# WASHINGTON STATE BOARD OF PILOTAGE COMMISSIONERS

### **MEETING AGENDA**

**September 18, 2025** 

2901 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Seattle, WA 98121 – 1st Floor Agate Conference Room

and

Via Teams #206.531.0324, participation code: 148712109#

### Join the meeting now

(Public comment accepted at the discretion of the Chair and prior to the end of the meeting)

1000 hours Call to order PUBLIC HEARING

WAC 363-116-080 Licensing of Pilots

### Call to order <u>REGULAR MEETING</u>

- 1. BPC Staff Report
- 2. BPC Chair Report
- 3. Activity Reports (5 minutes each)
  - a. U.S. Coast Guard (USCG)
  - b. Pacific Merchant Shipping Association (PMSA)
  - c. The Northwest Seaport Alliance (NWSA)
  - d. Puget Sound Pilots (PSP)
  - e. Port of Grays Harbor (PGH)

### **NEW BUSINESS** (Public comment accepted)

- 4. Board Action Consideration of Previous Hearing on WAC 363-116-080 Licensing of Pilots
- 5. Board Action MSOs

a.	MIDNIGHT SUN	8/01/2025	PS
b.	TERMINAL 4 CRANES	8/05/2025	PS
C.	MSC JUBILEE IX	8/20/2025	PS
d.	RABAUL CHIEF	9/04/2025	PS
e.	VIENNA EXPRESS	9/07/2025	PS
f.	MARSHALL FOSS (WEST VIRGINIA)	9/10/2025	PS

- 6. Board Action August 21 Regular Meeting Minutes
- 7. Board Action Committee Recommendations:
  - a. Trainee Evaluation Committee (TEC)
    - i. Possible Board Action Consideration of Licensure of PSP Candidate: Captain Joel Michelson
    - ii. Possible Board Action Pilot License Upgrade Program: Captains W. Kelly & C. Grobschmit
    - iii. Possible Board Action Simulator Training for Captains Shuler, Britton, Boullion & Woodworth
    - iv. Other Committee Updates
  - b. Pilot Safety Committee (PSC)
    - i. Possible Board Action New MSO Form
    - ii. Other Committee Updates
  - c. Pilotage Act Advisory Committee (PAAC)

- i. Possible Board Action Membership
- ii. Other Committee Updates

### 1130 15-MINUTE BREAK

8. Board Action – Request for Vessel Exemption:

c.	<b>Motor Yacht</b>	SEA GYPSY	Renewal (52 FT, 64 IGT)	Interim
C.	Motor Yacht	UNBRIDLED	New (190 FT, 803 IGT)	Interim
b.	Sailing Yacht	<i>APSARAS</i>	New (78 FT, 35 IGT)	Interim
a.	Motor Yacht	EVVIVA	Renewal (164 FT, 492 IGT)	Interim

- 9. Board Action Pilot/Trainee Physical Examination Reports
- 10. Committee & Work Group Reports:
  - a. Oil Transportation Safety Committee (OTSC)
  - b. Pilot Exam Committee (PEC)
  - c. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee (DEIC)
  - d. Terminal Operations Work Group (TOWG)
- 11. Upcoming Meeting Dates:

Thursday, October 16, 2025 at 1000 – Regular Meeting	Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 1000 – Regular
(Hybrid – Teams/2901 Building)	Meeting (Hybrid – Teams/2901 Building)

- 12. Public Comment
- 13. Adjourn

### **PUGET SOUND PILOTAGE DISTRICT ACTIVITY REPORT**

### Aug-2025

The Board of Pilotage Commissioners (BPC) requests the following information be provided to the BPC staff **no later than two working days prior to a BPC meeting** to give Commissioners ample time to review and prepare possible questions regarding the information provided.

