

# Memorandum

July 10, 2007

To: TR-060278 - File

From: Kathy Hunter, Transportation Safety Compliance Manager

Subject: TR-060278 – Washington Operation Lifesaver (OL) GCPF Project

On August 16, 2006, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (commission) awarded a GCPF grant of \$4,200 for trespasser prevention, specifically installation of 60 feet of fencing near the Edmonds ferry terminal.

Since the grant was awarded, BNSF Railway installed 48 feet of fencing between Railroad Avenue and the tracks near the terminal leaving the remaining 12 foot section near the east side of the tracks and a parking lot to be completed. BNSF Railway is not seeking reimbursement for the 48 feet of fencing that they installed.

On July 9, 2007, the applicant, Washington Operation Lifesaver submitted a request for reimbursement for work pursuant to commission order. On July 3, 2007, commission staff conducted a site visit and verified that the remaining section is completed, however staff noted that the approximate length of the fencing is nine feet, not 12 feet. As a result of the shorter length of the fence, staff recommends that reimbursement is limited to no more than \$450, plus any permitting costs.

Please close this docket.