

Where Does the \$303.50 Recording Fee Go?

By state law, the standard recording fee is distributed to the following funds:



Archives and Preservation

Preservation Fund	\$2.00
For preservation of historical county documents.	
State Archives Fund	\$2.00
For archives and records management training, funding grant programs, and constructing a new regional archives facility.	
Commissioner's Preservation Fund	\$1.00
For local historical document preservation and programs.	
State Library-Archives Fund	\$6.00
To operate and maintain the state archives, state library, and capital museum.	

Affordable Housing

Homeless Housing Assistance Fund	\$46.67
To fund local homeless housing services, programs, and grants in the county, cities and towns.	
Covenant Homeownership Fund	\$99.00
To reduce racial disparities in homeownership in the state by providing down payment and closing cost assistance.	
State Home Security Fund	\$99.00
Provides grants statewide for partial rental assistance, homeless shelters, youth shelters, and transitional housing.	
Low-Income Housing Assistance Fund	\$8.24
To provide affordable housing for very low-income households and emergency shelters in the county.	
State Landlord Mitigation Fund	\$3.29
To reimburse landlords for certain improvements, damages, unpaid rent and unpaid utilities across the state.	
State Affordable Housing Fund	\$23.97
To fund statewide low-income housing subsidy programs.	
Growth Management Planning Fund	\$2.50
To manage high density residential growth and environmental impacts in Washington state.	

Administration and Recording

Recording Operations and Maintenance	\$4.83
For modernizing and improving the Recording Division's recording and indexing system.	
General Fund	\$5.00
For county administration and operations.	