Activity										
Total pilo	tage assig	gnments:	649			Cancellations:	8			
Total ship	o moves:	641	Cont'r:	164	Tanker:	169	Genl/Bulk:	87	Other:	221
Assignme	ents delay	ed due to unava	ailable rested	d pilot:	15		Total dela	ay time:	34.35	hours
Assignme	ents delay	ed for efficiency	y reasons:		17		Total dela	ay time:	30.5	hours
	Billab	ole delays by cu	stomers:		44	To	otal delay tin	ne:	117	
	Order tim	ne changes by c	ustomers:		64			•		_
2 pilot jol	bs:	34	Reason:	PSP GUI	DELINES FO	OR RESTRICTED	WATERWAY	S		
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Day of we	eek & dat	e of lowest num	nber of assign	nments:	Sunday 8/	3			11	
Total nun	nber of pi	lot repositions:	95	Upgra	de trips	8	YTD	116		
3 consecu	utive nigh	t assignments:	42	YTD	274					
Callback	Days/Con	np Days								
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Start Dt	End Dt	City	Group	Meeting Description	Pilot Attendees			
15-Aug	15-Aug	Seattle	PSP	Rate Committee	GRK*, KLA**	GRK*, KLA**,KNU,MCG		
15-Aug	15-Aug	Seattle	PSP	Administrative, PAAC	HAM*,KNU,MCG			
17-Aug	17-Aug	Bainbridge	PSP	Outreach	MAN*			
20-Aug	20-Aug	Port Angeles	PSP	Outreach	NIN**			
20-Aug	20-Aug	Seattle	PSP	BOD Agenda	GRK*,HAM			
20-Aug	20-Aug	Seattle	BPC	TEC	BOZ**,ANT,KNU			
20-Aug	20-Aug	Seattle	BPC	BPC Prep	ANT,HAM,KNU			
21-Aug	21-Aug	Seattle	PSP	Training, sim model validation	BOU*,SCR			
21-Aug	21-Aug	Grays Harbor	BPC	BPC	ANT,KNU			
21-Aug	31-Aug	Seattle	PSP	Ops Pilot	MYE(11on*)			
22-Aug	22-Aug	Seattle	BPC	Terminal Operations Working Group	COL*,SCR*			
25-Aug	25-Aug	Seattle	PSP	MEP	MCG, MIL			
25-Aug	25-Aug	Seattle	BPC	Exam Committee	KNU			
25-Aug	25-Aug	Seattle	BPC	BPC PAAC	HAM, KNU, MCG			
26-Aug	26-Aug	Seattle	PSP	BOD	GRK*, HAM, KEP, MCG*, MIL, MYE			E
27-Aug	27-Aug	Seattle	USCG	Outreach	HAM, RID*			
28-Aug	28-Aug	Seattle	BPC	TEC	ANT*, KNU*			
28-Aug	28-Aug	Seattle	PSP	Administrative	MIL**			
					* On Watch	Off Watch	** paired t	o assign.
					44	37	10	
Safety/Reg	gulatory							
Outreach								
Administrative								
C. Other	C. Other (i.e. injury, not-fit-for-duty status, COVID risk							
Start Dt	End Dt	REASON	PILOT					
1-Aug	31-Aug	NFFD	MAM					
	Trailing 12 months revenue assignments							

7,111 Call back job ratio during the last 12 months (September 2024-August 2025)  $\,\%\,9.21$ 

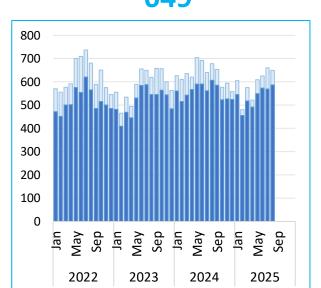
# **Puget Sound District Activity Report Dashboard**

