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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WAEC-04-004
Grant Name: Community Action Plan

Project Start Date: 06/01/2004
Project End Date: 05/01/2005

Applicant: City of Goldendale
Contact: Mark Sigfrinius, 509-773-3771

FS Award: \$15,000
Leveraged Funds: \$5,000
Total Project Funding: \$20,000

Description:

Funding for this project will produce a new Community Action Plan for the City of Goldendale and surrounding area that will identify a common vision for the future. An analysis identifying community strengths and weaknesses will be used to develop a specific list of projects that will move the community to its envisioned future. Completion of this plan will identify opportunities to promote economic diversification and enhance the local economy. The Chamber seeks to develop a future which brings greater economic prosperity to the people of the community.

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Federal Identifier: WAEC-94-016
Grant Name: Community Action Plan

Project Start Date: 08/09/1994
Project End Date: 08/09/1995

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Ron Ihrig, 509-773-4612

FS Award: \$16,000
Leveraged Funds: \$4,000
Total Project Funding: \$20,000

Description:

This grant would fund the development of a community action plan for unincorporated communities of Trout Lake and Roosevelt. The planning efforts would help the communities stabilize and diversify their local timber dependent

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Federal Identifier: WAEC-97-007
Grant Name: Simcoe/Columbus St. Design

Project Start Date: 09/15/1997
Project End Date: 02/28/1998

Applicant: City of Goldendale
Contact: Mark Sigfrinius, 509-773-3771

FS Award: \$76,227
Leveraged Funds: \$19,056
Total Project Funding: \$95,283

Description:

This grant will provide for complete design and engineering for Simcoe/Columbus street improvements in the City of Goldendale. These street improvements will create business and expand opportunities for the City.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WAEC-99-013

Grant Name: Spirit Award

Applicant: Klickitat County

Contact: Ray Thayer, 509-773-7060

Project Start Date: 09/20/1999

Project End Date: 12/31/2000

FS Award: \$5,000

Leveraged Funds: \$1,250

Total Project Funding: \$6,250

Description:

Funds from this Spirit Award will enable the Community of Klickitat to develop and implement a community-wide clean-up and beautification program. Recovering from the closure of its sawmill in 1994, the community of Klickitat's council has identified clean-up and beautification projects as their top priority in 1999-2000. Community cleanup is a major objective under it's economic development goals. Grant funds will enable the community to expand its clean-up and beautification interests into a formal plan, and to initiate the implementation of that plan with volunteer effort and the purchase of supplies and equipment. It is likely that the community park and baseball field, both heavily used public areas, will be the initial focus of these efforts. The possibility of beginning a Main Street type planning effort as part of this project has also been discussed. The result will be not only the improvement of the libavity of the community, but a big step toward

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Federal Identifier: WANW-00-012

Grant Name: Water Improvement Eng. Phase 2

Applicant: City of White Salmon

Contact: Wil Keyser, 509-493-1133

Project Start Date: 05/31/2000

Project End Date: 12/31/2001

FS Award: \$50,000

Leveraged Funds: \$15,500

Total Project Funding: \$65,500

Description:

Funding for this project will provide bid ready design and engineering for a multi-jurisdictional water system and water supply capital improvement project for the communities of White Salmon, Bingen, and the Port of Klickitat. This project will provide for current and future storage capacity and provide adequte water for existing and future residential,

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Federal Identifier: WANW-00-036

Grant Name: Communities of Klickitat County Action Plan Update

Applicant: Klickitat County

Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-7060

Project Start Date: 09/01/2000

Project End Date: 12/31/2001

FS Award: \$2,500

Leveraged Funds: \$1,000

Total Project Funding: \$3,500

Description:

Since 1994, every incorporated and unincorporated community in Klickitat County has developed a community action plan. Most communities have completed their priority projects and are now ready to review and update their action plans. Also, some community councils have experienced turn-over and the new members need to be a part of shaping the community action plan. The low projected cost of this effort reflects the ability of most communities to perform their own plan update with outside assistance limited to help with drafting and plan production. Updated plans will reassert the importance of a framework for decision making in both the local communities and the county-wide economic and community development planning efforts.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-00-037
Grant Name: Husum Water System Engineering Study

