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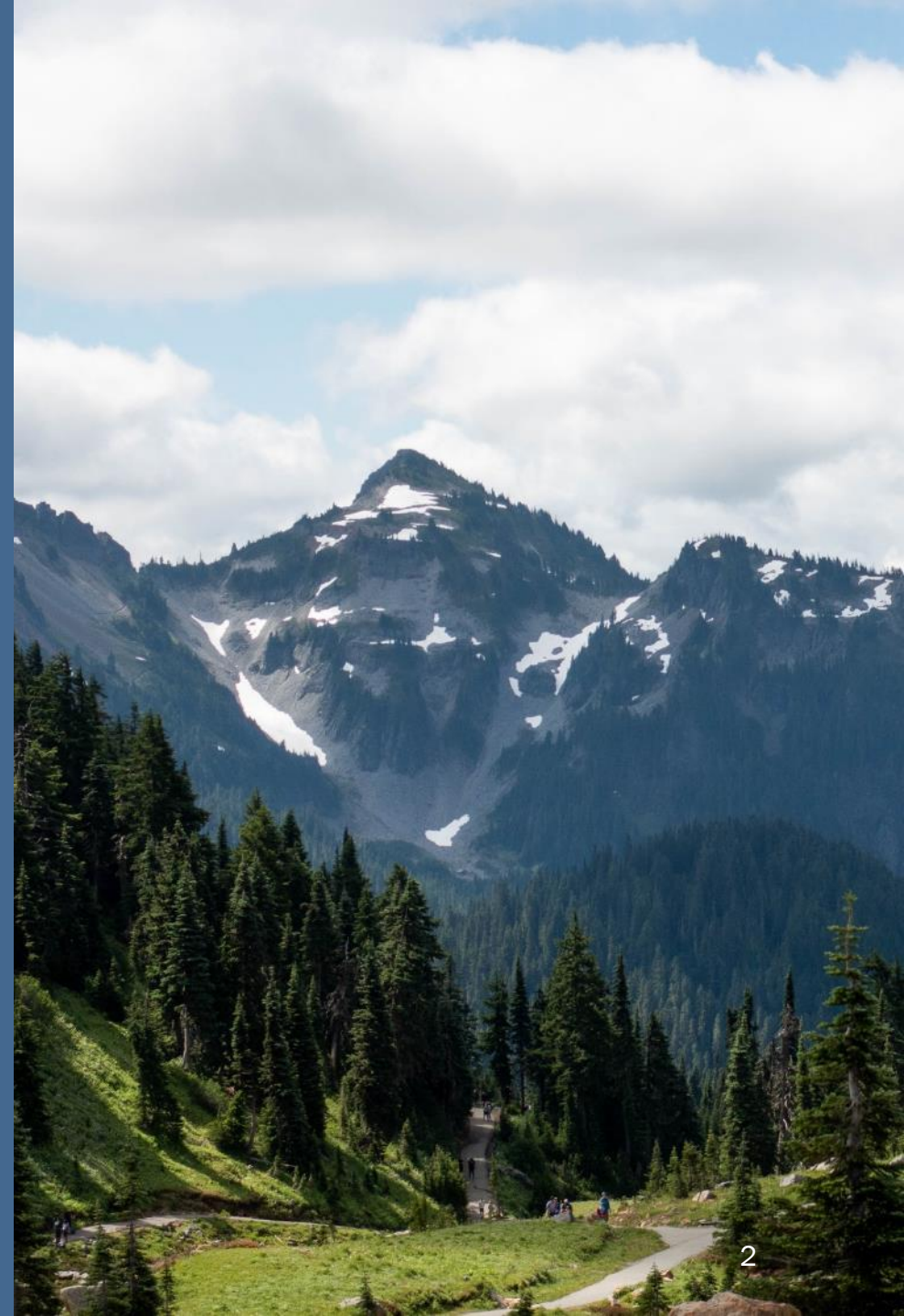
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