



SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON REGIONAL AIRPORT
2215 SUITE B PARROTT WAY KELSO, WA 98626
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Airport Operating Board Meeting Minutes

March 19, 2026 @ 3:00 pm

Chairman: Call to Order by K. Young at 3:00 p.m.

Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance:

Keith Young, Brian Wood, Allan Erickson, Steve Ferrell for Steve Rader.

Approve Meeting Minutes (action)

B. Wood moved to approve the **February** meeting minutes. A. Erickson seconded the motion. All voted yes; motion passes.

Treasurer Report for February:

Operating Revenue:	\$349,610	
Total Expenses:	\$76,174	
Operating Expenses:	\$15,308	
Capital Expenses:	\$60,866	
Total Cash:	\$991,030	Unrestricted: \$991,030

February General Claims (action)

A. Erickson moved to approve the **February** General Claims. B. Wood seconded the motion. All voted yes; motion passes.

Citizens Business

N/A.

Hangar/Building Occupancy Report (update)

100% occupancy. 51 names on the list. 37 of those are for aviation use.

Airport Manager's Report

Project Updates -

Runway/Lighting Project

The plan is to install runway lights in Oct-Nov., then pave in May-June. SWRA will have to pay for an FAA check flight to be allowed to use the new lighting system at a cost of approximately \$40,000.

Hangar Construction -

NW Corner – Demolition has begun as of today's date. Delivery date of new hangar remains April 18th. The cost to SWRA is \$18,204.65.

Hangar Row E – Possible investor but nothing concrete.



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G-1 – Permits have been issued by City of Kelso

G-2 – Requesting FAA Environmental and ALP approvals.

G-111 – Request to FAA to help resolved placement issues.

KPD – Requesting FAA Environmental and ALP approvals.

General Updates

WSDOT PTZ Camera

Requested another bucket truck reservation date for Tuesday, March 24th to install. Met with IT to assist with installation.

Unique Tin Car Show Venue

C. Stommel met with club members on March 10th to start working out details. The club has voted to hold their event at the SWRA for the next 5 years. The show this year will be held on August 22nd.

Airport Board Member Reports

B. Wood – None

K. Young – None

S. Ferrel for S. Rader – None

A. Erickson – None

Adjourn Board Meeting

Board chairman: Wrap up at 3:32 p.m. and announce next board meeting date (**April 16, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.**).