

# Washington State Transportation Commission

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SPOKANE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL



- Overview of the Region
- Its about the “Why”
- Things are Happening!

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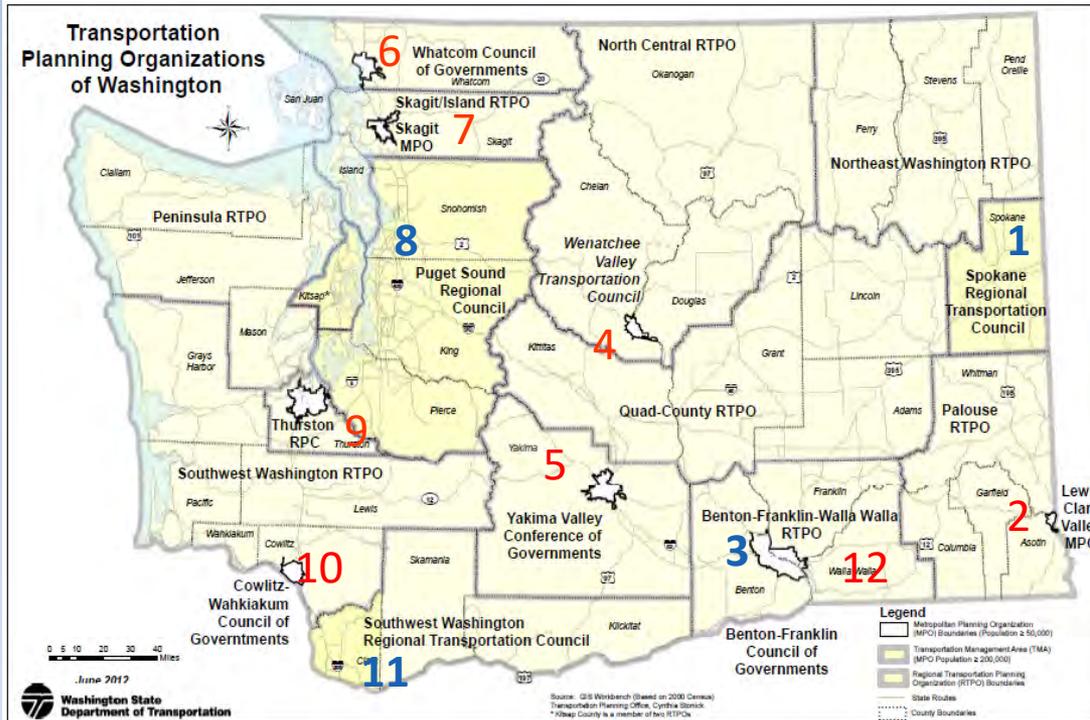
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**Mission:**  
To coordinate  
transportation planning  
in the Spokane region  
by providing leadership,  
expertise, and a forum  
for collaboration.

- ▶ MPO/RTPO required by federal/state law
- ▶ Lead agency for regional transportation planning

# Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs)



## Metropolitan Planning Organization

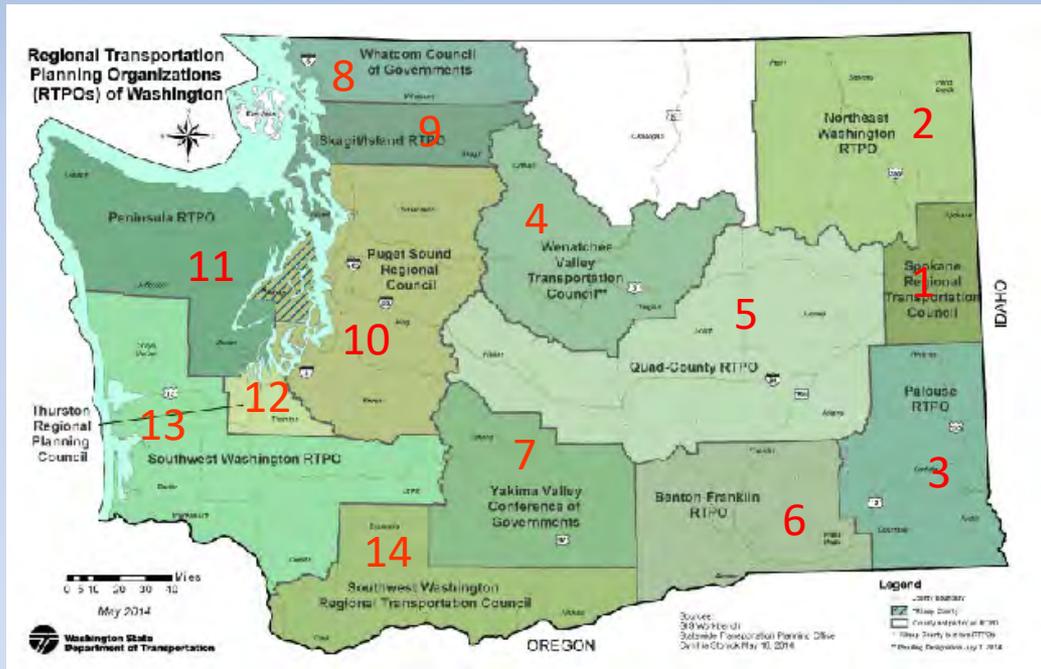
12 MPO's in Washington

Lead agency for transportation planning and decision-making in the metropolitan planning area (over 50,000 people)

## Transportation Management Area

Urban areas over 200,000 have more discretion in selecting projects for certain federal funds

