ARRA Energy Efficiency through Transportation Planning (EETP) – $770,000

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In late 2009, Commerce awarded $770,000 to eight projects. The purpose of the grant program is to assist cities and counties in creating and implementing long-term energy efficiency strategies in the transportation planning sector. The projects include planning for transit-oriented development, multimodal transportation concurrency, comprehensive plan updates, bicycle facility evaluation, and encouraging alternatives to driving alone. The Seattle project has been completed and remaining contracts are well underway.

Successfully negotiated agreements include:

- **City of Bellevue**
  *King County*
  Project: Transit-oriented development plan for the 130th Avenue East Link light rail station.
  Award: $75,000

- **Cities of Everett & Mukilteo, Snohomish Co, Community Transit, Everett Transit** – Award Closed
  *Snohomish County*
  Project: Expand the SR99/Evergreen Way corridor planning project in support of the Swift bus rapid transit service.
  Award: $120,835

- **City of Mountlake Terrace**
  *Snohomish County*
  Project: Plan for a light rail station area, transit-oriented development around the station, and bicycle and pedestrian access to, and through, the station area.
  Award: $75,000

- **City of Redmond**
  *King County*
  Project: Update the Redmond comprehensive plan to address energy, climate change, and sustainability policies.
  Award: $66,900
- **City of Seattle** – *Award Closed*
  *King County*
  Project: Assess bicycle commuter facilities such as bicycle parking and showers in downtown area and identify needed infrastructure improvements to support bicycle commuting.
  Award: $75,000

- **City of Spokane** – *Award Closed*
  *Spokane County*
  Project: Create a transit-oriented land use and transportation plan for the Sprague Corridor and conduct transportation demand management activities in support of the growth and transportation efficiency center (GTEC).
  Award: $150,000

- **City of Tukwila**
  *King County*
  Project: Develop bicycle and pedestrian level of service standards and incorporate them into development review standards and public improvement plans.
  Award: $69,500

- **City of Vancouver and Clark County** – *Award Closed*
  *Clark County*
  Project: Implement transportation demand management policies and programs to carry out the Growth and Transportation Efficiency plan for downtown Vancouver and the Vancouver City Center Vision Plan.
  Award: $137,765