contains over 121,000 acres in 38 counties of the state. Funding is requested for preventative maintenance of facilities on a timely basis, including an increase in five staff members for the 2009-2011 biennium.

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Rank: #51 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 417,000
Total Funds	\$ 417,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Historic Preservation & Artifacts: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) is responsible for protecting and providing public access to well over 100,000 historical artifacts and resources. Funding is requested to continue the work of moving collections to improved storage conditions, inventorying, cleaning, and caring for these collections, and providing improved access to the public.

Rank: #52 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 150,000
Total Funds	\$ 150,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Curation Feasibility Study: [Protecting Archaeological and Historic Resources](#)

The Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) is requesting \$150,000 for a study to determine future and current space requirements for curating state-owned archaeological artifact collections. RCW 27.53 and WAC 25-48 require DAHP to maintain a complete inventory of artifacts from public property, and for these artifacts to be curated at a repository (museum) meeting state and federal standards. Available data suggest many state-owned collections are not stored in compliant repositories and many collections are not accounted for. This study would: inventory all state-owned collections, estimate future collection growth, determine future space and staffing needs and develop a plan to address deficiencies.

Rank: #53 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 396,000
Total Funds	\$ 396,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Land Leases: [Park Concessions and Leases](#)

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) holds 650 second-party, term-lease agreements authorizing the use of parkland for non-recreational purposes. The majority are leases that were issued by railroads. State Parks now owns these rail corridor rights-of-way, managing them as recreational trails. This request will fund two professional-level staff members to effectively manage Parks' leasing program -- generating new market-based revenue, and identifying & resolving an estimated 100 trespasses. The new revenues from the leases and trespass resolutions will off-set the costs.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #54 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 602,000
Total Funds	\$ 602,000

Washington State Historical Society

Collection Cataloging: [Acquire and Maintain Historic Collection](#)

Since 1991, the State Auditor has issued a finding stating that the Washington State Historical Society (WSHS) has not completed an inventory of its artifact collection. In the most recent audit, they added a comment that WSHS needs to complete the catalog of its collection. Although the Society's existing staff is working on an inventory and they have kept pace with cataloging current donations, resources have not been available to complete the catalog of its legacy collections from more than a century of operation. To remedy this problem, the Society is requesting funds to hire consultants with expertise in a variety of specialized fields to complete the cataloging of the Society's collections.

Rank: #55 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 297,000
Total Funds	\$ 297,000

Washington State Historical Society

Puget Sound Education Video: [Historical Education](#)

State of the Puget Sound will be shown at the Washington State History Museum in Tacoma to its average of nearly 110,000 annual visitors, including 20,000 school children. The film will address the most urgent problems facing the Puget Sound as outlined by the Puget Sound Partnership. It will provide an opportunity to educate children, parents, grandparents, museum visitors, and Washingtonians in general about the preservation of our state's principal watershed. The film's preventative approach will encourage key behavioral changes that will help save Puget Sound from its continual degradation. The film will exemplify creative and practical solutions that families can employ, including projects that landowners can implement to re-establish the health of the ecosystem.

Rank: #56 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 501,000
Total Funds	\$ 501,000

Department of Fish and Wildlife

Wildlife Eco-Tourism: [Manage Watchable Fish and Wildlife Recreation](#)

In order to take advantage of the trend toward eco- and geotourism recreational activities, the Department is requesting funding to implement two new ecotourism-related proposals: (1) On-Demand Wildlife Viewing Guide: Create and provide free, downloadable, current information for mobile devices about where to find wildlife in Washington, to include GPS coordinates and maps, photos, and audio files; and (2) Rural Landowners Farming with Nature Initiative: Work with rural landowners and vineyard operators to maintain or restore native wildlife species for the development of wildlife viewing attractions in combination with agriculture tours (i.e., The Vintners' Bird and Wine Classic).

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #57 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 48,000
Total Funds	\$ 48,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Disaster Recovery: [State Parks Administration](#)

Washington State Parks & Recreation Commission (State Parks) is currently not protecting computer backup media to the standards set by the State's Information Services Board (ISB). Funding is requested to procure courier services to pick up and deliver tapes (daily and weekly) and provide media vaulting services.

Rank: #58 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,126,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,126,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Facilities Condition Assessment: [State Parks Administration](#)

An Office of Financial Management (OFM) sponsored study on the Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission's (State Parks) capital budget programs (Berk Report) included a recommendation that the agency improve its monitoring and reporting capabilities on capital projects. State Parks determined that an up-to-date facility condition inventory would achieve this recommendation as well as providing better information to OFM and the Legislature. This data will determine maintenance and capital projects needs and ultimately help create a safe and well maintained park system for visitors. In the FY 2008 Supplemental Budget State Parks requested and received funds to initiate a pilot project to assess one park regions facilities and infrastructure. It was noted in the request that additional funding would be needed to assess the systems remaining facilities and infrastructure. This request for funding and staffing will assess the condition of facilities and infrastructure in the remaining park system's 93 parks.