# Regional Transportation Planning Organizations (RTPOs)



## RTPO Formation (WA State)

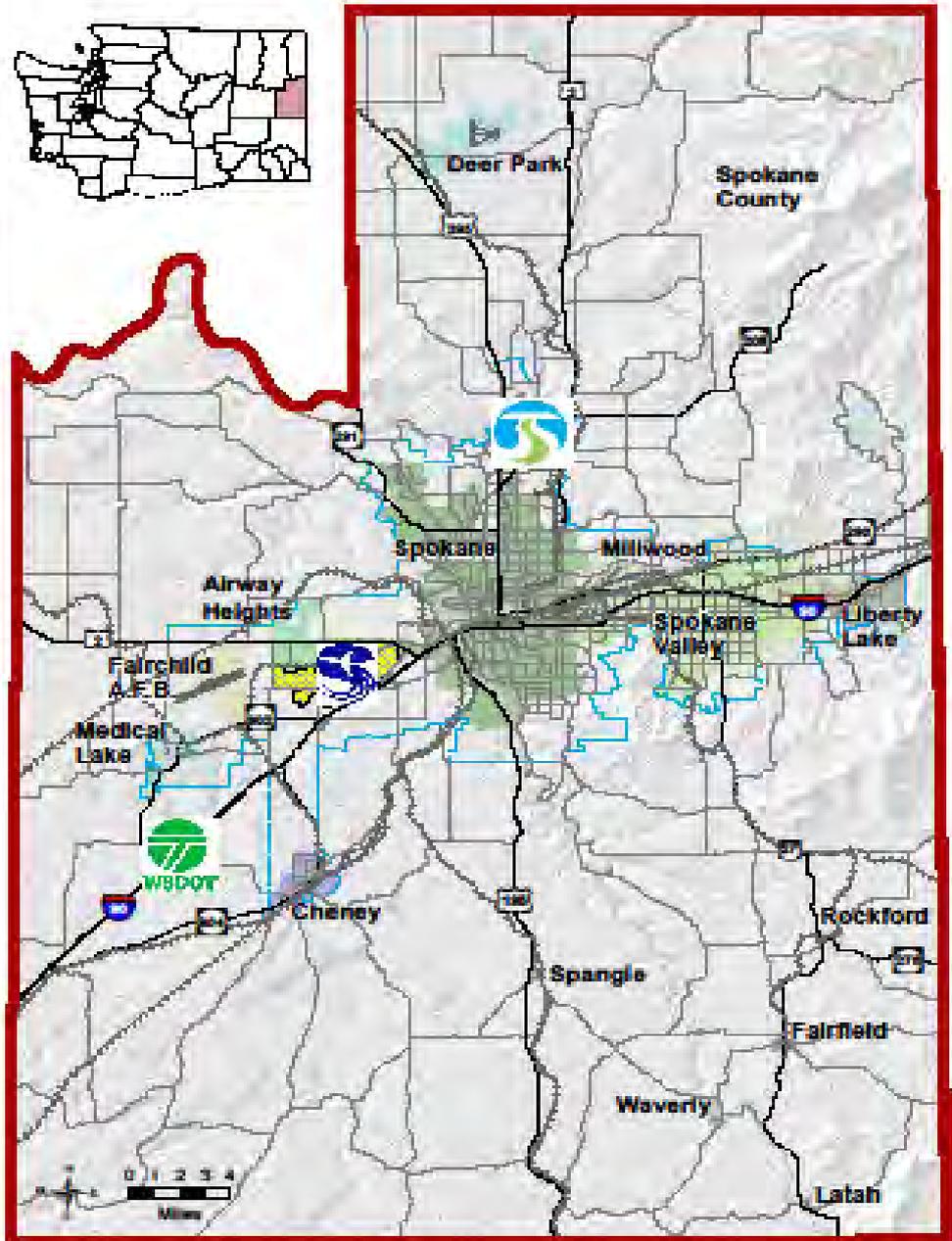
- Voluntary association
- Part of 1990 Growth Management Act to ensure local and regional coordination of transportation plans
- 14 RTPOs in 37 of the 39 counties

## RTPO Duties

- Prepare a Regional Transportation Plan (RTP)
- Certify that countywide planning policies and the transportation element of local comprehensive plans are consistent with the RTP
- Develop and maintain a six-year Regional Transportation Improvement Program

# SRTC

- Cities
- County
- STA
- Spokane Airports
- WSDOT



# Core Programs and Functions

## Planning

- Long Range Plan
- Congestion Management Process
- GMA compliance
- Subarea studies
- Integrated transportation studies

## Programming

- Transportation Improvement Plan (4-6 years)
- Call for projects (STP, CMAQ, and TAP)
- Data assisted prioritization
- Tracking of obligations
- Actively seeking funding sources

