

**WAC 383-07-115 Evaluation of savings.** Teams must demonstrate cost efficient operations during the TIP project period through lower costs, improved productivity, and/or higher level of receipts with no decrease in level of service. Legitimate cost efficiencies are actual cost savings or gains to the state and may be achieved in one or more of the following ways:

- (1) Net cost reductions, when spending levels decrease;
- (2) Revenue recoveries, when more moneys owed to the state are collected as a result of enhanced operations leading to higher yield of receipts; or
- (3) Other means considered by the board to represent true costs savings or enhanced generation of revenue.

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