Rank: #59 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 139,000
Total Funds	\$ 139,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Curator of Education: [Cultural, Artistic, and Historical Education and Community Outreach Activities](#)

The Curator of Education oversees all educational aspects of the Eastern Washington State Historical Society's (EWSHS's) mission, including programming for history, American Indian and art education. Responding to the mandate of the Legislature and the desire for additional cultural, artistic and historical education opportunities, the EWSHS developed a department and multiple projects to provide educational programs for children, adults and teachers. The State supports this mission but private dollars currently fund the director of education position (called the Curator of Education) which is responsible for the management, leadership and direction of the education department. This is a Curator position because it is also responsible for the integration of the curriculum into the full mission of the EWSHS including the collection, cataloging, presentation and exhibition of cultural, artistic and historic objects.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #60 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 662,000
Total Funds	\$ 662,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Arbor Crew: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

In order to address tree-care needs in a timely and safe manner, funding is requested for a third two-person crew to attend to hazard trees in developed park areas.

Rank: #61 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 268,000
Total Funds	\$ 268,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Internal Audit: [State Parks Administration](#)

The Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) does not have an Internal Auditor position. A recent Initiative-900 performance audit noted this as a deficiency in the agency. Internal audits are needed to help the agency achieve consistency in business practices, identify and report operational and financial issues that could impede the ability to achieve agency goals and to improve public service. This request includes funding for one staff member to serve as the agency's Internal Auditor.

Rank: #62 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 33,000
Total Funds	\$ 33,000

Department of Services for the Blind

Telephonic Reading Services: [Telephonic Reading Services for the Blind](#)

The legislatively mandated (RCW 74.18.045) telephonic reading service is currently funded with vending machine revenues generated through the Business Enterprise Program (BEP). This request is to improve communications relating to the service and move the funding into a different state fund.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #63 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 96,000
Total Funds	\$ 96,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Collections Access & Preservation: [Acquire and Maintain Cultural, Artistic, and Historic Collections](#)

The Eastern Washington State Historical Society (EWSHS) is charged by the State of Washington under RCW 27.34.070, "To collect, catalog, preserve, and interpret objects, manuscripts, sites, photographs, and other materials ..." "for the use and benefit of the people of Washington state." In order to meet this mandate, the EWSHS must house objects in preservation enclosures and provide access both physically and electronically. This package will purchase collections conservation supplies and collection access subscriptions. The package will increase the number of individuals (visitors, researchers, students, teachers) served by the EWSHS.

Note: #63 and #64 are the same request with portions of the cost applied to two of the agency's activities. The total request is for State Funds of \$120,000.

Rank: #64 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 24,000
Total Funds	\$ 24,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Collections Access & Preservation: [Cultural, Artistic, and Historical Education and Community Outreach Activities](#)

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Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #65 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,242,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,242,000

Department of Natural Resources

Sustainable Public Access: [Recreation](#)

Washington is known as a place where people are close to the outdoors. It is home to hikers, bikers, hunters, birders, quad-riders, equestrians and others who enjoy the state lands and natural settings in a variety of ways. The Department of Natural Resources seeks to provide the public with as much opportunity to connect with the outdoors as possible without compromising good stewardship of the land or the beneficiaries' interests. The number and type of recreational users is increasing yearly, placing additional stress on the environment and the departments capacity to protect the natural resources, the interests of the trust beneficiaries, and the opportunity for safe enjoyable experiences across the state. This proposal continues to build upon recent investments toward a goal of safe, environmentally, and financially sustainable recreational opportunities in support of public health, a strong economy, and our quality of life in Washington.

Rank: #66 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 757,000
Total Funds	\$ 757,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Fort Worden Plan Implementation: [Park Operations](#)

In 2007, Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) adopted a publicly supported vision that over time, Fort Worden (FW) will transition from its current operations as a historic fort / conference center into a life-long learning center that fosters personal growth through a variety of non-profit and for-profit business activities and programs. The Commission, recognizing that State Parks did not have the resources to achieve the learning center vision, chartered a Task Force to evaluate a variety of management structures and make recommendations on the one best suited to achieve the park's vision. This request will fund the staff and consultant services to further the park's dual objectives of: (1) transforming the park into a successful life-long learning center; and (2) enhancing conference revenue. The request will position Fort Worden to compete for public/private resources, improve facilities and build financial support in economic and innovative ways.

Rank: #67 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,861,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,861,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Park Connectivity: [State Parks Administration](#)

In order to transmit timely information to field-based employees, provide service to the public, and remain competitive in recreational markets, Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) would like to improve its technological capabilities at 121 park locations without risk to its network of information. Funding is requested for Internet Service Provider fees, DSL fees, and partnering with Department of Information Services (DIS) for Virtual Private Network (VPN).

