RESOLUTION 2024-001 APPORTION RATA FUNDS TO REGIONS

WHEREAS RCW 36.79.030 establishes the Northeast, Northwest, Puget Sound, Southeast and Southwest Regions in Washington State for the purpose of apportioning Rural Arterial Trust Account (RATA) funds; and WHEREAS RCW 36.79.040 specifies the manner in which RATA funds are to be apportioned to the five regions; and WHEREAS the CRABoard established regional apportionment percentages for the 2023 - 2025 biennium at its meeting of July 27, 2023; and WHEREAS RCW 36.79.050 states that the apportionment percentages shall be used once each calendar quarter by the board to apportion funds credited to the rural arterial trust account; and WHEREAS RCW 36.79.020 authorizes expenditure of RATA funds for costs associated with program administration;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the accrued amount of \$3,319,897 made available in the RATA in <u>October, and November 2023</u> be apportioned to the regions by their 2023-2025 biennium percentages after setting aside \$120,690 for administration.

REGION	APPORTION- MENT <u>PERCENT</u>	CURRENT APPORTION	BIENNIAL <u>APPORTION</u> (2023 - 2025)	PRIOR <u>PROGRAM</u> (1983 - 2023)	PROGRAM TO DATE
ADMIN.		120,690	301,526	15,314,272	15,615,798
NORTHEAS	Г 43.67%	1,397,094	4,357,122	290,597,303	294,954,425
NORTHWES	T 10.92%	349,353	1,089,530	76,511,853	77,601,383
PUGET SOU	ND 6.91%	221,065	689,437	48,325,807	49,015,244
SOUTHEAST	23.62%	755,653	2,356,657	159,538,758	161,895,415
SOUTHWES	Γ <u>14.88%</u>	476,042	1,484,634	101,121,602	102,606,236
TOTAL	100.00%	3,319,897	10,278,907	691,409,596	701,688,502

Adopted by the CRABoard on January 18, 2024

Chair's Signature

ATTEST