## Technical Modeling/Dat

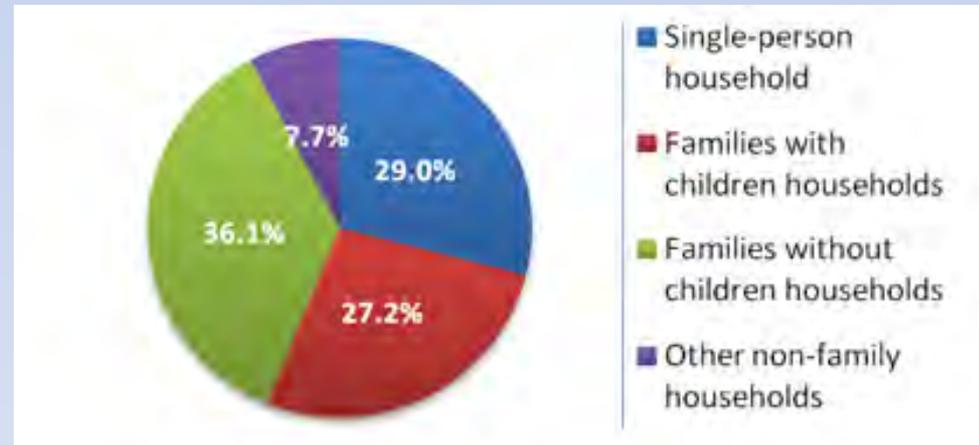
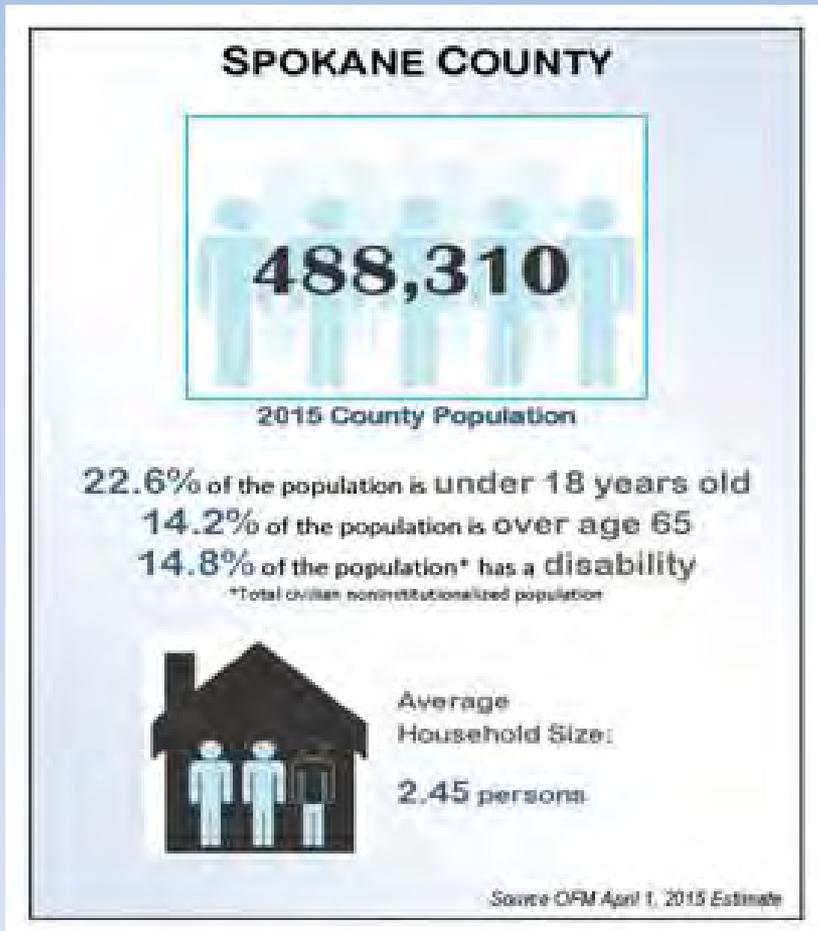
- Travel forecast modeling
- Air quality modeling
- Transportation and land use integration analysis and reporting
- Socioeconomic data collection and forecasting

## Coordination & Admin.

- Member agency support
- Regional forum
- Regional statewide & national collaboration
- Education and technical assistance
- Resource for best practices



# Spokane County Today



# Travel Time to Work

*Spokane County*



*King County*



*Ada County*



*Bronx County*



*Los Angeles County*



*United States Average*









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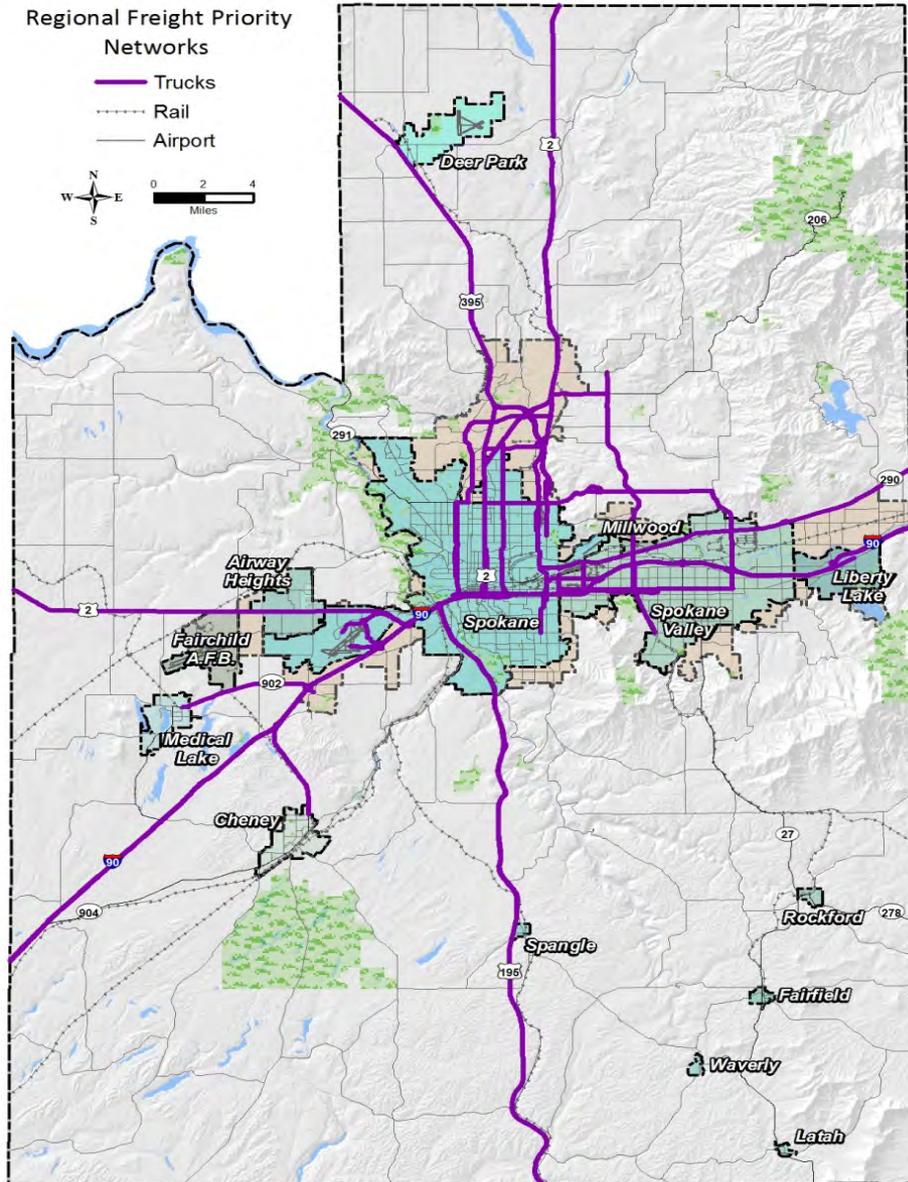
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### Regional Freight Priority Networks