# 2025 August

649

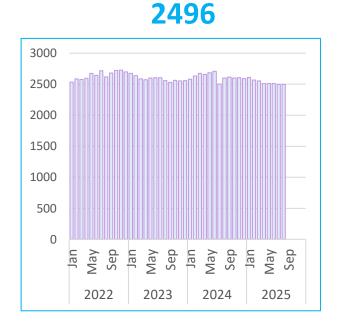
**Monthly Total** 

**Assignment Count** 

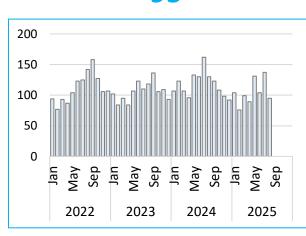


587 On-Watch (dk blue), 62 Off-Watch (lt blue)

# **Total Comp Days All Licensed Pilots**

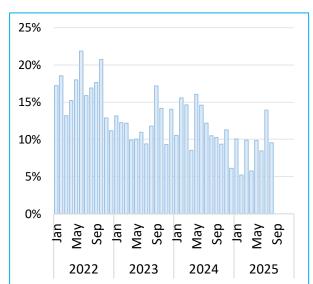


Repositions **95** 



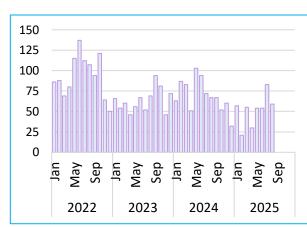
**Monthly Off-Watch Assignment Percentage** 

9.6%



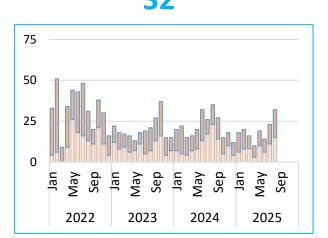
## **Comp Days Earned** (Callbacks)

**59** 



**Pilot Delays (Count)** combined total

**32** 



efficiency delay **counts** stacked on top of pilot shortage delay **counts** on bottom

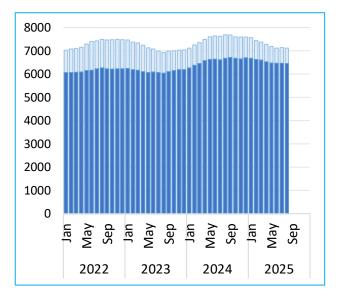
# **Licensed Pilots Including President**

**55** 

No changes in August

# **Trailing 12 Total Assignment Count**

7111

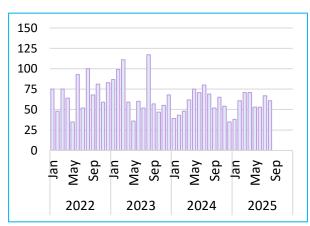


6449 On-Watch (dk blue), 662 Off-Watch (lt blue)

## **Comp Days Used**

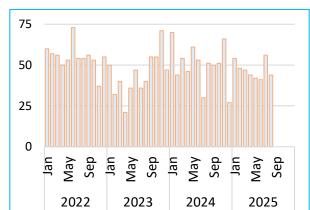
(Licensed Pilots)

**61** 



**Billable Delays (Count)** by Customers

44



9.3%

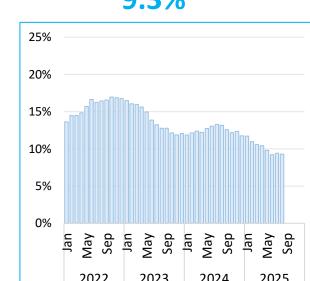


**Trailing 12 Off-Watch Assignment Percentage** 

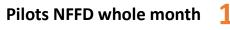
**PS District** 

**Trainees** 

8



Licensed Pilots w/o Pres 54



Available Pilots 53

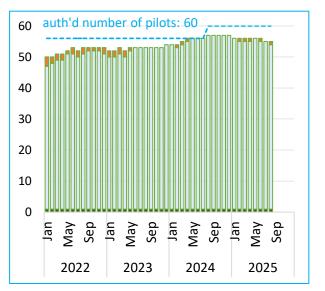


chart also includes president (1 pilot)

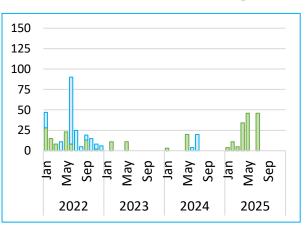
**Training Days** 

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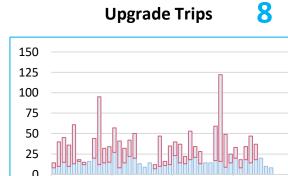
2025

