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Press Release

In September of this year, the City of Dayton, in partnership with Columbia County, was successful in obtaining \$2,218,052 in federal block grant funding to repave South 4th Street from US Hwy 12 to the South City Limits. This project was made possible due to a very aggressive collaborative process and teamwork that occurred between the City of Dayton, Columbia County, Anderson Perry Engineering Firm, Transportation Improvement Board (TIB) and Washington State Department of Transportation Local Programs Division, each of whom played a critical role in making this project possible.

The construction funding for the project included \$1,783,122 in special redistributed federal transportation block grant funds and \$434,930 in regular federal transportation block grant funds, all of which are administered by Washington State Department of Transportation Local Programs Division. The design engineering funding came from a Washington State Transportation Improvement Board state grant funds, which made it possible to meet the federal grant funding required funding obligation deadlines. The project had to be shovel ready for construction by September 2024 to be eligible to receive the special redistributed federal grant funds.

City of Dayton and Columbia County were 1 of 20 local agencies (city/county) in Washington State to be awarded special redistributed federal grant funds, which were made available because of other states, cities and/or counties that were unable to program and deliver projects that could be ready for construction and have construction funding obligated by September 2024. In 2023, Columbia County Public Works was successful in receiving approximately \$1,200,000 federal redistributed funds and approximately \$1,200,000 in additional regular STBG funding, of which \$438,930 is being used for this project. Columbia County used approximately \$ 1,233,828 in 2023 in redistributed funds to fund and construct a 31-mile seal coat/pavement preservation project.

This was a phenomenal effort that without the help of all these entities would have been a much longer, phased project

Best,

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Roger Trump
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