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| <b>Public Comment Topic</b> | Pacific City Airport                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Public Comment</b>       | <p>Pacific City State Airport is an absolute treasure and deserves to be preserved and maintained. It is a historic, unique airport in a spectacular setting, and allowing it to deteriorate would be a significant loss to Oregon and to the broader aviation community.</p> <p>I recently completed a trip flying the Pacific Coast from Canada to Mexico, stopping at almost every coastal airport along the way, and Pacific City was genuinely one of the highlights of the entire trip. There are very few airports like it left. Its location, history, character, and connection to the community make it something that cannot simply be replaced once it is gone.</p> <p>Airports like Pacific City are more than just a strip of pavement. They are part of the history and fabric of general aviation, provide access to communities, bring visitors and economic activity to the area, and preserve opportunities for future generations of pilots. They can also provide important access for emergency response, including helicopter EMS, medical evacuation, and other public-safety operations when rapid access to a coastal community is critical.</p> <p>I strongly urge the State of Oregon to make the necessary investment in Pacific City State Airport and ensure that it remains a viable airport for decades to come. Losing an airport is easy; getting one back is nearly impossible. Pacific City is worth protecting.</p> |

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