# **COVID Days\***

NFFD Days\*

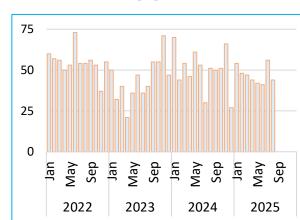


count of NFFD & Covid days if pilot(s) not NFFD whole month



training days (red) stacked on upgrade trips (blue)

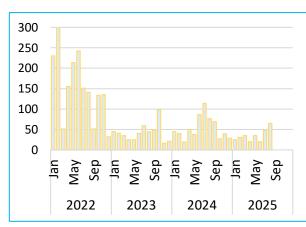
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(Pilot Shortage & Efficiency)

64.85 hrs

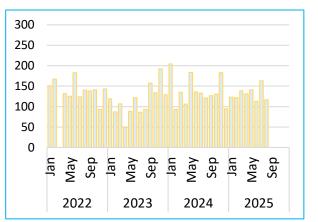
**Pilot Delay Hours** 



total pilot delay hours (not separated into efficiency & pilot shortage components)

## **Billable Delay Hours** by Customers

**117 hrs** 



### **Port of Grays Harbor**

### **Pilotage Report**

### **September 18, 2025**

### Pilotage Activity

There were a total of 7 arrivals in August of 2025 (3 dry bulkers, 1 liquid bulker and 3 RoRo's). This equated to 24 jobs. There was a cancellation and a vessel that went back to anchor skewing the numbers. Year to date there have been 71 vessels arrive for a total of 184 jobs.

As I mentioned last month, the annual two-week maintenance shutdown at AGP occurred in August limiting the number of dry bulkers.

### **Terminal Dredging**

American Construction Terminal 2 and Terminal 4 during the two-week maintenance shutdown at AGP. They removed 21,268 cubic yards of material, which is right on par with our expectation of 20,000 cubic yards.

### Pilot Boat Chehalis Yard Period

The Chehalis is currently in the yard at Astoria for annual maintenance. The Pilot Boat Crew is using the Vega exclusively which has been performing well in the mild weather this summer.

### PROPOSED RULE MAKING



CR-102 (June 2024) (Implements RCW 34.05.320)

Do NOT use for expedited rule making

### **CODE REVISER USE ONLY**

OFFICE OF THE CODE REVISER STATE OF WASHINGTON FILED

DATE: June 30, 2025

TIME: 8:34 AM

WSR 25-14-072

Agency: Board of Pilot	tage Commi	ssioners		•			
□ Supplemental Noti	ce to WSR						
☐ Continuance of WS	SR						
□ Preproposal Stater	ment of Inq	uiry was filed as WSR 25-0	<u> </u>	; or			
☐ Expedited Rule Ma	kingPropo	osed notice was filed as W	/SR	; or			
□ Proposal is exemp	t under RC	W 34.05.310(4) or 34.05.33	0(1); o	or			
□ Proposal is exemp							
	dentifying	information: (describe sul	oject) V	WAC 363-116-080 Licensing of pilots			
Hearing location(s):							
Date:	Time:	Location: (be specific)		Comment:			
September 18, 2025	10:00am	2901 3 <sup>rd</sup> Avenue, 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor		MS Teams: Join the meeting now or			
		Conference Room, Seattle 98121 and via MS Teams.	, VVA	Dial in by phone +1 206-531-0324,,832235581#			
		30121 and via WO Teams.		11 200 301 0024,10022333001#			
Date of intended adop	otion: Septe	ember 18, 2025 (Note:	This is	NOT the effective date)			
Submit written comm	ents to:		Assist	stance for persons with disabilities:			
Name Jaimie Bever, E	xecutive Dir	ector	Contact Jolene Hamel				
Address 2901 3rd Aver	nue, Suite 50	00, Seattle, WA 98121	Phone 206-515-3904				
Email jaimie.bever@w	sdot.wa.gov	1	Fax				
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Other			Email	jolene.hamel@wsdot.wa.gov			
Beginning (date and	time) <u>June</u>	e 30, 2025 - 12pm PDST	Other				
By (date and time)				ate) September 15, 2025			
revision to WAC 363-1	16-080 Lice		candid	by changes in existing rules: The BPC is proposing a idates to provide a certificate representing competency in prior to state licensure.			
certificate representing	competenc	y in electronic chart display	and info	g the following requirement to WAC 363-116-080(3): a formation systems (ECDIS) that complies with Al Hydrographic Organization (IHO) regulations.			
Reasons supporting   Administration's (NOA/ chart data, the more co	proposal: 7 A) sunsetting ommon sour	This proposed rule revision i g of traditional paper and ras ce of navigation worldwide.	s neces ster nau	essary due to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric autical charts to focus solely on electronic navigational			
Statutory authority for adoption: Chapter 88.16 RCW, Pilotage Act							
Statute being implem	ented: Cha	upter 88.16 RCW, Pilotage A	ct				
Is rule necessary bec	ause of a:						
Federal Law?				☐ Yes ⊠ No			
Federal Court Decision?				☐ Yes ☒ No			
State Court Dec	ision?			☐ Yes ☒ No			
If yes, CITATION:							
Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters: Both the BPC Pilot Exam Committee (PEC) and Trainee Evaluation Committee (TEC) have made this							

