Washington Cities by the Numbers

281 cities

- 4.5 million people
- 95% of gross state product
- 90% of all retail sales
- 69% of job generating businesses
- 64% of the state’s population and growing
- 62% of state’s local law enforcement & fire personnel
- 44% of operating revenue spent on public safety
- $6.7 billion in sales tax to the state general fund
- $4.5 billion of state’s B&O tax generated
- $1.3 billion in property taxes for the state school levy