

Honorable Mention

The Following employees are recognized for making Washington government more efficient:

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| Dana Base | Stacy Cutlip |
| John Erickson | Shelley Balsler |
| Judy Hsu | Pete Davis |
| Karri Livingston | Lindsay Pryor |
| Carolyn Berger | Deaydra Wise |
| Steven Gaines | Byrd Thibodaux |
| Teresa Owens | Theresa Scott |
| Paul Vilja | Douglas Pulse |
| Linda Gunnells | Tom Werda |



2008

Innovations In State Government Awards

Please join us for a reception immediately following the ceremony in the Office of the Secretary of State conference room

Teamwork Incentive Program

Clear Communications Team

Department of Licensing - Savings \$248,940

Elise Brimhall
Alyson Chase
Mike Hata
Margaret Vogeli
Sandy Wilkin
Kim Zuchlewski

Liquor Licensee Briefing Project

Liquor Control Board- Savings \$26,756

Mark Jansen
Barbara Martinez
Justin Nordhorn
Kent Williams

Agency with Highest Savings

Department of Transportation - Savings \$343,995

Coordinator of the Year

To be Announced

Putting Ideas to Work

Since its inception over 26 years ago, the Productivity Board has saved Washington State taxpayers more than \$54 million in first year savings. To date, about 24,000 employees have improved government through the Productivity Board Programs.

The Employee Suggestion Program rewards individuals for submitting original ideas that save the state money, generate revenue, and improve services within state government.

First year savings since 1982 -- \$32.1 million

The Teamwork Incentive Program encourages groups of employees to create innovative solutions to improve use of team and resources and streamlined processes.

First-year savings since 1982 -- \$22.3 million

Productivity Board Members

Secretary of State Sam Reed - Awards Presenter
State Auditor Brian Sonntag - Emcee
General Administration Director Linda Bremer
Social & Health Services Kathleen Brockman
Private Sector Representative Mike Kerschbaum
Speaker of the House Appointee George Masten
Office of Financial Management Roselyn Marcus
Federation of State Employees Appointee Wanda Riley
Department of Personnel Scott Turner
Council of College Presidents Terry Teale

Outstanding Evaluators

Selected by Agencies

Susan Harp

Department of Health

Jim Hutchins

Liquor Control Board

Mike LaCroix

Department of Transportation

Charlene Peoples

Department of Health

Monika Taylor

Liquor Control Board

Richard Wentworth

Department of Social and Health Services

Ray Willard

Department of Transportation

Enhancing Cultural Services Award

Selected by the Productivity Board

Peter Carris

Parks and Recreation

Glenda Moore

Department of Health

Environmental Award

Selected by the Productivity Board

Irene Ritchie

Washington State Lottery

Top Money Saving Suggestions

Morgan

Department of Social and Health Services - \$102,738

Dean Lau

Liquor Control Board - \$59,940

Reginald Radliff

Department of Social & Health Services - \$17,992

Ronda DeBower

Department of Corrections - \$13,944

Innovative Team

Tacoma Narrows Bridge - \$224,372

Department of Transportation

Peter Courtney

Lawrence Courtney

Jon Moergen

Marcus Pettiford

Randy Sacha

Brad Scofield

Christopher Wylie