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #68 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 20,000
Total Funds	\$ 20,000

Washington State Arts Commission

Support State Poet Laureate: [Build Participation in the Arts](#)

The Arts Commission manages the State Poet Laureate position, which promotes and encourages poetry across Washington State. Funds are needed to support the position while an ongoing private fundraising campaign is fully launched to provide for the long-term stability of the program. The fundraising campaign is now underway in partnership with Humanities Washington and the Washington Poets Association. The Poet Laureate serves a two-year term; provides public readings, workshops, lectures, and/or presentations; and receives compensation for services.

Rank: #69 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 490,000
Total Funds	\$ 490,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Seashore Conservation: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (State Parks) has jurisdiction and management responsibilities over the entire 60 miles of beaches within the state's Seashore Conservation Area (Area), regulating it for the benefit of all citizens. By court order and as a legality of recorded deeds of dedication, the Seashore Conservation Line (Line) Survey is mandatory every ten years. To resolve ownership and management conflicts, State Parks must survey a wider area. This request will provide the funding to survey the entire Area. The result will be verification of most public ownership within the Area; clear management responsibilities for the agency; and state-of-the-science GIS data for definitive mapping that will address the ownership and management conflicts.

Rank: #70 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 338,000
Total Funds	\$ 338,000

Office of the Secretary of State

Legacy Project: [Legacy Project](#)

The 2008 Legislature created the Washington State Legacy Project in the Office of the Secretary of State (OSOS) to record and make accessible oral histories and records of political leadership in the executive branch, replacing the Oral History program. Given the age of many of Washington's past political leaders, additional funding is requested to expand the Legacy Project, enabling it to collect oral history information quickly and extensively.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #71 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 123,000
Total Funds	\$ 123,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Exhibit Designer/Project Manager: [Museum Operations, Maintenance, and Exhibits](#)

Exhibitions are the unique public face of museums, successful when they physically, intellectually, and emotionally engage citizens and tourists in visual learning through objects. This request is to fund a full-time Exhibit Designer/Project Manager to provide the basic production leadership and coordination for the museum's exhibits. Currently, this work is being performed by curators, registrar and other design employees who compromise their primary responsibilities to participate and who lack the specific skills to insure the goals in scholarship, hands-on learning, audience evaluation and response, public access to the Museum Collection, and public participation in exhibition development.

Rank: #72 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 200,000
Total Funds	\$ 200,000

Washington State Historical Society

Spanish Explorer Exhibition: [State Historical Exhibits](#)

In response to a proposal from the Embassy of Spain, including \$150,000 already in hand from Iberian sources, the Washington State Historical Society proposes to collaborate with appropriate entities in Spain to mount an exhibition commemorating the bicentennial of the death of the explorer Alejandro Malaspina. The exhibit would be shown in the late fall of 2010 at the Washington State History Museum in Tacoma, Washington, and subsequently travel to one or more venues in Spain. A book and a website attuned to Washington State educational objectives would accompany the exhibit.

Rank: #73 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 403,000
Total Funds	\$ 403,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Noxious Weeds: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

Invasive species threaten 25% of Washington's native flora. These harmful weeds degrade significant quantities of wildlife habitat, increase the risk of wildfire, and endanger the long-term health of natural, production, and recreation landscapes. Invasive species are second only to habitat conversion in killing native plants and animals. To combat exotics, the Legislature has enacted laws to control noxious weeds. This request will support a project invasive species coordinator and seasonal staff to control noxious weeds and restore significant habitats throughout the State Park system where exotics threaten native species.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #74 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 24,000
Total Funds	\$ 24,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Cemetery Rehabilitation Grant Program: [Protecting Archaeological and Historic Resources](#)

Historic cemeteries are being desecrated and damaged. Due to high cremation rates, burial plot sales do not generate enough revenue for cemetery improvements and repairs. To address this problem, the Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation is requesting the establishment of a grant fund. This will aid abandoned and historic cemeteries defined in RCW 68.60 with capital improvements and repairs. The grant program would be for facilities controlled or operated by a coroner, county, city, or cemetery district and tribal cemeteries not on tribal lands, or families caring for pioneer cemeteries. Increased visibility through repair and improvements will increase historic cemetery protection.

Note: #74 and #75 are the same request with portions of the cost applied to two of the agency's activities. The total request is for State Funds of \$50,000.

