

BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT

DON CHARTOCK

Don Chartock joined the Washington State Department of Transportation in 2000 after writing a successful statewide Jobs Access grant application. Since that time, he has helped the state and its communities develop public transportation solutions. In his current position he manages WSDOT's special needs, rural and intercity bus programs and administers the Agency Council on Coordinated Transportation. He and his team

- manage a \$36 million grant program
- manage the Travel Washington Intercity Bus Program
- lead diverse workgroups focusing on complex transportation issues
- publish major reports on transportation to the legislature and public
- draft and testify on legislation related to public transportation
- provide technical assistance to organizations seeking to improve public transportation
- facilitate emergency planning for people with special needs

Don has BA from American University and a JD from the Seattle University School of Law.