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SUSTAINABLE AIRPORT MASTER PLAN (SAMP) UPDATE

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Briefing Outline

- Overview
- Planning update
- Financial feasibility
- Environmental review
- Next steps

Regional Growth and Market Demand





- Seattle's crane count has dropped by 22% from six months ago, but is still greater than any other US city
- King County unemployment remains low, at 3.7% in February 2018
- Puget Sound is home to a wide range of employers that contribute to the vibrant growth in the region

Microsoft	Nordstrom Boeing					
Google	JBLM	Alaska				
Amazon	Costco	Providence Health				
Expedia	Starbucks	PACCAR				
University of Washington						

Robust regional economy is the basis for airport growth and sustainability

Sea-Tac Growth is Tied to Regional Growth



Sea-Tac Statistics



ENPLANEMENT GROWTH RATES

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Domestic	4.1%	7.8%	12.6%	7.6%	2.3%
International	9.8%	6.8%	14.4%	11.4%	5.9%
Total	4.7%	7.7%	12.8%	8.0%	2.7%

- 69.4% of passengers began or ended their flight in Seattle in 2016
- Enplanements grew 2.7% in 2017 and 34.8% from 2013-2017; Q1-2018 grew 4.8% (2018 projected to grow 5.0%)
- Both Alaska and Delta are increasing service at Sea-Tac Airport
- Other carriers, including Southwest, American, and United, continue service along with new entrants
- Sea-Tac has 45 international services, with 22 airlines serving 27 international destinations

Sea-Tac Airport remains the ninth busiest airport in the United States

Concurrent Strategies to Serve Market Demand

Current Projects	Near-Term Projects SAMP	Long-Term Vision SAMP
(46.9M PAX Today)	(56M PAX by 2027)	(Demand Beyond 2027)
 North Satellite International Arrivals Facility Concourse D Hardstand Holdroom Baggage Modernization Airport dining and retail development 	 Meet market demand 19 additional gates & second terminal Cargo facilities 30+ projects to improve safety, provide support facilities, improve efficiency, and access to the airport 	 PSRC regional aviation baseline study Sea-Tac Airport airfield and airspace study Additional environmental review

Participate in a broader conversation about our region's airspace and aviation resources

Planning Status Update

- Airfield/airspace constraints result in major congestion (aircraft delays) as activity nears 59 million passengers (2029)
- Phased approach required to advance SAMP
 - Identify projects to accommodate near-term demand within existing constraints Near-Term projects
 - Conduct environmental review of Near-Term projects
 - Follow-on planning study to address airfield/airspace constraints
- Near-Term projects
 - Near-Term projects can accommodate 2027 market demand
 - Approximately 56 million annual passengers

Phased approach required to meet future demand

Long-Term Vision - phased approach Near-Term projects - 56 million annual passengers by 2027 Long-Term vision - Additional planning to meet demand beyond 2027



Near-Term Projects



- A01 Taxiway A/B Extension
- A02 Runway 16R-34L Blast Pads
- A03 Taxiway L Relocation (Pre-SAMP project) *
- A04 Taxiway B 500' Separation & RIM Mitigation
- A05 North Hold Pad
- A06 Runway 34L Highspeed Exit
- A07 Taxiway D Extension
- A08 Hardstand (north)
- A09 Hardstand (central)
 - Project currently under construction

- T01 North Gates
- T02 Second Terminal & Parking
 - Cargo
- C01 Cargo 4 South Redevelopment
- C02 Off-site Cargo Ph 1 (L-Shape)
- C03 Off-site Cargo Ph 2 (L-Shape)

- L01 NAE Relocation (southbound lanes)
- Elevated Busway & Stations L02
- Second Terminal Roads/Curbside L03
- L04 Main Terminal North GT Lot
- North GT Holding Lot L05
- Employee Parking Surface Lot L06
- Employee Parking Structure L07

- **S01** Fuel Farm Expansion
- Primary ARFF S02
- Secondary ARFF S03
 - Fuel Rack Relocation S04
- S05 Triculator
- S06 Consolidated De-icing Tanks
- Westside Maintenance Campus S07
- Airline Support (north) S08
- S09 Airline Support (west)
- \$10 Centralized Rec. & Dist. Center

Airport Capital Capacity

- Capital costs are recovered through airline rates
- Capital capacity of the airport is constrained by
 - Airport cost to airlines (CPE)
 - Airport debt level, and ability to borrow
 - Port's credit rating
 - Debt per enplaned passenger
- Upper range of CPE is based on judgment of where "competitive" range will be in future

Airport capital capacity must consider multiple factors

Current CPE Comparison



CPE is competitive: SEA ranks 13 out of the 30 Large Hub Airports

Financial Feasibility

- Baseline forecast of airport costs to airlines (CPE) is \$20 in 2025, without SAMP projects
- Upper range of Sea-Tac's future CPE based on judgment, likely \$25 \$30 for 2027 2030
- To make SAMP financially feasible (CPE <\$30), must:
 - Increase non-aeronautical net operating income (NOI)
 - Manage growth of operating and maintenance costs
 - Prioritize future capital improvements, reduce or eliminate scope
- Cost to region of not expanding Sea-Tac is high: congestion, fewer direct flights, and lost economic opportunities.

SAMP is financially feasible, but requires vigilant cost management & increased non-aero revenues

Purpose of Environmental Review

National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA)

- Objective analysis of potential environmental impacts according to established procedures
- Identify ways to avoid, minimize, or mitigate
- Public disclosure of environmental impacts
- Transparency and engagement key to process
- Overlay of environmental laws

Environmental review process studies cumulative impacts through comprehensive process

SAMP Environmental Review

A single NEPA and SEPA document and process

Anticipated duration is 12 – 18 months

- DRAFT NEPA Environmental Assessment (EA) anticipated*
 - Final form of document depends on results
 - NEPA EA allows for maximum Port of Seattle involvement
 - Analysis driven by issues and standards
- DRAFT SEPA Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) anticipated
 - Maximizes agency and public engagement
 - Analysis driven by issues and standards

*NEPA EIS triggers are new airport, runway, or major runway extension

FAA is Lead Agency for NEPA and Port of Seattle is Lead Agency for SEPA

Next Steps

Planning

- Q2 Finalize SAMP documentation with FAA
- Q2-Q4 Complete planning work to support environmental review
- May 30 Public open house

Environmental

- In progress Advance coordination with FAA
- Q2-Q3 Agency and public scoping

Commission will be routinely updated and engaged throughout environmental review