

## Columbia River Crossing Oversight Subcommittee Meeting

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### Part 1

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Nancy Boyd: Explains and Refers to Construction Cost Estimates and Fund Sources (See Exhibit X). Colored boxes refer to cost estimates of colored sections of the map. Corridor is about 5 miles long.

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Nancy Boyd: Also in green is the light rail alignment, you can see it would cross the main Columbia River bridge and then you can see the couplet as it goes through downtown Vancouver and out to Clark College. The cost for the light rail is estimated to be \$850 million which would be paid for by the FTA New Starts fund.

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Representative Armstrong: Nancy, we have a question from Senator King

Senator Curtis King: Thank you, Mr. Chair. Going back to the light rail for 850 [\$850 million] do we have a breakdown of what's all included in that 850 {\$850 million} somewhere?

Nancy Boyd: Yes, I can provide that to you. But, I can tell you that the 850 [\$850 million] covers all the costs for constructing light rail, designing and constructing light rail, and, you know, I know you've had the question before about the match...essentially the Patty Murray language covers, allows us to use the rest of the project as the match for the 850 {\$850 million}.

Senator King: Well, I'm more concerned about where does all that money go. I mean, is all just what we see here in the green or are there other areas that, you know, we may be helping Oregon on some, you know, element of their light rail that's on their side of the bridge, and...?

Nancy Boyd: The 850 [\$850 million] would cover all the costs of building light rail from it currently ends in Oregon right there by the Expo Center. And so, for extending the light rail across Hayden Island, Station there at Hayden Island, across the Columbia River Bridge and then through Vancouver terminating at Clark College and it also includes the three park and ride structures, parking garages.



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Senator King: So, let me go back to this maintenance facility at Gresham. Is that on this map?

Nancy Boyd: No, it's not shown on the map but it is included in the light rail costs.

Senator King: And, how much are we including for that?

Nancy Boyd: Um, near as I can recall, um, I don't have the number in front of me. But I can get that back to you.

Senator King: The number I've heard is \$50 million.

Nancy Boyd: \$50 million?

Senator King: 50. 5-0.

Nancy Boyd: I don't know that that's in the same ballpark as what I've heard but we'll get back to you with that number.

Senator King: I would appreciate that.