- Trucks
- Rail
- Airport



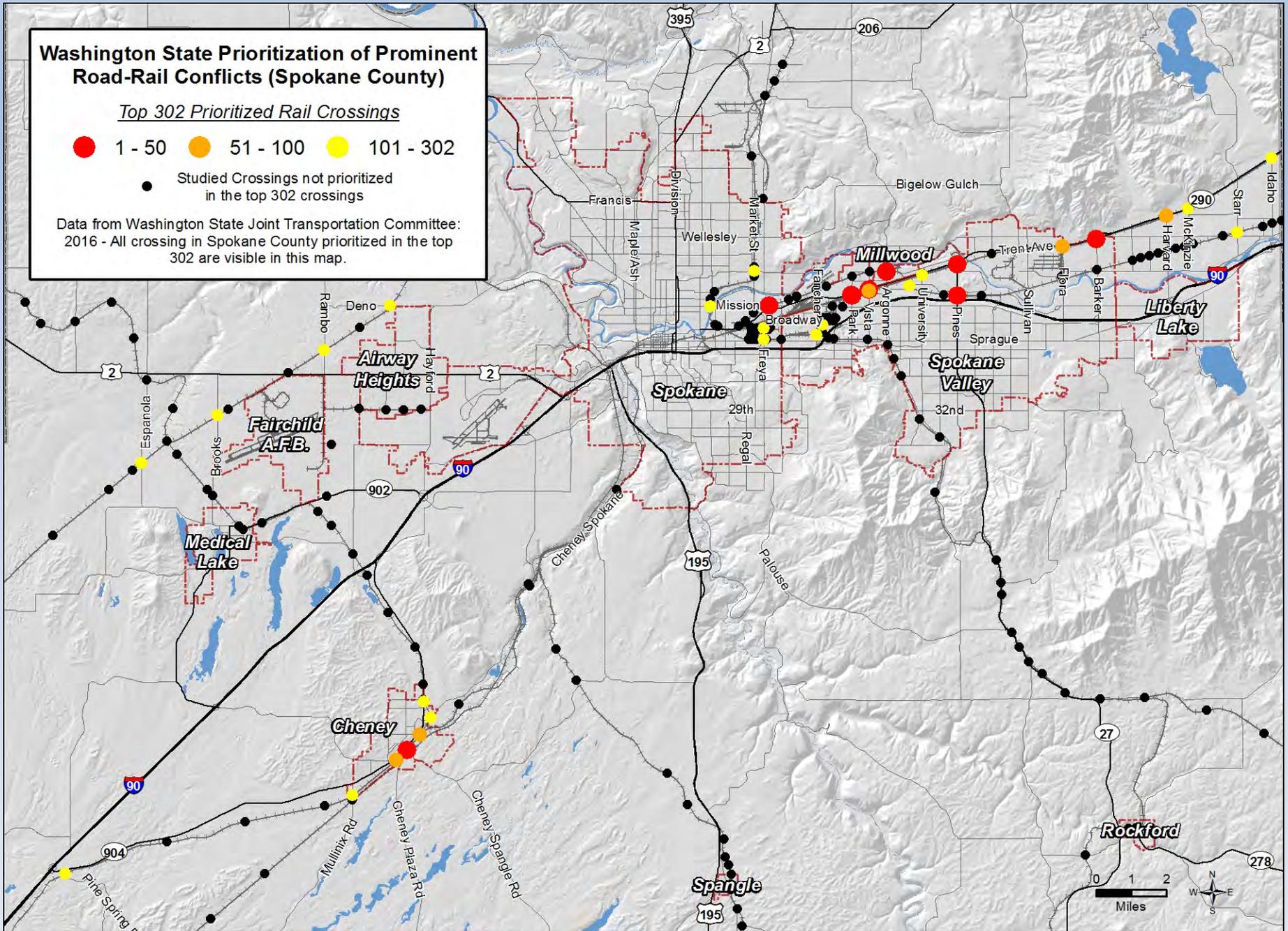
# Washington State Prioritization of Prominent Road-Rail Conflicts (Spokane County)