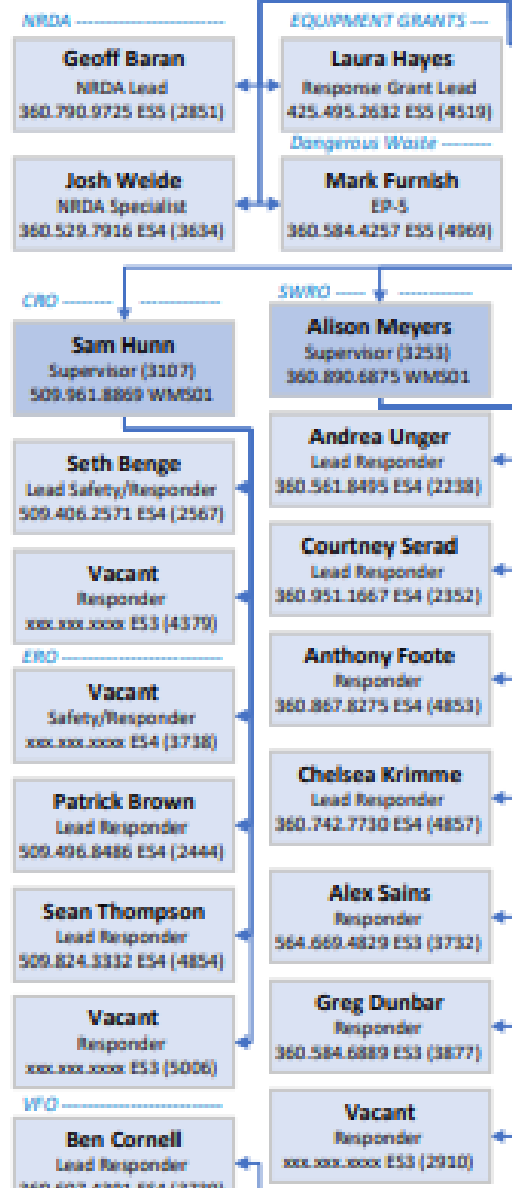
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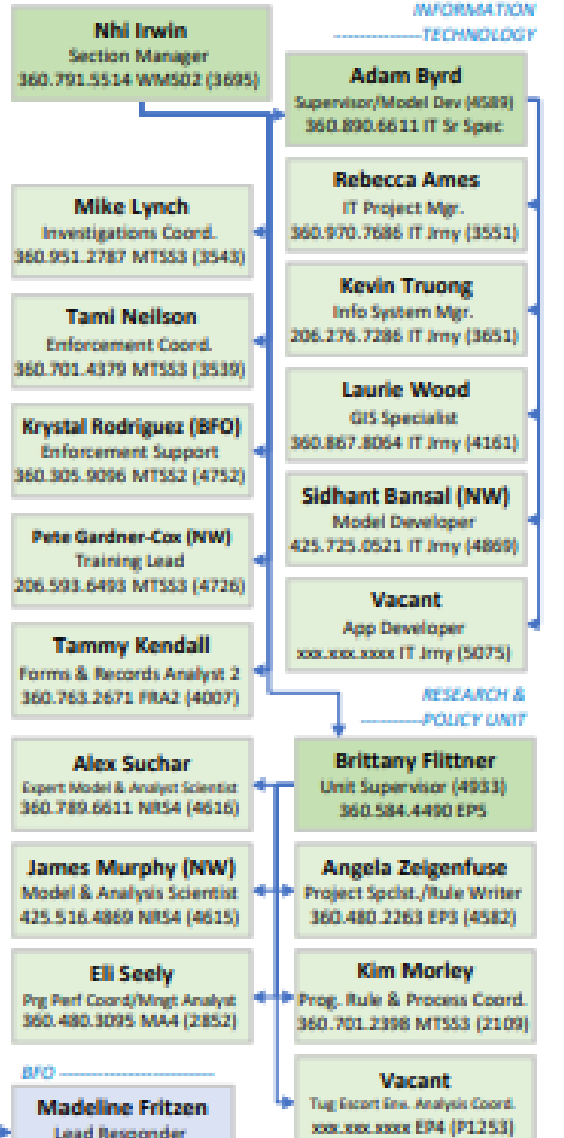