Project Start Date: 09/01/2000
Project End Date: 12/31/2001

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-7060

FS Award: \$20,000
Leveraged Funds: \$22,375
Total Project Funding: \$42,375

Description:

Funding will provide the engineering report essential to defining the water system alternatives available to the residents of Husum. Husum is an unincorporated community located in southwestern Klickitat County on State Road No. 141. 7 miles north of White Salmon. The "Olson Well" currently serves 21 Husum residences located on the west side of the Klickitat River. The Olsons no longer wish to retain ownership or control of the well and have warned the community that they must wither find the means to acquire and manage the well or locate another source. The Olsons have cited compliance issues, liability and increasing O & M costs as their reason for relinquishing the Husum water system. The local community council, the Husum water users, RCAC and Klickitat County have spent considerable time on identifying ways to provide Husum with a viable water system. The proposed engineering study grant request will provide the information necessary to both answer that question and to begin the process of pursuing a variety of funding sources for system construction.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-00-038
Grant Name: Maryhill Museum Facility Refurbishment Design & En

Project Start Date: 09/01/2000
Project End Date: 12/31/2001

Applicant: Maryhill Museum of Art
Contact: Josie De Falla, 509-773-3733

FS Award: \$45,000
Leveraged Funds: \$178,974
Total Project Funding: \$223,974

Description:

Grant will assist Maryhill Museum of Art with completion of the final design and engineering plans needed to facilitate full refurbishment of their 80-year old electrical and plumbing systems. Engineering componenets will address the following: 1) electrical plans will provide heating and cooling, ventilation systems, siting of systems away from the main building to preserve space and minimize noise; improve service levels (ie upsize transformer); improve alarm systems; and bring all wiring up to code; and 2) plumbing system plans to design for ADA restrooms; replace all original pipes and plumbing; and design for fire protection system. Maryhill Museum receives up to 10,000 visitors monthly. The non-profit facility is a major tourist destination and economic catalyst in Klickitat County. Bring the Museum's electrical and plumbing infrastructure up to contemporary standards will address needs of visitors (ie ADA), attract a larger constituency, and protect the national historic site.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-01-012
Grant Name: Dallesport Infrastructure Improvements
Applicant: Klickitat County Port District 1
Contact: Dianne Sherwood, 509-493-1655

Project Start Date: 06/15/2001
Project End Date: 12/31/2003

FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$139,521
Total Project Funding: \$189,521

Description:

Preliminary design and design engineering will be completed to update existing infrastructure and to accommodate new infrastructure improvements to the Port's property located at Dallesport Industrial Park, including new electrical, water (potable and fire), natural gas, and telephone lines in conjunction with new sewer lines. The new infrastructure improvements will service approximately 35 acres of Port property adjacent to Highway 197.99. The Port's mission is to create living wage jobs at this industrial site. Current uses on the 660 acre industrial site include transportation companies, aggregate mining and batch plant, lumber mill, and white iron found. Future site improvements will allow lighter industrial and commercial uses targeted for the project area's proximity to Hwy 197.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-02-002
Grant Name: Bingen Point Infrastructure Improvements
Applicant: Port of Klickitat
Contact: Dianne Sherwood, 509-493-1655

Project Start Date: 02/28/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2004

FS Award: \$20,000
Leveraged Funds: \$16,800
Total Project Funding: \$36,800

Description:

Funding for this project will provide technical assistance to the Port of Klickitat for infrastructure improvements for Phase III of the Port's Master Plan. Funding will assist the Port with preliminary design and engineering components so the Port has necessary engineering analysis and information in order to make infrastructure improvements to gateway parcels in the Port's Bingen Point Industrial Park. The preliminary engineering plan will open up 15 additional acres within the Port's 124-acre industrial park by extending utilities and roads for future development, which increases the Port's capacity for new businesses and additional jobs.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-02-004
Grant Name: Klickitat Wastewater Treatment Plant
Applicant: Klickitat County PUD
Contact: Nadine Huxley, 509-773-5891

Project Start Date: 05/20/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2003

FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$45,000
Total Project Funding: \$95,000

Description:

Funding for this project would complete Phase 1 of replacing the Klickitat Wastewater Treatment Plant, which includes a Facilities Plan, Environmental Report/Biological Assessment and siting Location Plan. The plant is 50 years old, in disrepair, frequently requires emergency maintenance, is in violation of permitted discharge standards, and poses a threat to public and health safety. Economic revitalization and stability can only follow the development of sound infrastructure.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-02-009

Grant Name: Klickitat Co. Tourism Strategic Plan

Applicant: Klickitat Co. Resource Development Department

Contact: Donald G. Struck, 509-773-7060

Project Start Date: 05/01/2002

Project End Date: 12/31/2003

FS Award: \$10,000

Leveraged Funds: \$10,252

Total Project Funding: \$20,252

Description:

The project will develop a comprehensive county-wide Tourism Strategic Plan necessary to enhance tourism development and marketing. Tourism development is a well-documented cornerstone for economic diversification strategies endorsed by Municipalities and organizations throughout the region. This industry, in Klickitat County, has been significantly underdeveloped. This is also timely to coordinate with activities being planned around the forthcoming Lewis and Clark Commemoration. Success of this project will result in strengthening the tourism-employment sector, which will help retain and create jobs in the hospitality and other tourism-dependent businesses. Over time, growth would occur in businesses that support tourism including food and lodging, transportation, and special events.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-02-016

Grant Name: Bingen Point Bldg Design Engineering

Applicant: Klickitat County Port District #1

Contact: Dianne Sherwood, 509-493-1655

Project Start Date: 05/20/2002

Project End Date: 12/31/2003

FS Award: \$50,000

Leveraged Funds: \$65,963

Total Project Funding: \$115,963

Description:

Grant will provide technical assistance to the Port of Klickitat for the pre-design and design of a 25,000 - 30,000 sq. ft. light industrial building. Klickitat County has second highest unemployment rate in state. New building will allow expansion by current tenant of Port to retain 18 jobs and add 35 jobs.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-02-028

Grant Name: Lyle Wastewater Facility Improvements

Applicant: Public Utility Dist. #1 of Klickitat County

Contact: Lorraine Reynolds, 509-773-7620

Project Start Date: 09/01/2002

Project End Date: 12/31/2005

FS Award: \$45,000

Leveraged Funds: \$185,000

Total Project Funding: \$230,000

Description:

This project will provide engineering design and preparation of plans and specifications for improvements to the community of Lyle's wastewater treatment facility. Completing these plans and specifications will move the project to the next phase. The design of the Lyle wastewater treatment facility is the second phase of an overall project that will result in an infrastructure that is able to support economic development and create employment opportunities.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-95-007
Grant Name: Wastewater Treatment Plant
Applicant: City of Bingen
Contact: Charles Long, 509-493-2122

Project Start Date: 06/16/1995
Project End Date: 11/04/1996
FS Award: \$250,000
Leveraged Funds: \$5,215,004
Total Project Funding: \$5,465,004

Description:

Funds would contribute to the construction, installation and purchase of a clarifier for a water treatment plant. Communities of Bingen and White Salmon are under a Dept. of Ecology compliance order. This treatment plant will enable the communities to develop new businesses and pursue diversification efforts.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-96-009
Grant Name: Trout Lake Emergency Services
Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-6636

Project Start Date: 03/25/1996
Project End Date: 06/30/1998
FS Award: \$12,000
Leveraged Funds: \$3,700
Total Project Funding: \$15,700

Description:

This grant of \$15,700 will develop a long-range master plan which will incorporate fire fighting, emergency medical, and search and rescue services for the Trout Lake Valley. This master plan and subsequent implementation projects should give some assurance to tourists who may wonder about emergency services. It should also attract potential businesses to Troutdale.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-96-012
Grant Name: Trout Lake Valley Water Plan
Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-6636

Project Start Date: 04/25/1996
Project End Date: 03/31/1997
FS Award: \$16,000
Leveraged Funds: \$4,796
Total Project Funding: \$20,796

Description:

This grant of \$16,000 will help the community to develop a comprehensive water system plan. This plan will be a step towards building community capacity in that the County will be able to more effectively capitalize on the growth that is occurring now as well as in the future.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-96-017
Grant Name: Roosevelt Wastewater Syst. Imp
Applicant: Klickitat County PUD #1
Contact: Brian Skeahan, 800-548-8357

Project Start Date: 07/12/1996
Project End Date: 12/31/2000
FS Award: \$250,000
Leveraged Funds: \$1,062,617
Total Project Funding: \$1,312,617

Description:

This grant of \$250,000 will help Klickitat County to replace and upgrade their current wastewater system. Replacement and upgrading of the Roosevelt wastewater system promises to increase business development opportunities for residents and for potential investors who have an interest in diversifying the local economy but who have been limited, to date, by lack of basic infrastructure to do so.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-96-022
Grant Name: Community Action Plan

Project Start Date: 07/31/1996
Project End Date: 12/31/1997

Applicant: City of Goldendale
Contact: Mark Sigfrinius, 509-773-3771

FS Award: \$11,310
Leveraged Funds: \$5,784
Total Project Funding: \$17,094

Description:

This grant of \$11,332 will provide the City of Goldendale with a Community Action Plan which includes \$5,000 to be used towards an implementation project. The City of Goldendale and a broad range of community citizens recently completed a leadership training course that was provided by a non-profit organization. Part of the training demonstrated how a community could set goals and accomplish projects through their own initiative and through potential partnerships between community organizations as well as potential avenues for outside partnerships. The outcome of this training has been increased community participation in assisting with activities across organizations in the city. The plan will build on that work and assist the community to look broadly and long-range at what can be achieved through planning.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-96-023
Grant Name: Comm Act/Econ Revitalization

Project Start Date: 07/31/1996
Project End Date: 06/30/1998

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-6636

FS Award: \$13,500
Leveraged Funds: \$7,550
Total Project Funding: \$21,050

Description:

The federal award of \$13,500 will assist Klickitat County develop a Klickitat Community Action and Economic Revitalization Plan. This plan will assist the small community of Klickitat and its surrounding areas by helping them to focus on priorities for their community. This community historically has had heavy reliance on timber and is currently trying to come to grips with alternatives. The economic revitalization part of the plan will focus on site specific and industry specific alternatives to attracting outside businesses.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-97-010
Grant Name: BZ/Husum Community Action Plan

Project Start Date: 06/15/1997
Project End Date: 06/15/1998

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-4612

FS Award: \$8,000
Leveraged Funds: \$4,200
Total Project Funding: \$12,200

Description:

This grant of \$8,000 will help the communities of BZ and Husum to develop a joint Community Action Plan. This Plan will lay the foundation for the communities to create an identity which focuses on long-term community needs based on proactively planning for future opportunities. This plan will also focus the County's attention on the communities' priorities for economic diversification projects. Some other goals of this project are to encourage local partnerships, strengthen community bonds, develop local capacity, and identify critical resources which will foster long-term civic pride and stewardship.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-97-011
Grant Name: Gateway Interpretive Signage

Project Start Date: 06/02/1997
Project End Date: 12/21/2000

Applicant: Maryhill Museum of Art
Contact: Josie De Falla, 509-773-3733

FS Award: \$17,020
Leveraged Funds: \$4,400
Total Project Funding: \$21,420

Description:

Maryhill Museum of Art, in Klickitat County, is building a scenic overlook and gateway facility as part of a recently awarded "scenic byways" grant. The scenic overlook will serve as the "northwestern gateway to the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area" providing travelers with information and orientation on the facilities and recreational features in the Columbia River Gorge. This overlook and interpretive signing will also attract travelers on State Highway 14 to stop at this non-profit museum, therefore, increasing their visitation, employment, and annual revenue. The Museum attracts 10,000 visitors monthly. Countless others stop to use the parking lot and Museum's grounds as an overlook and picnic area. Successful completion of this project will help to address the needs of these many visitors. It will also assist in orienting and dispersing travelers to the many attractions and opportunities in the Gorge and two adjacent National Forests.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-97-015
Grant Name: Bingen Wt.Salmon water sys imp

