Project Title	*Agmt./Task No.*	*Item No.*	*Agency Bgt. No.*
Pacific Northwest Snowfighters, TPF-5(035)	**RE2950**	**09-950**	
Research Agency	*Start Date*	*Estimated Completion*	*Revised Completion*
WSDOT	**11/30/01**	**11/30/03**	**7/31/07**

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Original Estimated Cost	*Revised Cost*	*% Funds Expended*	*% Work Completed*
$40,000		**95%**	**98%**

Objective

Develop specifications for chemicals related to snow and ice control. Support winter maintenance professionals with information on current technologies, supplier contacts and networking opportunities.

Progress in the current Quarter:

The annual Spring Meeting was held in conjunction with the 2006 PNS Conference. The Conference was held in Spokane on June 16, 17 & 18, 2006 and was attended by over 500 people. The conference was very successful. We will be posting a conference evaluation on the PNS webpage soon: http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/partners/pns/. The PNS Qualified Product Listing has been updated (June 06) and additional products and categories have been added to the listing (http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/partners/pns/pdf/QPL6-5-06.pdf). New categories are 8A-B, 8A-R, 8C-B and 8C-R.

Fall meeting is scheduled for November 13th and 14th in Couer d'Alene, ID.

Summary of Activities Expected to be Performed Next Quarter:

Schedule and conduct fall meeting (November 2006) to determine future goals for PNS group. Continue to evaluate and update Qualified Product List and additions of new products as they are submitted.