

MINUTES

COLUMBIA GORGE REGIONAL AIRPORT MEETING

May 29, 2026

PRESIDING: Jim Wilcox

BOARD PRESENT: Jim Wilcox, Terry Trapp, James Smith, Randy Anderson, Tim Urness

BOARD ABSENT: Lori Zoller, Tim McGlothlin

STAFF PRESENT: Airport Manager Jeff Renard, EDO Jacob Anderson, City Attorney Jonathan Kara (ZOOM)

PUBLIC PRESENT: See attached Sign-In sheet.

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Jim Wilcox at 7:34 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Roll call was conducted by Jim Wilcox.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved as presented by unanimous consent.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes were approved as presented by unanimous consent.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Jim Wilcox issued an apology regarding the cancellation of the previous week's meeting. Due to an email delivery failure, the meeting was not properly noticed. Following guidance from the city attorney to comply with Public Meeting laws, the Board postponed the session by one week.

BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

(None.)

SPONSOR/PARTNERS REPORT

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Item	Presenter
1. Presidential Report	Jim Wilson
2. Board Report	Jim Wilson, Tony Topp, Brian Smith, Kelly Anderson, Tim Lewis
3. Board Agenda	Jeff Walker, Jim Wilson
4. Staff Report	Angie Hunter, Jeff Hunter, Jodi and Andrew Wilson, Jim Wilson, Jennifer Kim (COO)
5. Public Report	Representative Jim Wilson

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Jim Wilson, 7:54 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Roll call was conducted by Jim Wilson.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved as presented by unanimous consent.

APPROVAL RESOLUTIONS

The minutes were approved as presented by unanimous consent.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Jim Wilson issued an apology regarding the cancellation of the previous week's meeting. Due to an email delivery failure, the meeting was not properly notified. Following a discussion, the Board decided to accept the Board's decision to accept the meeting as presented by unanimous consent.

BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

None.

SECONDRARY/TERMINAL REPORTS

Jake Anderson gave an updated report on the T-hangar project. Klickitat County Board of Commissioners have signed the loan documents and he is hoping the county will have access to those funds in the next couple of weeks.

FBO REPORT

While sales in April did not reach typical levels, the outlook for May is positive, supported by declining oil prices. There is currently a high demand for Avgas, and overall operational activity is increasing.

During the meeting, Jim Wilcox commended Darren for his presentation at the Lions Club concerning the FBO, noting that the response from the audience was entirely favorable.

ACTION ITEMS

(None.)

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Budget Report/Check Register: Randy Anderson anticipates the city will make corrections to the budget as needed.

MANAGEMENT REPORT

(See attached report.)

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Jim Wilcox suggested hosting an airport open house as an alternative to a Fly-In. This event would feature tours of the hangars currently under construction and highlight the latest developments at the facility. Jeff said he is open to give tours anytime anyone wants to see what is going on.

Jeff addressed community interest and concerns regarding experimental aircraft at the airport by providing an update on the nature of the project and the parties involved.

Furthermore, Jeff briefed the board on the fire equipment designated for availability at the airport during the upcoming fire season.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be June 18, 2026 at 7:30 am.

ADJOURNMENTS

Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:07 am.

SIGNED:

Jim Wilcox, Chair



Jeff Renard, Airport Manager

