

APPENDIX D: CROSSWALK BETWEEN THE FRA STATE RAIL PLAN GUIDANCE AND THE STATE RAIL PLAN FORMAT

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| 1.0 | The Role of Rail in Statewide Transportation | | |
| 1.1 | The State’s goals for the multimodal transportation system. | 1.2 | Vision and goals for Washington’s rail system |
| 1.2 | A conceptual analysis of rail transportation’s role within the State’s transportation system | 2.5 | Roles and responsibilities |
| 1.5 | A summary of the freight and passenger rail services, initiatives and plans | 7 | Rail investments and initiatives |
| 1.3 | A description of the institutional governance structure of the State rail program(s) | 2.5 | Roles and responsibilities |
| 1.4 | A description of the State’s authority for grant, loan, and public/private partnership financing | 8.2 | Rail funding sources, State |
| 2.0 | The State’s Existing Rail System | | |
| 2.1 | Description and Inventory | 2.1 | Rail system elements |
| | | 2.2 | Freight services |
| | | 2.3 | Passenger services |
| | | 2.4 | Strategic Rail Corridor Network |
| 2.2 | Trends and Forecasts | 3 | Freight rail system strengths and challenge |
| | | 4 | Passenger rail system strengths and challenges |
| | | 5 | Integrated rail system |

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| 2.3 | Rail Service Needs and Opportunities | 3 | Freight rail system strengths and challenge |
| | | 4 | Passenger rail system strengths and challenges |
| | | 5 | Integrated rail system |
| 3.0 | Proposed Passenger Rail Improvements and Investments | 7.2 | Rail investments and initiatives, passenger rail |
| 4.0 | Proposed Freight Rail Improvements and Investments | 7.1 | Rail investments and initiatives, freight rail |
| 5.0 | The State's Rail Service and Investment Program | | |
| 5.1 | Vision | 1.2 | Vision and goals for Washington's rail system |
| 5.2 | Program Coordination | 1.4 | Alignment with planning activities |
| 5.3 | Rail Agencies | 7 | Rail investments and initiatives |
| 5.4 | Program Effects | 7 | Rail investments and initiatives |
| 5.5 | Passenger Element | 7.2 | Rail investments and initiatives, passenger rail |
| 5.6 | Freight Element | 7.1 | Rail investments and initiatives, freight rail |
| 5.7 | Rail Studies and Reports | 7 | Rail investments and initiatives |
| 5.8 | Passenger and Freight Rail Capital Program | Appendix A | Illustrative list of investments |
| 6.0 | Coordination and Review | 1.5 | Plan development |
| Appendices | Documentation of Technical Assumptions and Procedural Steps | A | Illustrative list of investments |
| | | B | Existing and future demand forecasting results of intercity passenger rail and freight rail transportation |
| | | C | Passenger rail multimodal connectivity analysis and candidate improvements |