

# Transportation And The Border

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... based on cross-border travel surveys completed last year, BC residents visiting Whatcom County account for 20% of the city of Bellingham's day-time population...

Southbound in the morning



Northbound in the evening



# Governor / Premier Joint Cabinet Meetings (JCM)

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**In 2006, the  
Governor &  
Premier  
established the  
WA/BC Joint  
Transportation  
Executive  
Council (JTEC)**



Former Washington Governor Gregoire and Present  
British Columbia Premier Clark  
February 2012

- Last JCM in February 2012
- Many accomplishments from the annual Action Plan including:
  - Significant reduction to southbound truck delay (from average 50 to 15 minutes)
  - Added NEXUS lanes leading to the ports of entry on both sides of the border
  - National leaders in Advanced Traveler Information Systems – (border wait times)

# WA/BC Joint Transportation Executive Council (JTEC)

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**JTEC is co-  
chaired by  
Secretary of  
Transportation  
and BC Minister  
of Transportation**

## 2012/13 Action Plan Highlights:



**Passenger Rail**



**Land Border Crossings**



**Commercial Vehicle  
Registration Data**



**US/Canada “Beyond the  
Border” Action Plan**

# Questions?

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