recommendation to the Board recognizing the need to ensure electronic chart competency.

	<b>nt:</b> (person or organization) Bo <b>nt:</b> □ Private. □ Public. ⊠ Go		
Name of agency p	personnel responsible for:		
	Name	Office Location	Phone
Drafting	Jaimie Bever	Seattle, WA	206-515-3887
Implementation Commissioners	Board of Pilotage	Seattle, WA	206-515-3904
Enforcement Commissioners	Board of Pilotage	Seattle, WA	206-515-3904
Is a school distric	t fiscal impact statement requ	uired under RCW 28A.305.135?	☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, insert staten	nent here:		
The public may Name Address Phone Fax TTY Email Other	obtain a copy of the school dist	rict fiscal impact statement by contacting:	
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☐ Yes: A prediction Name Address Phone Fax TTY Email Other ☑ No: Pleas	e explain: The BPC is not a lister	ay be obtained by contacting: ed agency in RCW 34.05.328(5)(a)(i)	
Note: The Governo	or's Office for Regulatory Innova	tion and Assistance (ORIA) provides support in con	npleting this part.
chapter 19.85 RCV	or portions of the proposal, ma	y be exempt from requirements of the Regulatory For exemptions, consult the exemption guide published	
adopted solely to c	conform and/or comply with fede is being adopted to conform or	is exempt under <a href="RCW 19.85.061">RCW 19.85.061</a> because this rule trail statute or regulations. Please cite the specific fecomply with, and describe the consequences to the	deral statute or
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⊠ 1	Γhis rule	proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt	under <u>R</u> (	CW 19.85.025(3). Check all that apply:			
		RCW 34.05.310 (4)(b)	$\boxtimes$	RCW 34.05.310 (4)(e)			
		(Internal government operations)		(Dictated by statute)			
		RCW 34.05.310 (4)(c)		RCW 34.05.310 (4)(f)			
		(Incorporation by reference)		(Set or adjust fees)			
		RCW 34.05.310 (4)(d)		RCW 34.05.310 (4)(g)			
		(Correct or clarify language)		((i) Relating to agency hearings; or (ii) process			
				requirements for applying to an agency for a license or permit)			
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Expl	lanation	of how the above exemption(s) applies to the pro	posed r	ıle:			
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WAC 363-116-080 Licensing of pilots. (1) No person shall be issued a pilot license until he/she has applied for a pilot license and successfully completed:

- (a) The written examination(s);
- (b) The simulator evaluation;
- (c) The pilot training program, as determined by the board;
- (d) A physical examination; and
- (e) Tendered the license fee stipulated in WAC 363-116-070.
- (2) A majority of board members in attendance at a meeting where licensing of an applicant is scheduled for consideration, shall vote on the issuance of a pilot license. Pilot licenses shall be signed by the chairperson or his/her designee.
- (3) At the time of completion of a training program as provided in WAC 363-116-078 and at the time of consideration for licensing, all applicants must provide a copy of his/her U.S. master license required by RCW 88.16.090 with a first class U.S. pilotage endorsement without tonnage or other restrictions on that U.S. master license to pilot in all of the waters of the pilotage district defined in RCW 88.16.050 in which the applicant desires to be licensed and an endorsement on that U.S. master license as a radar observer (unlimited); and both a certificate representing competency in automatic radar plotting aids (ARPA) and a certificate representing competency in electronic chart display and information system (ECDIS) that complies with International Maritime Organization (IMO) standards and International Hydrographic Organization (IHO) regulations.
- (4) No person shall be licensed by the board who has been convicted of an offense involving drugs or the personal consumption of alcohol in the (( $\frac{\text{twelve}}{\text{tot}}$ )) 12 months prior to the date of application. This restriction shall not apply to license renewals.
- (5) After completion of a training program the trainee evaluation committee (TEC) shall review the evaluations and the pilot trainee's performance on other required aspects of the training program and report to the board that the pilot trainee has or has not: Successfully completed all requirements set forth in the training program including any addendum(s) to the program. The board shall consider training program documentation and TEC reports and may: Issue the license if there is a need for a pilot in the relevant pilotage district; deny a license if it finds that the pilot trainee should not be licensed; or, delay the issuance of a license, if there is no need for a pilot at that time in the relevant district. If the board delays the issuance of a license, it may at its discretion offer an optional program that would maintain piloting skills and knowledge and may enable stipend credit to be earned and paid. The criteria to be followed by the board in issuing or denying licenses shall include, but not be limited to: Performance in the training program; piloting and ship handling and general seamanship skills; local knowledge; and, bridge presence and communication skills.
- (6) If two or more pilot trainees are deemed qualified by the board for issuance of a license at the same meeting of the board, the pilot trainee with the highest combined score on the initial written examination and simulator evaluation shall be licensed first.

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### (PAAC) Pilotage Act Advisory Committee

Per the PAAC Charter adopted at the 6/5/2025 BPC Special Meeting and amended at the, the PAAC shall consist of: one (1) Chair representing the BPC, one (1) to three (3) members of the BPC, at least one (1) representative of a federally recognized tribal government with treaty fishing rights in Puget Sound, one representative who is a pilot member of Puget Sound Pilots, one (1) representative who is an expert in national pilotage law (non-voting), one (1) representative of the environmental community, and one (1) representative of the oil industry.

The United States Coast Guard (USCG), Pacific Pilotage Authority (PPA), B.C. Chamber of Shipping (COS), and B.C. Coast Pilots are invited to attend meetings as advisors only.

Chair	BPC Chair Sheri Tonn
BPC	Jason Hamilton, Public Rep
	Andrew Drennen, U.S. Flag Rep
	Severn Knutsen, Pilot Rep
Federally Recognized Tribal Government with	Senator Brian Porter, Swinomish
Treaty Fishing Rights in Puget Sound	Senator Fred Cayou, Swinomish
Alternate	Clyde Halstead, Swinomish
Federally Recognized Tribal Government with	Natalie Lowell, Makah
Interest in Puget Sound	
Alternate	Jenna Rolf, Makah
Puget Sound Pilots	Travis McGrath
Alternate	Matt Hannuksela
Expert in National Pilotage Law (non-voting)	Clay Diamond, American Pilots
	Association (APA)
Alternate	Brendan O'Shea
Environmental Community	Lovel Pratt, Friends of the San Juans
Alternate	Fred Felleman, Friends of the Earth
Oil Industry	Antonio Machado, Western States
	Petroleum Association (WSPA)
Alternate	Vacant
BPC Support	Jaimie Bever
Advisory Only	LCDR Ian McPhillips, CDR Sarah
	Rodino – United States Coast Guard
	Brian Young, John Wilson –
	Pacific Pilotage Authority
	Rishi Luthra –
	B.C. Chamber of Shipping
	Steve Kennedy, Robin Stewart –
	B.C. Coast Pilots