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To whom it may concern

I am in support of continued SOAR funding for the Pacific City Airport. This funding is necessary to maintain airport operations and especially to fix drainage problems and to increase the parking area.

I travel to PFC about ½ dozen times a year with my travel partners to PFC. We usually travel in a group of 4-6 airplanes bringing 8-12 people at a time. We do this for breakfast trips and other reasons, bringing additional revenue in for the local restaurants and stores. PFC is an important airport in the aviation community for its local, access to local businesses and to the beach, and for its very scenic flight and approach. I know that there are always several airplanes at the airport when we arrive.

Having 4-6 airplanes fly into the airport at the same time can create a parking jam, especially when there are several other planes on the field. As a GA airport, one never knows when people will arrive and therefore, increased parking is important.

As it is Oregon, rain is ubiquitous and therefore good drainage is important. Please make sure that the drainage is updated.

Finally, I am always impressed at to how well maintained the local community keeps the airport. It is certainly a central part of their identity and their public outreach. Clearly, they are in support of the airport as well.

Please consider my comments at the next ODAV meeting on this topic as we are very interested in supporting this airport.

Thank you.

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