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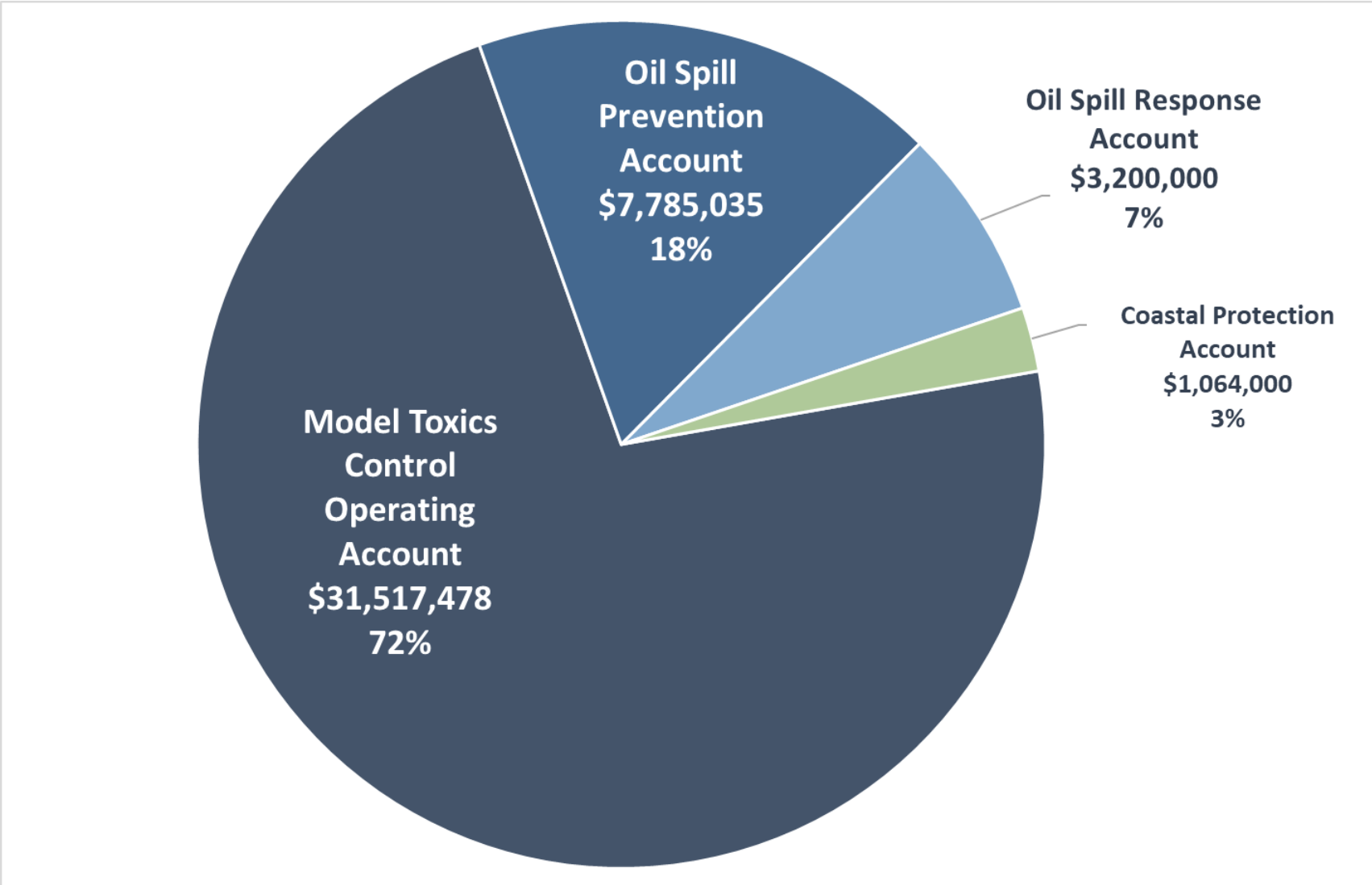
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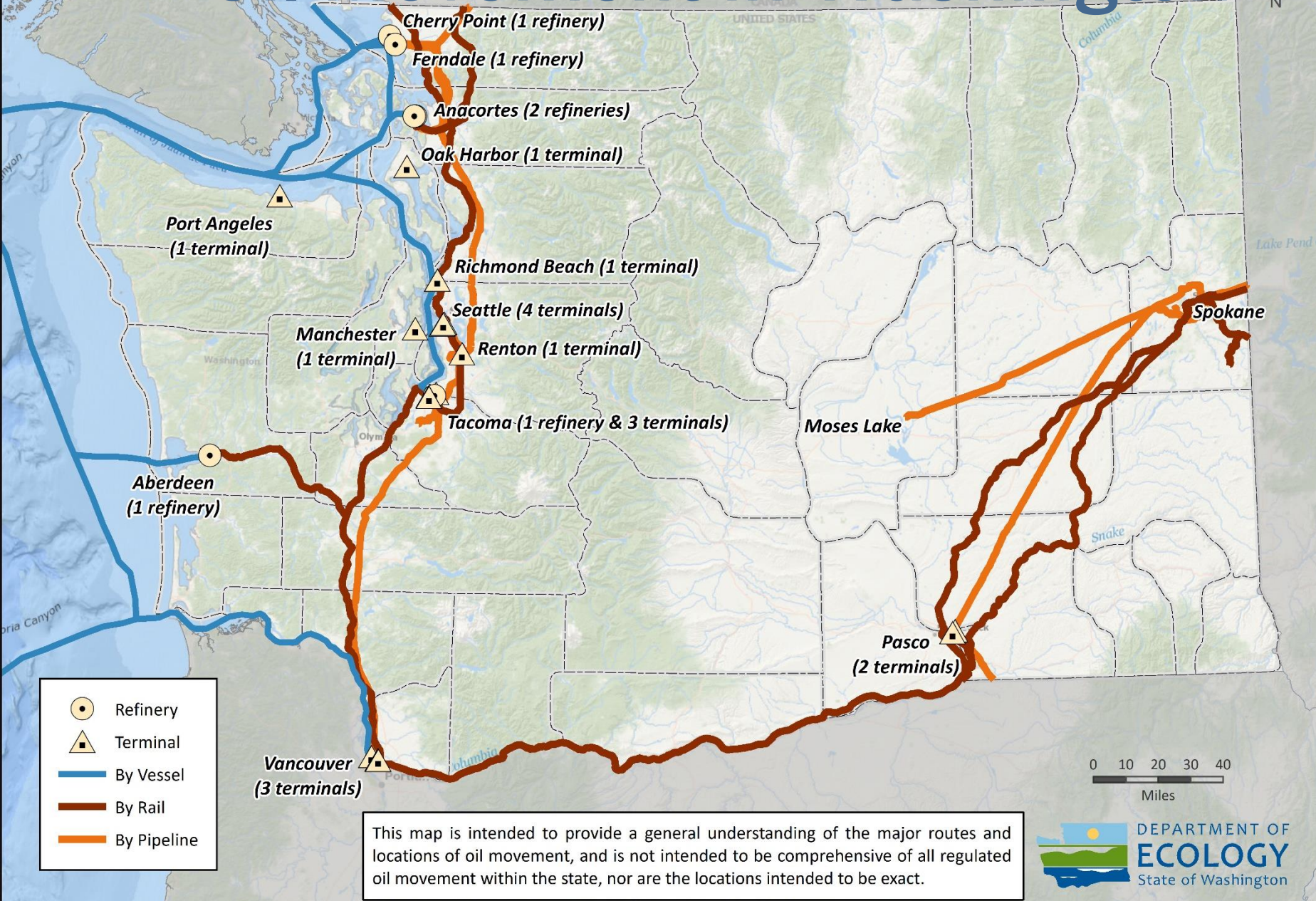
STATEWIDE RESOURCES