## Top 302 Prioritized Rail Crossings

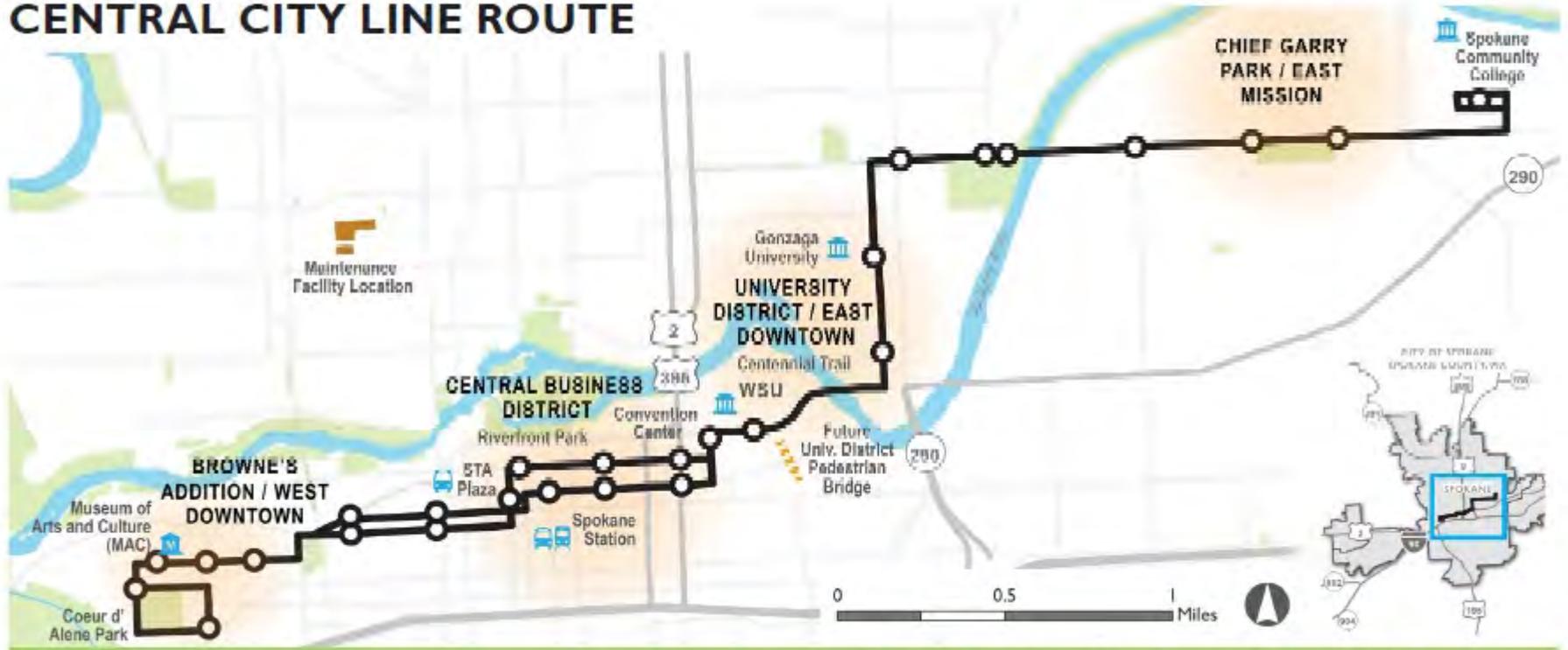
- 1 - 50
- 51 - 100
- 101 - 302

● Studied Crossings not prioritized in the top 302 crossings

Data from Washington State Joint Transportation Committee:  
2016 - All crossing in Spokane County prioritized in the top 302 are visible in this map.



# CENTRAL CITY LINE ROUTE



\*Source: Spokane Regional Transportation Council

\*\*Source: Economic and Land Use Impacts of the Spokane Central City Line, ECONorthwest, 2014

# Spokane Transit Park & Rides

For specific routes and schedules, call 328-RIDE or visit [www.spokanetransit.com](http://www.spokanetransit.com)

## North Spokane

### Five Mile

Ash Street and Five Mile Road

### Hastings

Hastings Road at Mayfair Road

### Fairwood

Hastings Road at N. Mill Road

### Country Homes

Wall St. at Shasta Ave

(Country Homes Christian Church)

## Downtown

### The Arena

Boone Avenue and Howard Street

(This lot is for CityTicket holders only)

### Jefferson Street

Between 3rd and 4th Avenues

(below the freeway)

## South Spokane

### South Hill

31st Avenue and Southeast Blvd.

## Spokane Valley

### Pence-Cole Valley Transit Center

4th Avenue and University Road

### Mirabeau Point

13209 East Indiana Avenue

## Liberty Lake

### Liberty Lake

Mission Avenue

(behind Albertson's)

