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Whatcom County employers get commuter awards

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Several Whatcom County employers have been recognized with Commute Smart Awards for their support of commuting employees.

The awards are given by Gov. Christine Gregoire and were established in 1998 as a way to recognize businesses and communities that encourage employees to commute, reducing the number of cars on the road and air pollution.

- Boundary Bay Brewery & Bistro's Amy Jones got an award for her work as a transportation coordinator.
- Julie Ward of Whatcom Educational Credit Union received an award for her work as a transportation coordinator champion.
- Village Books and PeaceHealth got an award for being an employer champion.
- The Whatcom Council of Governments' Smart Trips got a Commute Smart community award.