Funding Sources



Oil Movement in Washington



- 20 billion gallons of oil move in, through and out of state every year.
- There are 55 oil handling facilities, including pipelines, rail companies
- Roughly 4,000 vessels transporting oil into our state each year.
- There are 800 miles of pipeline and over 2,000 rail tracks throughout our state

Rule and Regulations – Completed

- June 6, 2023 – Adoption of Chapter 173-180 WAC, Facility Oil Handling Standards and Chapter 173-184 WAC, Vessel Oil Transfer Advance Notice and Containment Requirements.
 - Decommissioning requirements for large facilities (Class 1)
 - Seismic protection requirements for transfer pipelines and storage tanks at large facilities (Class 1)
 - Expanding advance notice of oil transfer reporting requirements for Class 1, 2, and 3 facilities and delivering vessels
 - Expanding drill requirements for Class 2 facilities (mobile trucks when transferring oil over water)

Rule and Regulations – In Progress

- Chapter 363-116 WAC – Tug Escort Rulemaking
 - Assisting the Washington State Board of Pilotage Commission with their rule to adopt rules that could establish new escort requirements or could adjust or suspend the existing escort requirements for Rosario and waters east.



Rule and Regulations – In Progress

- Chapter 173-187 WAC – Financial Responsibility
 - New rule to establish financial responsibility for vessel and facility owners and operators to have adequate financial resources to pay cleanup costs and damages resulting from oil spills.
 - Additionally, an existing Chapter 317-50 WAC – Financial Responsibility for Small Tank Barges and Oil Spill Response Barges, will be incorporated into the new rule and then repealed.

