

**RESOLUTION 2026-001  
 APPORTION RATA FUNDS TO REGIONS**

- WHEREAS** RCW 36.79.030 establishes the Northeast, Northwest, Puget Sound, Southeast and Southwest Regions in Washington State for the purpose of apportioning Rural Arterial Trust Account (RATA) funds; and
- WHEREAS** RCW 36.79.040 specifies the manner in which RATA funds are to be apportioned to the five regions; and
- WHEREAS** the CRABoard established regional apportionment percentages for the 2025 - 2027 biennium at its meeting of July 31, 2025; and
- WHEREAS** RCW 36.79.050 states that the apportionment percentages shall be used once each calendar quarter by the board to apportion funds credited to the rural arterial trust account; and
- WHEREAS** RCW 36.79.020 authorizes expenditure of RATA funds for costs associated with program administration;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the accrued amount of \$4,782,519 made available in the RATA in **October, November, and December 2025** be apportioned to the regions by their 2023-2025 biennium percentages after setting aside \$202,181 for administration

<u>REGION</u>	<u>APPORTION- MENT PERCENT</u>	<u>CURRENT APPORTION</u>	<u>BIENNIAL APPORTION (2025 - 2027)</u>	<u>PRIOR PROGRAM (1983 - 2025)</u>	<u>PROGRAM TO DATE</u>
ADMIN.		<b>202,181</b>	378,575	16,825,705	<b>17,204,280</b>
NORTHEAST	43.60%	<b>1,997,027</b>	5,208,384	309,557,834	<b>314,766,218</b>
NORTHWEST	10.92%	<b>500,173</b>	1,304,485	81,253,072	<b>82,557,557</b>
PUGET SOUND	6.91%	<b>316,501</b>	825,457	51,325,974	<b>52,151,431</b>
SOUTHEAST	23.67%	<b>1,084,166</b>	2,827,579	169,794,031	<b>172,621,610</b>
SOUTHWEST	<u>14.90%</u>	<b><u>682,470</u></b>	<u>1,779,929</u>	<u>107,582,163</u>	<b><u>109,362,092</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	100.00%	<b>4,782,519</b>	12,324,409	736,338,779	<b>748,663,188</b>

Adopted by the CRABoard on January 29, 2026

  
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 Chair's Signature

  
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