## West Plains

### Airway Heights

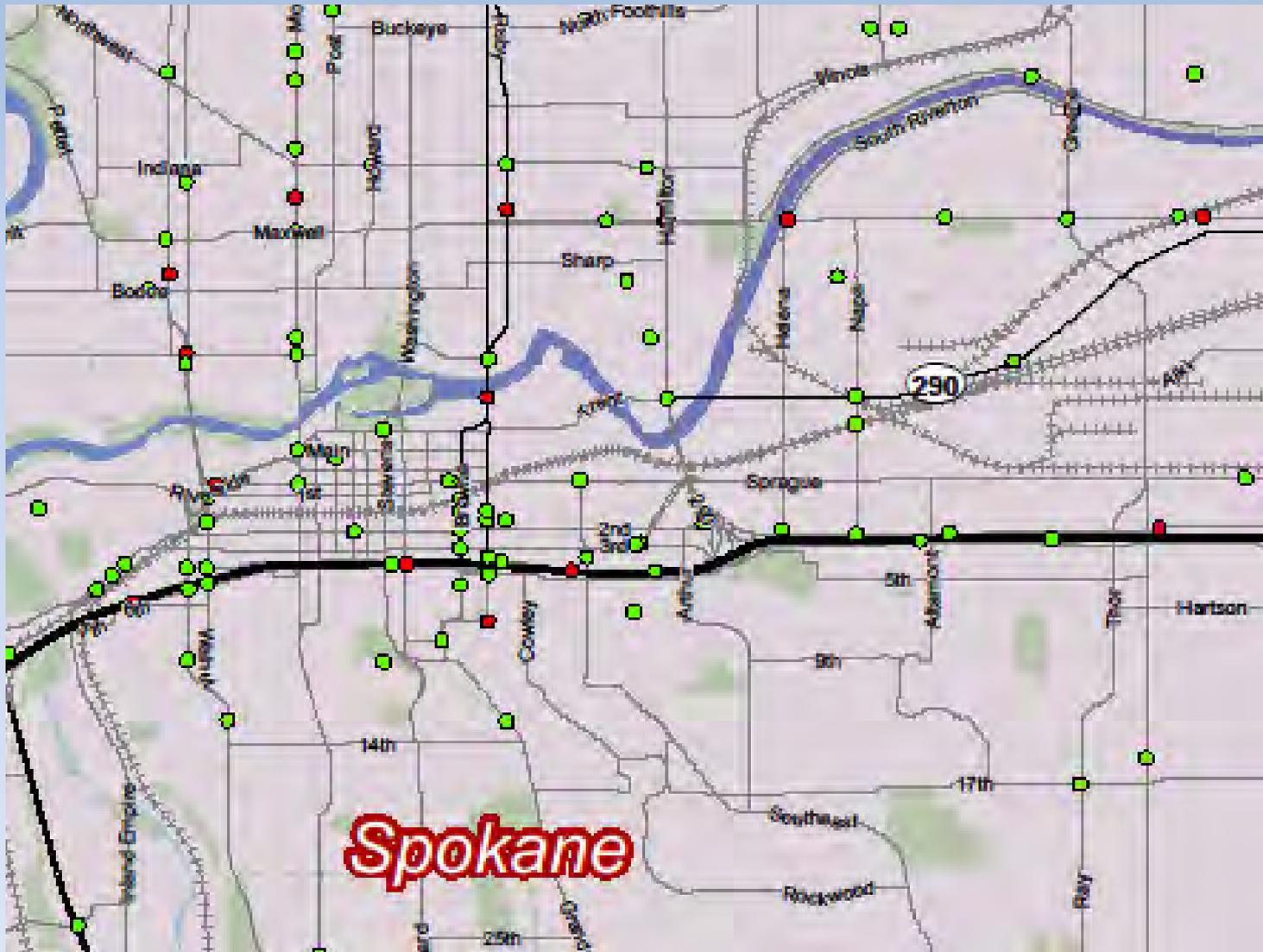
Highway 2 by Yoke's Foods

## Cheney

### K Street Transit Station

K Street and 1st Avenue

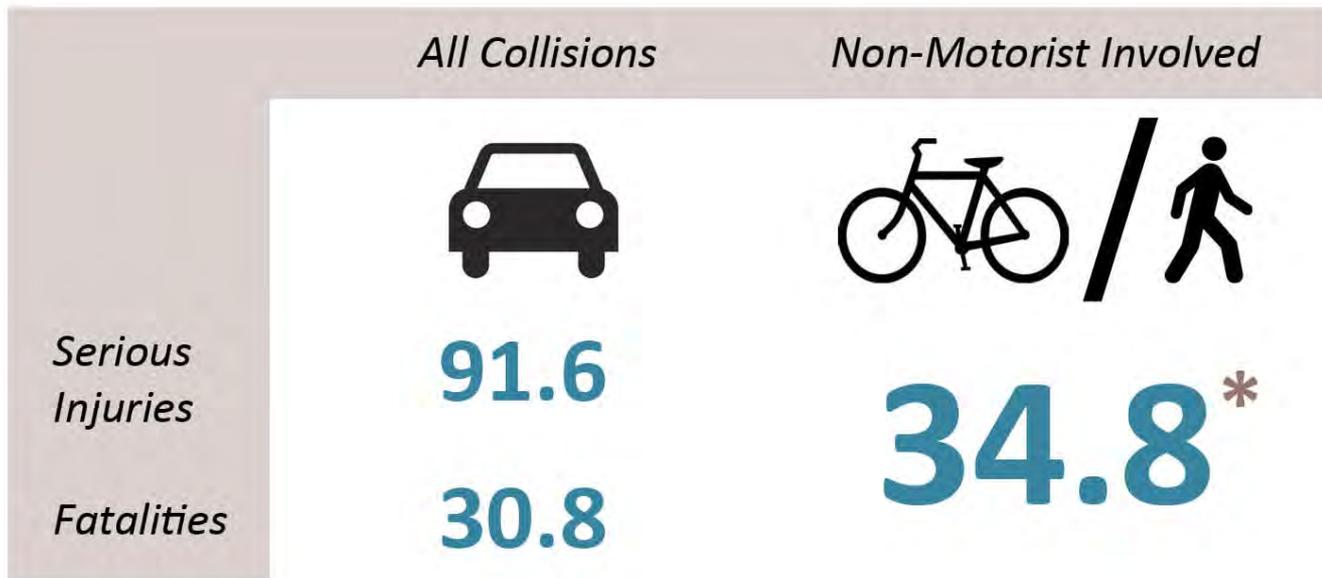
# Crashes: Fatal & Serious 2014-2016



Federal law 23 United States Code Section 409 governs use of the data you requested. Under this law, data maintained for purposes of evaluating potential highway safety enhancements;  
"...shall not be subject to discovery or admitted into evidence in a federal or state court proceeding or considered for other purposes in any action for damages arising from any occurrence at a location mentioned or addressed in such reports, surveys, schedules, lists, or data" [Emphasis added.]

