



Planning and Community Development

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Council Initiated:

Yes

No

ECAF: 2026-3852

Motion: 26-006

Type:

- Contract
- Board Appt.
- Code Amendment
- Budget Action
- Other

Requested Handling:

- Normal
- Expedite
- Urgent

Fund Source:

- General Fund
- Other
- N/A

Executive Rec:

- Approve
- Do Not Approve
- N/A

Approved as to

Form:

- Yes
- No
- N/A

Subject: Annual Future of Flight Certification Letter

Scope: The 2025 Annual Compliance Certification letter states that Snohomish County complies with the Interlocal Agreement for Development of An Aviation Museum and Conference Center dated December 17, 2003, and that the 33% matching fund requirement, as established in RCW 82.14.390¹, has been met.

In 2025, the Snohomish County Public Facilities District paid \$1,065,021 and the Snohomish County Airport Enterprise Fund paid \$563,708 (a 52.93% match) for debt services and renovations to the Future of Flight facility.

Duration: N/A

Fiscal Impact: Current Year Multi-Year N/A

The 2025 Certification Compliance Letter discusses money spent in 2025. There is budget impact.

Authority Granted: Proposed Motion 26-006 authorizes the County Executive and County Council Chair to sign the annual compliance certification letter for 2025 addressed to the Snohomish County Public Facilities District in the form attached hereto.

Background: In accordance with RCW 35.57.020², a public facilities district is authorized to acquire, construct, own, remodel, maintain, equip, repair, finance, and operate one or more regional centers. A "regional center" means a convention, conference, or special events center, or any combination of facilities, and related parking facilities.

On December 17, 2003, Council passed Ordinance 03-152 authorizing the development of an aviation museum and conference center that would be funded through the creation of a public facilities district.

Addendum No. 1 to the interlocal agreement was approved by Council on February 25, 2009 via Motion 08-765. The addendum allocates tax collections that exceed obligations in the original ILA to tier 2 facilities. Addendum No. 1 requires the County to provide annual written certification of compliance with the terms and conditions of the ILA, as

¹ [RCW 82.14.390: Sales and use tax for regional centers.](#)

² [RCW 35.57.020: Regional centers, recreational facilities—Charges and fees—Powers.](#)

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amended. This compliance letter needs to show the amount and sources of the 33% matching funds required by RCW 82.14.390(4) and (5).

Addendum No. 2 to the ILA extended allocations to tier 2 facilities 2041. The extension was approved by Council via Motion 19-425 on January 22, 2020.

Requested Action: Move to the GLS agenda for Council consideration.