Oil Spill Modeling Project – Completed

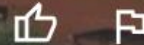
- Two analyses to:
 - Evaluate the potential change in oil spill risk from covered vessels resulting from the use of tug escorts by specified tank vessels in waters east of New Dungeness Light/Discovery Island Light.
 - To quantitatively assess whether an emergency response towing serving Haro Strait, Boundary Pass, Rosario Strait and connected navigable waterways will reduce oil spill risk from covered vessels.
- Reports were completed and submitted to our legislature in September of 2023.
 - <https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/publications/SummaryPages/2308009.html>
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Walla Walla Gasoline Release

Walla Walla
Sept. 14,
2023

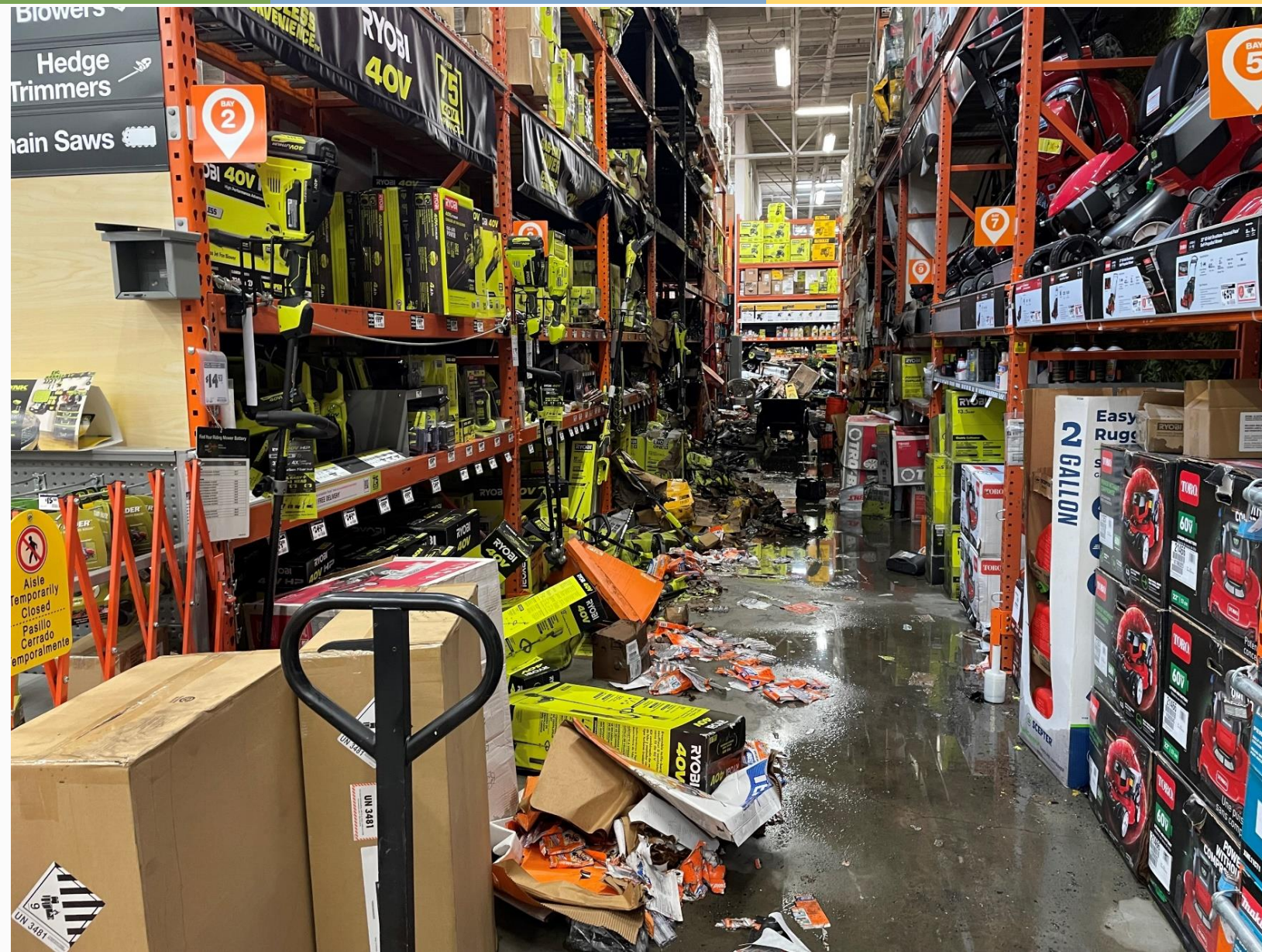


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Home Depot Arson

Spokane May 20, 2022



Illegal Drug Manufacturing Facilities

49 Illegal Drug Manufacturing Facilities in the past year

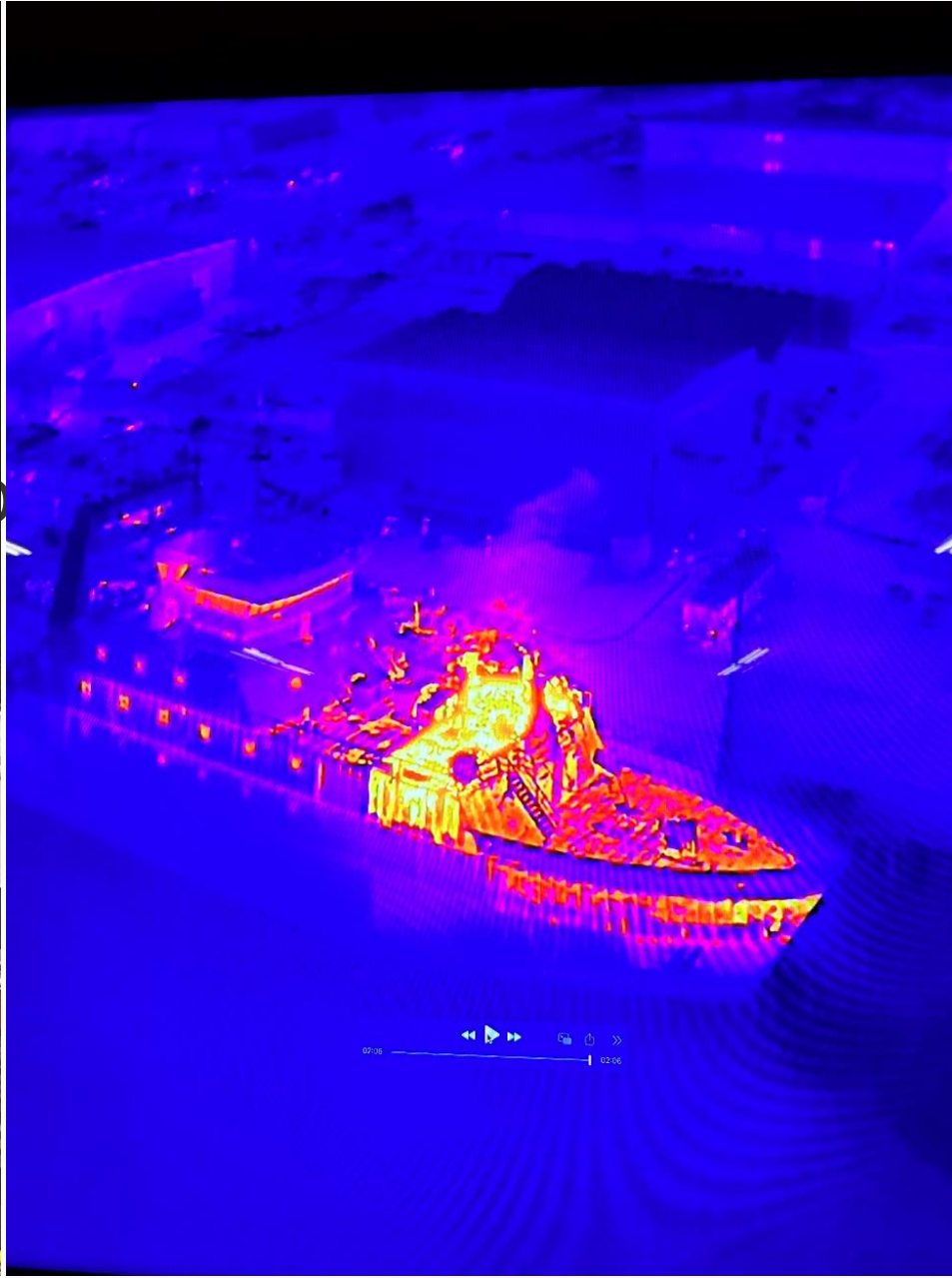
- Evidence Disposal - 3
- Meth Lab – 7
- BHO Extraction – 1
- Illegal Cannabis Grow – 31
- Fentanyl Pill Press – 1
- Polypharma – 1
- Other* – 5

*DMT, MDMA, Cocaine, Anabolic Steroid, etc.