Project Start Date: 09/01/1997
Project End Date: 12/31/2000

Applicant: City of White Salmon
Contact: Roger Holen, 509-493-2122

FS Award: \$152,000
Leveraged Funds: \$1,523,920
Total Project Funding: \$1,675,920

Description:

Water System improvements including: a redundant chlorination system, well site improvements, and 1000' of 6" water main to a well site. This project will further opportunities for development of businesses in White Salmon, Bingen, and the Port of Bingen. An improved water system will also alleviate health and safety issues for current users.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-97-019
Grant Name: Dallesport Engineering Study

Project Start Date: 09/15/1997
Project End Date: 12/31/1998

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Joan Frey, 509-773-4612

FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$70,000
Total Project Funding: \$120,000

Description:

This grant of \$50,000 will assist the County in developing a water/storm/sewer plan for the community of Dallesport. This plan and a parallel economic alternatives study is expected to set the stage for designing a wastewater/water system

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-98-023
Grant Name: Buck Creek Watershed Study

Project Start Date: 07/01/1998
Project End Date: 12/31/2003

Applicant: City of White Salmon
Contact: William Keyser, 509-493-1133

FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$76,415
Total Project Funding: \$126,415

Description:

This grant will assist the City of White Salmon with completion of a comprehensive watershed resource study within the Buck Creek Municipal Watershed. The study will determine the impact of resource uses on the water quality and quantity; identify drainages, boundaries, and zones of influence; establish watershed management direction for each resource; and develop individual resource utilization plans to resolve current water quality degradation issues and potential health risks to water system users. The implementation of this resource study will result in the preservation and improvement of water quality and quantity for both the short- and long-term objectives of achieving adequacy, efficiency, economy, and public health in domestic water supply for the City of White Salmon and the Multi-jurisdiction area served.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-98-024
Grant Name: Bingen/White Salmon Action Plan

Project Start Date: 07/07/1998
Project End Date: 12/31/1998

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Ray Thayer, 509-773-4612

FS Award: \$19,200
Leveraged Funds: \$4,800
Total Project Funding: \$24,000

Description:

This grant will assist the neighboring cities of Bingen and White Salmon, Washington, in developing strategic action plans. This process will assist the two communities with the identification of individual and common interests, and prioritization of community opportunities for future development and enhancements. The action planning process will bring the communities together to identify and work on common goals, such as construction of a new wastewater treatment facility and a new multi-jurisdictional water improvements system which is currently underway. This new infrastructure will enable the two cities to accommodate growth and employment opportunities.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-98-031
Grant Name: Water Supply/Storage Design

Project Start Date: 09/01/1998
Project End Date: 03/31/2000

Applicant: City of Goldendale
Contact: Mark Sigfrinius, 509-773-3771

FS Award: \$70,000
Leveraged Funds: \$17,500
Total Project Funding: \$87,500

Description:

This grant of \$70,000 will provide supplemental funding for project design and pre-construction costs for improvements to the City of Goldendale's water system. The capacity of the system is inadequate for the City's current needs, is constraining growth of existing business and impeding recruitment of new business. A final engineering design will enable the community to begin the construction phase that will resolve the present water system problems which in turn will provide opportunities for growth of existing businesses and recruitment of new businesses.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-98-035
Grant Name: Columbia River Access Feas/Eng
Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Ray Thayer, 509-773-4612

Project Start Date: 09/04/1998
Project End Date: 10/31/1999
FS Award: \$7,500
Leveraged Funds: \$7,500
Total Project Funding: \$15,000

Description:

This grant will help the County to develop a study that identifies the technical requirements needed to restore Wishram's river access, including a plan for tourism. The proposed study would address: obtaining permission from the railroad for river access; exploring land ownership issues that exist in addition to railroad access questions; the best location and design for an overpass if railroad permission is received; and marina design alternatives and cost projections. With river access, the community has the potential to pursue development of a marina which would serve recreational boaters as well as the growing number of cruise ships on the Columbia River. A Wishram marina could capture a part of the 60,000 visitors currently passing through the area to such sites as Maryhill Museum, bringing new vitality to the community.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-98-036
Grant Name: Klickitat Comm. Water Plan
Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Ray Thayer, 509-773-4612

