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Safe Spaces for Airplanes and 12,000 New Trees

Trees and green spaces improve quality of life, providing shade, filtering pollution, removing carbon from the atmosphere, and easing the negative effects of urban heat and noise. But very tall trees planted near airport operations can pose a safety risk to aircraft. In the last six years, Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (SEA) established a program that removes tall trees that pose the greatest safety risk and substantially expands the number of native trees planted in safe areas near the airport. For every tree that is removed, four trees are planted

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Ever wonder what it takes to run a global hub for cargo, millions of passengers, and a thriving fishing industry? Learn how the Port and its partners keep the region moving in this adult education series focusing on the Duwamish River, SEA Airport, Lake Washington Ship Canal and Cargo. The series runs from September 7 through September 29.

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How to be a Hero at the Airport



SEA Airport is in the middle of the surge and the squeeze of summer travel. And that means congestion on the airport's roadways during certain daily peaks. Just last week, close to 45,000 inbound vehicles were counted at the airport each day heading to Departures, Arrivals, or the parking garage. Be a hero with these insider hacks that save time when you're someone's airport ride.

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The Northwest Seaport Alliance Turns Seven!



This year, The Northwest Seaport Alliance (NWSA) turns seven! The idea for this strategic collaboration was sparked in 2014 after Port of Seattle and the Port of Tacoma Commissioners announced a vision for the two ports to form an alliance. Why? Instead of competing against each other, the two ports could come together on a regional level to better compete on a global scale. After public outreach and approval from the Federal Maritime Commission, the alliance officially formed August 5, 2015.

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SEA Supports Ukraine Refugee and Aid Workers



Flying can be stressful for anyone. For those fleeing their country in search of safety, or those venturing into the unknown to lend support, removing extra barriers or complications is especially critical. So when Ukrainian refugees were separated from a critical piece of luggage and Ukraine aid workers needed to transport essential supplies, SEA Airport staff jumped in to help. Here's the story of how the airport helped ensure that precious cargo made its way into the right hands.

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Port Commission Meeting Recap

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RECAP JULY 26: Port Commissioners authorized advertising and executing a Flight Corridor Safety Program 2024 Professional Service Agreement for Technical Expertise and Support, and authorized \$71,000,000 for the C Concourse Expansion Program. Commissioners also approved conveyance of a Port-owned K9 to its handler, and heard briefings on the Tourism Recovery Initiative and 2023 Budget Development. [View video→](#)

UP NEXT AUGUST 9: The Port Commission will consider authorizing a joint partnership agreement with Maritime Blue to advance economic recovery by offering a Maritime Accelerator Initiative, starting a Maritime Business Incubator Program at Fisherman's Terminal, and supporting conferences/events surrounding ocean innovation. The Commission will also hear a

Sound Insulation briefing and consider advertising, awarding, and executing a Major Public Works Contract, including a Project Labor Agreement, and funding construction of Phase 1 of the Apartment Sound Insulation Program.

In Case You Missed It



RECOGNIZING INDUSTRY PARTNERS Learn more about the Port's Sustainable Century Award winners who are improving the environment in their communities and around the world. [Keep reading→](#)



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Plan Your Next Camping Adventure

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