# SPOKANE COUNTY SERIOUS INJURY & FATAL COLLISIONS

5 Year Average 2012-2016



Source: WA State Crash Data Portal

\*Combined average of serious injuries & fatalities

# Questions?

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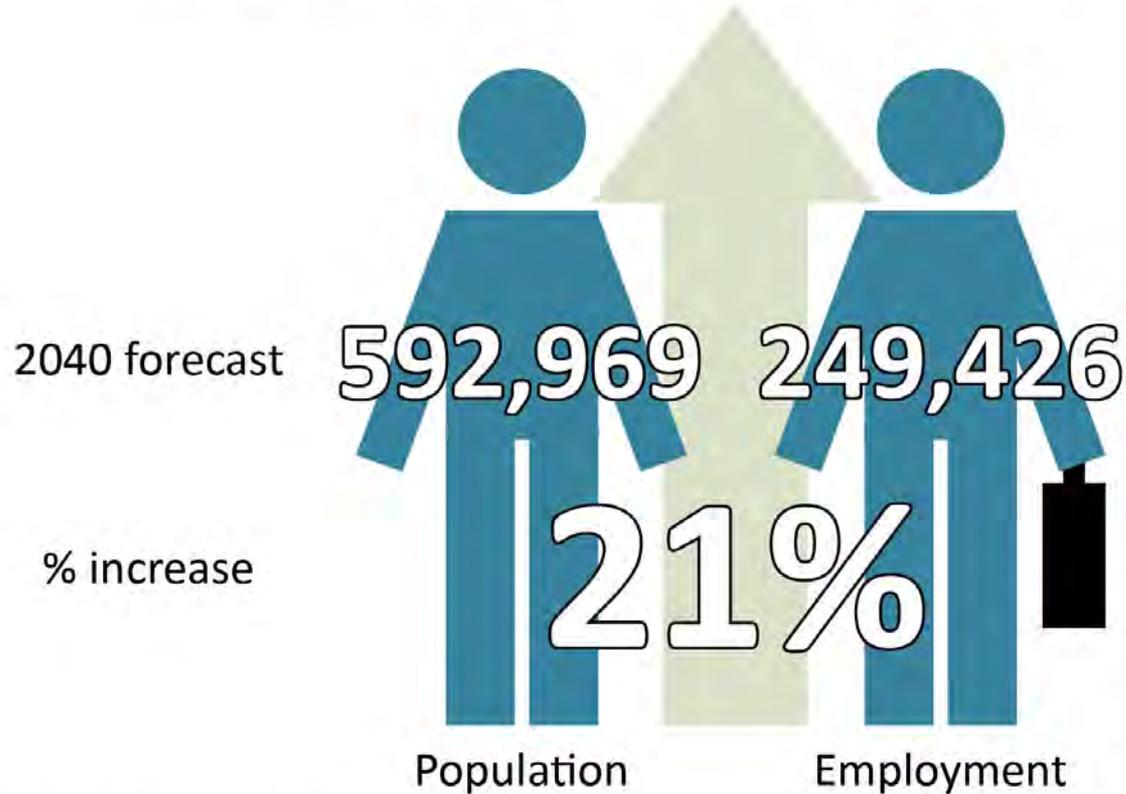


