

TABLE 3-A

**COUNTY TAXABLE RETAIL SALES COMPARING
CALENDAR 1995 TO CALENDAR 1996
(\$000)**

County	Calendar 1995	Calendar 1996	Percent Change
Adams	\$152,877	\$152,224	-0.4%
Asotin	119,810	121,543	1.4
Benton	1,332,487	1,306,825	-1.9
Chelan	785,817	799,385	1.7
Clallam	548,531	543,869	-0.8
Clark	2,543,535	2,774,311	9.1
Columbia	22,808	24,655	8.1
Cowlitz	1,008,843	942,198	-6.6
Douglas	212,874	216,913	1.9
Ferry	35,594	37,132	4.3
Franklin	520,159	525,811	1.1
Garfield	13,863	13,921	0.4
Grant	629,065	663,874	5.5
Grays Harbor	594,821	582,033	-2.1
Island	370,134	399,106	7.8
Jefferson	206,219	211,564	2.6
King	25,065,320	26,402,587	5.3
Kitsap	1,768,303	1,836,199	3.8
Kittitas	284,465	341,400	20.0
Klickitat	96,171	95,018	-1.2
Lewis	727,163	736,901	1.3
Lincoln	74,358	72,691	-2.2
Mason	278,508	267,802	-3.8
Okanogan	288,208	295,681	2.6
Pacific	145,269	138,301	-4.8
Pend Orielle	58,514	58,307	-0.4
Pierce	5,996,039	6,140,053	2.4
San Juan	168,989	175,728	4.0
Skagit	1,121,633	1,155,485	3.0
Skamania	46,264	49,909	7.9
Snohomish	5,346,383	5,559,489	4.0
Spokane	4,464,112	4,589,502	2.8
Stevens	214,837	212,258	-1.2
Thurston	1,905,415	1,950,403	2.4
Wahkiakum	14,818	12,749	-14.0
Walla Walla	416,538	413,009	-0.8
Whatcom	1,714,836	1,734,849	1.2
Whitman	290,758	318,736	9.6
Yakima	1,870,110	1,935,175	3.5
TOTAL	\$61,454,448	\$63,807,596	3.8%