

SEQUIM VALLEY AIRPORT HISTORY



AIRPORT IDEA AND EARLY HISTORY

Sequim Valley Airport was originally founded in 1983 when the Sallee Family identified a need for a community public use airport for Sequim.

The airport project began when Jack and Winnie Sallee purchased 55 acres where the main part of the airport is now located. There were 12 additional investors that helped finance the construction of the airport in trade for stock in the airport "Sub Chapter S" corporation. An Environmental Assessment and public hearing process was done and permits were obtained after which construction took place.

Through the effort, dreams, contributions and volunteer work of many local people the airport came into existence and by 1985 had a paved / lighted 3500 ft. runway.



Airport ground breaking ceremony

FIRST LANDING ON GRASS SURFACE IN 1984



GRASS RUNWAY AND ROAD CONSTRUCTION 1984



RUNWAY, RAMP & TAXIWAY CONSTRUCTION 1985



MAIN HANGAR CONSTRUCTION 1985



T-HANGAR CONSTRUCTION (20 UNITS) 1991



RUNWAY CHIP SEAL PAVING 1985



RUNWAY ASPHALT PAVING 1996



25 YEAR AND 30 YEAR CELEBRATIONS

1983 - 2008

Sequim Valley Airport



(W-28) LAT: 48 N Long: 123 W

CELEBRATING 25 YEARS



Sequim Valley Airport



Celebrating 30 Years 1983 to 2013

WEBSITE ESTABLISHED 2002

www.sequimvalleyairport.com

Sequim Valley Airport

Located on Washington State's scenic North Olympic Peninsula

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"Sequim has more VFR days than any airport in Western Washington"

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WEBCAM INSTALLED 2007

The webcam allows pilots to view live pictures of current weather conditions via the internet



Airport Webcam



AIRPORT ROAD



1983



2017

AIRPORT ENTRANCE



1985



2011



2017





DISCOVERY TRAIL FARM AIRPARK ESTABLISHED 2006



AIRPORT OVERLAY DISTRICT ESTABLISHED 2007

Chapter 33.08 AIRPORT OVERLAY DISTRICT

Sections:

- 33.08.010 Purpose and Intent.
- 33.08.020 Applicability.
- 33.08.030 Regulated activities.
- 33.08.040 Exemptions.
- 33.08.050 Airport land use compatibility overlay.
- 33.08.060 Federal Aviation Regulations (FAR) Part 77, surfaces and height hazard overlay.
- 33.08.070 Notification of airport owner or manager.

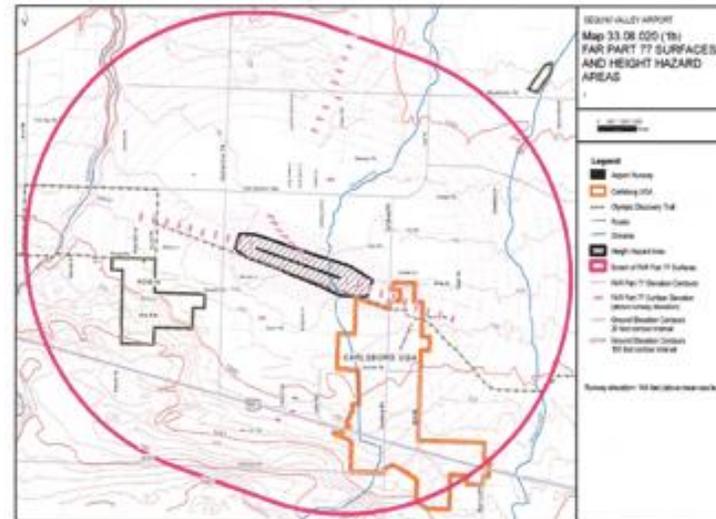
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33.08.010 Purpose and Intent.

The purpose of the Airport Overlay District is to:

- (1) Establish land uses that are compatible with continued airport operations.
- (2) Reduce hazards that may endanger the lives and property of the public and aviation users.
- (3) Protect the viability of Clallam County public use airports.
- (4) Promote public use general aviation airports as essential public facilities.
- (5) Discourage siting of incompatible land uses that may impair the future development and operation of public use general aviation airports as required by the Washington State Growth Management Act (GMA), RCW 36.70A.510 and 36.70.547.
- (6) Protect navigable airspace from obstructions which are of sufficient height as to constitute a danger to aircraft flight.
- (7) Promote the public health, safety, and general welfare of County residents and aviation users.

The Overlay District established additional zoning definitions and airspace protection. This gives the airport additional flexibility over previous zoning that was more restrictive for airport related development.



OLYMPIC PENINSULA AIR AFFAIRE 2012

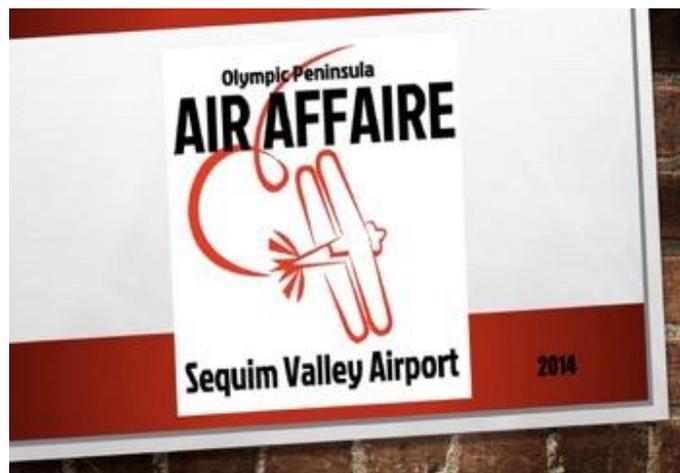


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Air Affaire
&
Sequim Valley Fly-In

LAST WEEKEND IN AUG
2017 AUG 26 & 27

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OLYMPIC PENINSULA
AIR AFFAIRE
WINGS & WHEELS - SHOW & SHINE
August 31 - September 1
Sequim Valley Airport

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Parking \$5 per car

Join us as we celebrate
Sequim Valley Airport's
30th Anniversary
and the Sequim Centennial!

Fly-In • Wing Walker
Skydiver • Bi-plane Rides
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Experimental Planes
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7:00 to 9:00 a.m.
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THE CO-OP
FARM & GARDEN



2015 Olympic Peninsula Air Affaire
Located at Sequim Valley Airport

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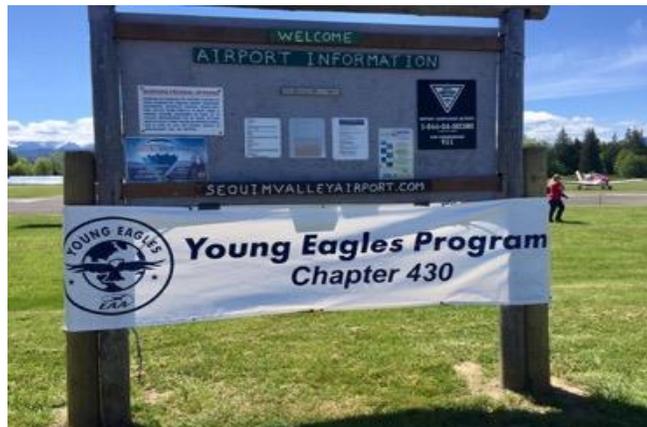
Volunteer Crew



Town Festival in May



Installing above ground aircraft fuel tank



Fun Events



Tree trimming and pavement upgrades

ADDITIONAL AIRPORT HISTORY INFORMATION



Sequim Museum and Art Center located on Cedar Street in Sequim has a display showing local airports and aviation history.