# Looking Ahead

- Growing
- Urban density
- Outlying areas
- New issues

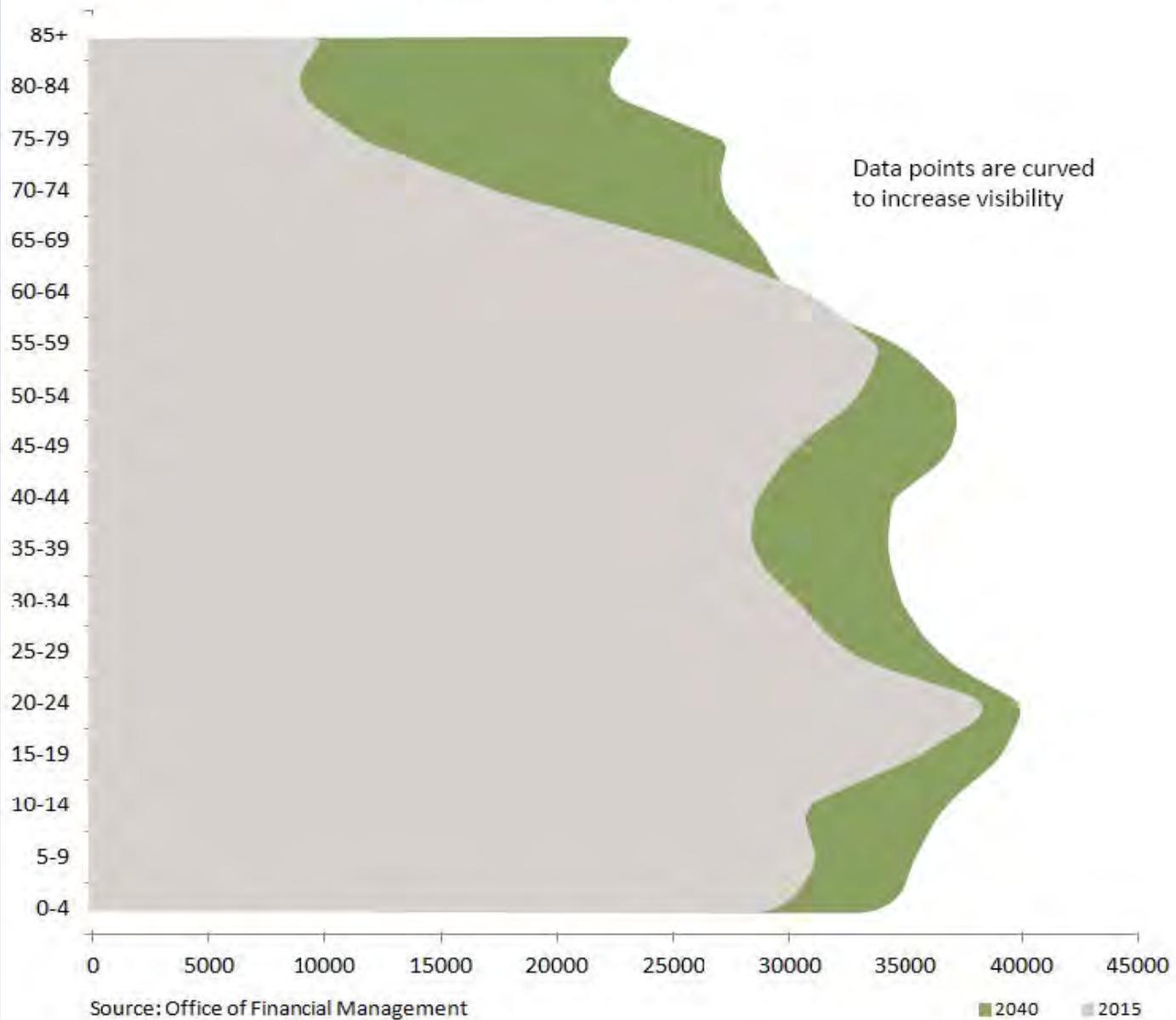
# Spokane County 2040

## 2040 Population & Employment Forecasts



Source: Employment Security Department, Office of Financial Management

# Forecasted Population by Age



Source: Office of Financial Management

2040 2015

# Train Count- Projected 2030

Location	Detail	Base Case	2020	2025	2030
<b>E. Spokane</b>	<b>Spokane Sub, MP 63</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>111</b>
Lind	Lakeside Sub, MP 91	42	46	66	88
Plymouth	Fallbridge Sub, MP 190	38	38	47	51
McLoughlin	Fallbridge Sub, MP 14	42	42	52	58
Ridgefield	Seattle Sub, MP 122	59	64	79	93
Vader	Seattle Sub, MP 77	51	56	71	85
East Olympia	Seattle Sub MP 35	46	52	66	81
Sea Tac Term	~MP32X, Puyallup	60	66	82	95
Sea Tac Term	~MP2X, Spokane St	68	79	85	90
Sea Tac Term	~MP2, Broad St	53	58	65	70
Mukilteo	Scenic Sub, MP 28	42	47	53	59
Marysville	Bellingham Sub, MP 38	26	25	28	31
Bow	Bellingham Sub, MP 79	20	20	22	25
Border	Bellingham Sub, MP 117	15	16	17	20
Monroe	Scenic Sub, MP 1770	23	23	28	26
Harrington	Columbia River, MP 1527	24	23	28	25
Ravensdale	Stampede Sub, MP 91	6	9	20	40
Yakima	Yakima Valley Sub, MP 90	8	11	23	41

# Emerging Technologies



# Strategies

- Prioritize preservation and maintenance
- Travel demand management & Intelligent Transportation Systems
- Cost effective investments
- Transit investments
  - Safety and security
  - Protect natural environment
  - Multimodal options
  - Regional leadership



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## SRTC Featured Maps



**Proposed MTP Projects 2018 - 2040**



**Spokane Regional Road Construction Map**



**Spokane Recreational Bike Rides**



**Transportation Improvement Program 2017 - 2020**

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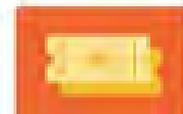
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6,283	1,051	1,377	206	1	1

### SRTC

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Spokane Regional Transportation Council does transportation planning for the region, obtaining state & federal funds for local projects.

#SpokaneTransportation

Spokane County, Washington

smrc.org

Joined June 2010



### Tweets Tweets & replies Media

**SRTC** @SRTC\_Spokane · 4h  
 #Transpo Improvement Program open house Tomorrow 4-6pm 421 W. Riverside Ste 504. How to spend \$8M on transpo projects [srtc.org/transportation...](http://srtc.org/transportation...)

2018-2021

## Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) OPEN HOUSE

The Spokane Regional Transportation Council (SRTC) proposes to invest \$78M dollars in our transportation system and is holding an open house to give the public an idea of projects that would fund.

**WHAT:** Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Open House  
**WHEN:** 4-6pm Tuesday Sept 10  
**WHERE:** 421 W. Riverside Ave. (Preston Center) Suite 504

Three major projects (shown right) will be highlighted in presentations at the open house. Presentations start at 4:30pm.

The 2018-2021 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) includes 100 projects to be built or implemented during these years, 43 of which are new to the TIP for year.

For more information on the 2018-2021 TIP: [SRTC.org/transportation-improvement-program](http://SRTC.org/transportation-improvement-program)



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The logo for the Spokane Regional Transportation Council (SRTC) features the letters "SRTC" in a large, bold, blue, italicized sans-serif font. Below the letters, the full name "SPOKANE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL" is written in a smaller, blue, all-caps sans-serif font, underlined.

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