Project Start Date: 09/09/1998
Project End Date: 10/31/1999
FS Award: \$28,808
Leveraged Funds: \$8,000
Total Project Funding: \$36,808

Description:

This grant will fund the completion of the engineering design, the initial development step toward a new water system that will replace the current system's undrinkable water conditions, lower the lost to residents for the new system design, and provide them with independent technical counsel for evaluating alternative systems. This project will lower the cost to community residents for the design of a new water system and provide those residents with independent technical counsel on evaluating proposed alternatives for the design.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-99-001
Grant Name: Bingen Point Master Plan
Applicant: Port of Klickitat
Contact: Dianne Sherwood, 509-493-1655

Project Start Date: 01/25/1999
Project End Date: 01/31/2003
FS Award: \$28,000
Leveraged Funds: \$7,000
Total Project Funding: \$35,000

Description:

Funding for this project will provide the Port of Klickitat with the means to update and complete their Port 'Master Plan' for their 104 acre parcel on the Columbia River south of Bingen, WA. The Master Plan will be a comprehensive guide that will address multiple issues pertaining to the effective development of Bingen Point. These issues include job creation, infrastructure, proximity to the National Scenic Area, recreation, transportation access, right-of-way, wetland/wildlife preservation, and others. The primary goal of the Port of Klickitat Master Plan is to develop a Master Plan that will provide space for citizens and visitors to work and play in a well-designed environment that offers a balance between the need for business development, economic strength and appreciation for the natural beauty and livability of the area. The guiding force behind development of Bingen Point is economic vitality for Bingen, White Salmon, the west end of Klickitat County and the National Scenic Area.

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County: Klickitat

Federal Identifier: WANW-99-029
Grant Name: Wastewater Facility Imp Design

Project Start Date: 09/01/1999
Project End Date: 12/31/2000

Applicant: City of Goldendale
Contact: Mark Sigfrinius, 509-773-3771

FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$510,000
Total Project Funding: \$560,000

Description:

This project will enable the City of Goldendale to complete design work necessary to upgrade its wastewater treatment facility to bring it into conformance with Department of Ecology Compliance Order and NPDES permit requirements. Completion of the treatment facility will contribute to the sustainability of the community by providing adequate treatment capacity for the 20-year planning period. It is expected to provide multiple opportunities to increased economic activity, cost efficiencies, and savings to the populace of this predominately low-to-moderate income area. In addition to human health and economic impacts, it will alleviate the current situation where inadequately treated wastewater effluent is entering the Little Klickitat River, which provides habitat for Spring Chinook, Coho stocks, and Winter Steelhead.

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Federal Identifier: WANW-99-031
Grant Name: Dallesport Wastewater Facility

Project Start Date: 09/01/1999
Project End Date: 12/31/2000

Applicant: Klickitat County
Contact: Ray Thayer, 509-773-4612

FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$80,000
Total Project Funding: \$130,000

Description:

The County of Klickitat, Washington, has recently completed a water and wastewater engineering study for unincorporated community of Dallesport. Dallesport, a community of approximately 934 residents, is located on the banks of the Columbia River across from the Dalles, Oregon. The next phase in preparation for construction of actual infrastructure facilities is preparation of a facilities plan for wastewater systems. This plan, in conjunction with the now completed engineering study will provide the basis for construction fund applications scheduled for submission in 2000. The absence of a public wastewater system in Dallesport has been identified as the cause in numerous failed recruiting efforts for business and industrial siting. Currently, Dallesport is provided water by a combination of private water company and numerous privately owned wells and has no public wastewater system. The Port of Klickitat, which has its own water system, is located on the eastern portion of the area and has a large job creation potential which is currently limited by the lack of wastewater treatment. The area's job creation potential explored in a 1997 economic analysis suggests that 350-400 new light manufacturing jobs could be recruited to the Port's industrial park once wastewater treatment and site improvements are in place. The County's strategic plan for economic development cites infrastructure development in Dallesport as one of the top projects county-wide.

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County Summary:

Grants Awarded:	32
Total FS Award:	\$1,538,066
Total Leveraged Funds:	\$9,322,877
Total Project Funding:	\$10,860,943