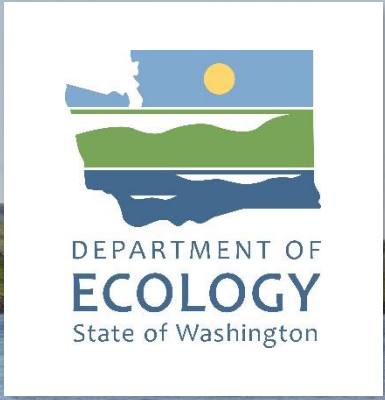
Kodiak Enterprise Fire

Tacoma
Apr 8, 2023



Looking into 2024

- Restructuring Area Planning process
- Completing rules on Financial Responsibility
- Additional hiring in the areas for Volunteer Management, Engagement and Community Outreach and Drills/Exercises



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Ecology's vision and mission

Our Mission

To protect, preserve, and enhance Washington's environment for current and future generations.

Our Vision

Our innovative partnerships protect and sustain healthy land, air, and water in harmony with a strong economy.

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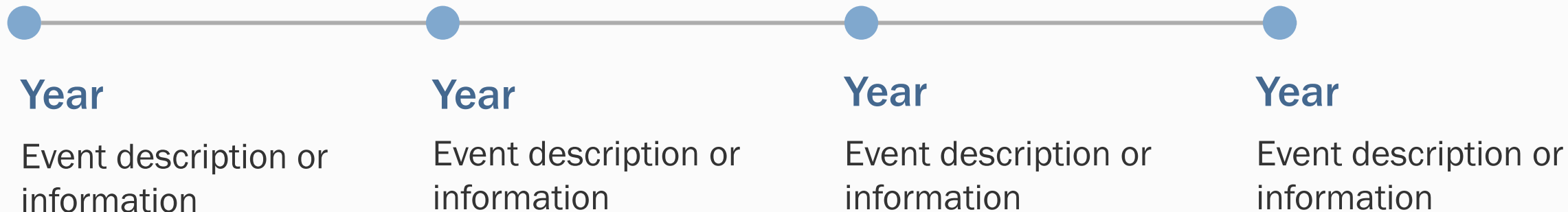


