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Washington Cap-and-Invest Program
ECR Auction #1 September 2026
Public Proceeds Report

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Background

Ecology held an auction of allowances on September 16, 2026 (ECR Auction #1). This auction included the sale of vintage 2023 allowances from the Emissions Containment Reserve (ECR). Ecology approved the results of the auction and issued the Auction Summary Report¹ on September 23, 2026.

This Public Proceeds Report provides information regarding proceeds to the State of Washington from the sale of allowances at ECR Auction #1. Only state-owned allowances are offered at ECR auctions, and therefore no allowances were consigned for sale.

Table 1: Auction Information for ECR Auction #1

	Auction Total
Allowances offered by Ecology (vintage 2023)	731,000
Allowances sold	731,000
Settlement Price	\$39.50
Auction Proceeds	\$28,874,500

The proceeds from sale of the state-owned allowances have been deposited into the three primary accounts and two sub-accounts to be used for certain types of projects. More information about the use of cap-and-invest auction proceeds, including descriptions of each account that receives auction proceeds, can be accessed at cca.wa.gov/auction-proceeds.

¹ <https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/publications/SummaryPages/2614070.html>

Table 2: Total state proceeds for current, advance, and reserve auctions in 2026

Auction Description	State Proceeds	Proceeds to Consigning Entities
ECR Auction #1 September 2026	\$28,874,500.00	\$0
Auction #15 September 2026	\$110,600,000.00	\$137,626,097.50
Auction #14 June 2026	\$233,268,000.00	\$136,823,751.12
APCR Auction #7 May 2026	\$8,435,638.12	\$0
Auction #13 March 2026	\$182,728,000.00	\$164,183,783.66
APCR Auction #6 February 2026	\$220,045,813.62	\$0
Calendar year 2026 Total	\$783,952,251.74	\$438,633,632.28

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