Rank: #75 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 26,000
Total Funds	\$ 26,000

Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

Cemetery Rehabilitation Grant Program: [Preserving and Enhancing Historic Places](#)

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Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #76 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 170,000
Total Funds	\$ 170,000

Washington State Historical Society

Columbia Pacific Heritage Area: [Community Outreach Activities](#)

The Washington State Historical Society, as the state lead agency for coordination of Lewis & Clark interpretive development on the lower Columbia, proposes to contract for a feasibility/management study with a heritage coordinating organization representing the communities in the area. Without a cultural resource management plan much of the history and drama that defines the area may be lost and certain resources and programs remain underutilized due to a lack of coordination and public awareness of their availability. This project will increase availability of cultural resources to state citizens and others.

Rank: #77 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 108,000
Total Funds	\$ 108,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Museum Collection Access Specialist: [Acquire and Maintain Cultural, Artistic, and Historic Collections](#)

The prime directive of the Eastern Washington State Historical Society (EWSHS) is to provide access to information through education and access to its collections through exhibitions, educational programs both on and off site and by electronic means. To better achieve this objective, the EWSHS is requesting one staff member whose primary responsibility is to make collections accessible.

Rank: #78 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 100,000
Total Funds	\$ 100,000

Washington State Arts Commission

Community Arts Initiative: [Build Participation in the Arts](#)

The Arts Commission's proposed Community Arts Planning Initiative will integrate arts and culture into the growth and development of communities and develop local support for the arts. Proposed as a two-year pilot, the Initiative will focus on approximately five communities to identify and assess cultural resources and opportunities, support cultural planning efforts that use the arts to address locally identified priorities, provide skill development and training for community and cultural leaders, and provide funding to support plan implementation.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #79 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 1,026,000
Total Funds	\$ 1,026,000

State Parks and Recreation Commission

Sustainability: [Parks Natural, Cultural, Historic, and Environmental Stewardship](#)

The cost of all types of fuel and utilities is continually rising, and carbon-based fuels have a impact on the environment. With direction from the Governor, the Legislature, and the State Parks Commission, State Parks wants to be a leader in sustainable and renewal practices and in the ensuing cost savings. The parks are also a good setting for educating the public about sustainable practices. The agency is requesting funds to establish a sustainability program which will develop and fund sustainable practices in State Parks. The program's goals are to reduce park dependence on energy, operate more efficiently, leverage outside funding, and educate the public. This package also requests one staff member to act as the program coordinator and administrator.

Rank: #80 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 8,000
Total Funds	\$ 8,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

5-Year Technology Rotation: [Acquire and Maintain Cultural, Artistic, and Historic Collections](#)

Eastern Washington State Historical Society (EWSHS) has approximately 67 computers that are on a seven-year replacement schedule. Technological advances are occurring very rapidly. The current replacement does not provide staff, interns, work study, or volunteers with up-to-date computers. These older computers operate more slowly and often times with older software that is no longer supported by the manufacturers. This request would change the replacement structure of all computers, scanners and printers to a period not to exceed five years. This would buy 14 desktops, 1 laptop, 1 scanner and 1 printer every year. The result would be increased efficiencies, less downtime and lower maintenance expenses.

Note: #80-84 are the same request with portions of the cost applied to various of the agency's activities. The total request is for State Funds of \$56,000.

Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #81 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 6,000
Total Funds	\$ 6,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

5-Year Technology Rotation: [Agency Administration](#)

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Rank: #82 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 8,000
Total Funds	\$ 8,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

5-Year Technology Rotation: [Cultural, Artistic, and Historical Education and Community Outreach Activities](#)

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Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #83 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 6,000
Total Funds	\$ 6,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

5-Year Technology Rotation: [Development, Marketing, and Communications](#)

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Rank: #84 of 89

Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 24,000
Total Funds	\$ 24,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

5-Year Technology Rotation: [Museum Operations, Maintenance, and Exhibits](#)

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Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #85 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 4,000
Total Funds	\$ 4,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Internet/Web Access: [Acquire and Maintain Cultural, Artistic, and Historic Collections](#)

This package provides dollars to support the moving of our website to a new host and other necessary changes to our Information Technology (IT) system. These include improvements to bulk e-mail, an increase to our wireless bandwidth plus better web access monitoring. Greater internet presence will relate to higher facility visitation, improved education delivery and more control over unauthorized digital access.

Note: #85-89 are the same request with portions of the cost applied to various of the agency's activities. The total request is for State Funds of \$29,000.

Rank: #86 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 4,000
Total Funds	\$ 4,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Internet/Web Access: [Agency Administration](#)

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Rank: #87 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 4,000
Total Funds	\$ 4,000

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Improve Cultural and Recreational Opportunities
 Throughout the State

Rank: #88 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 2,000
Total Funds	\$ 2,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Internet/Web Access: [Development, Marketing, and Communications](#)

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Rank: #89 of 89
 Purchase Category: Buy Next

State Funds	\$ 15,000
Total Funds	\$ 15,000

Eastern Washington State Historical Society

Internet/Web Access: [Museum Operations, Maintenance, and Exhibits](#)

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