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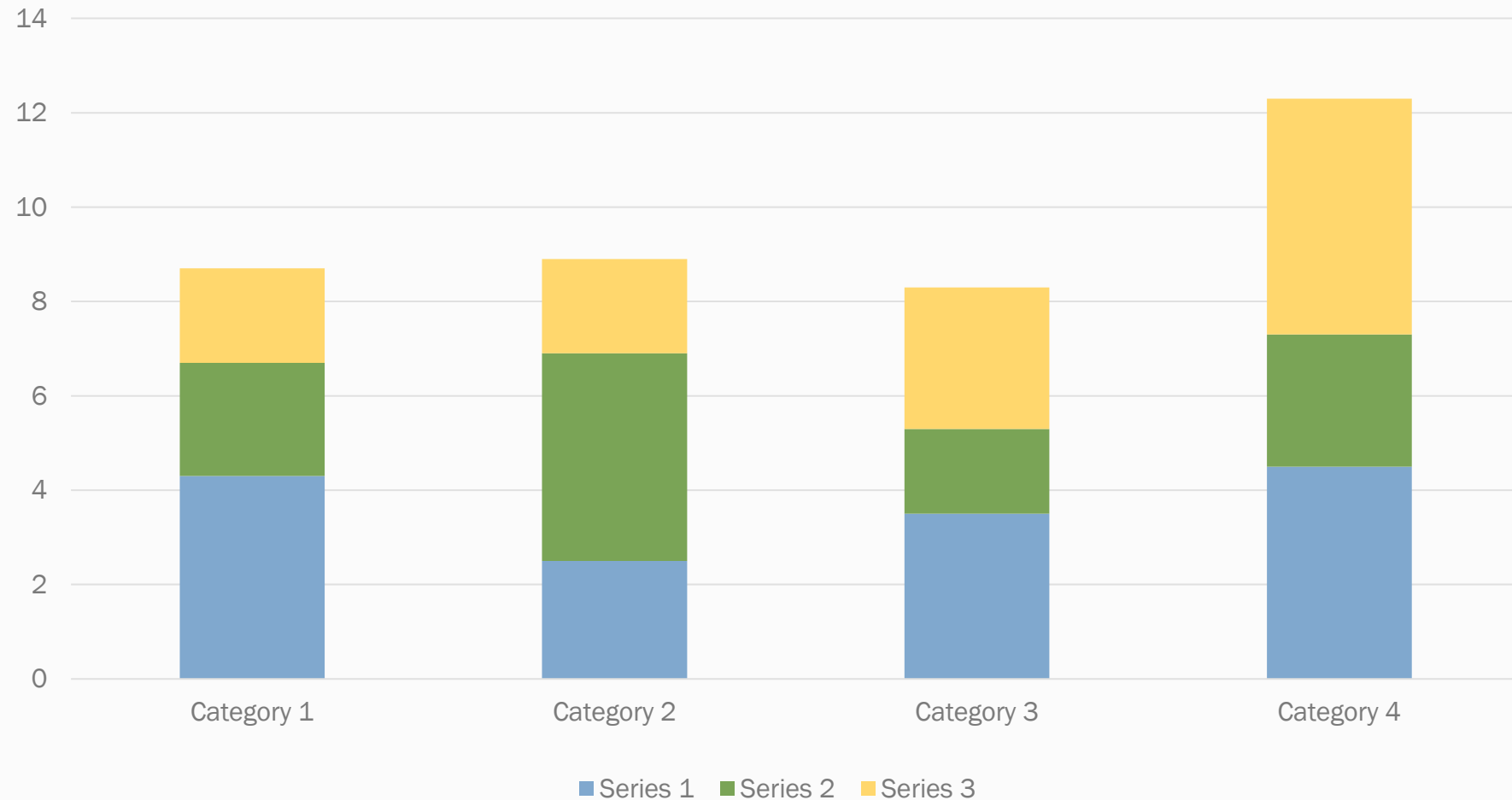
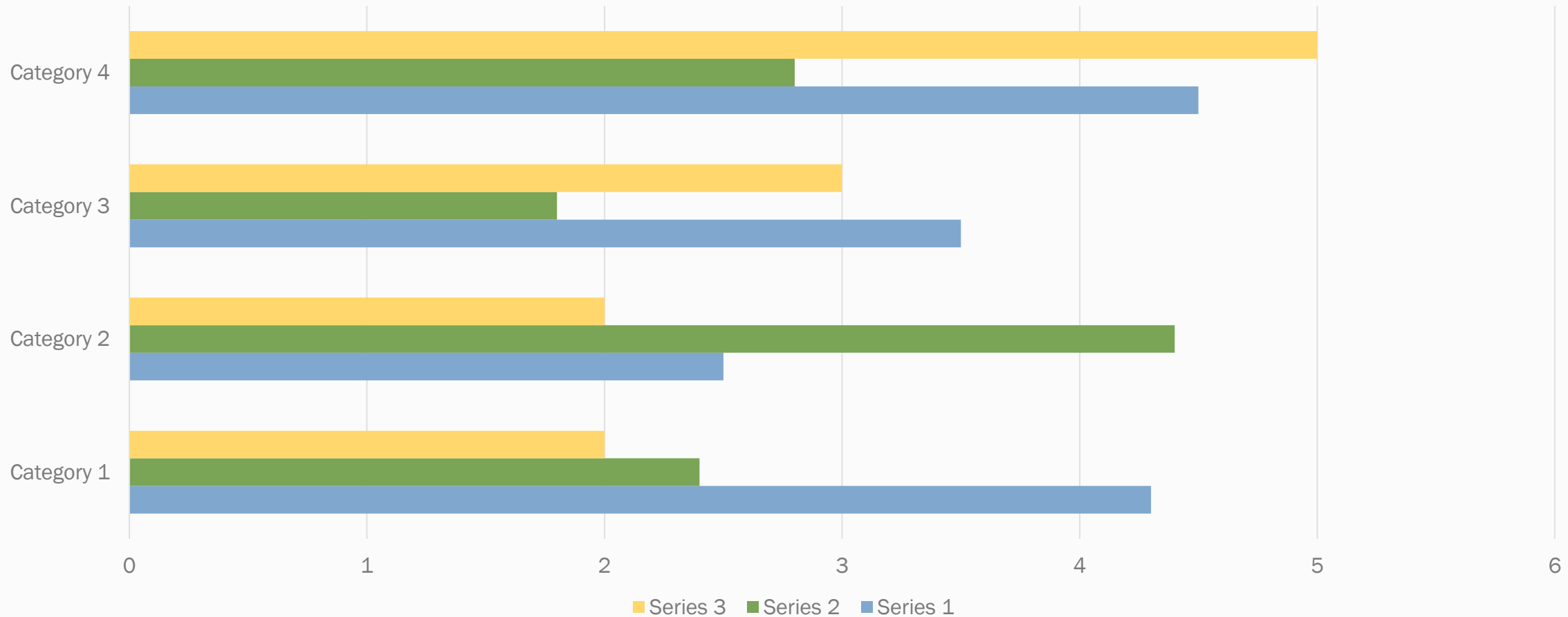


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