

RESOLUTION NO. 1175 (2021)

A Resolution of the Port Commission for the Port of Everett to adopt the Port of Everett's Americans with Disabilities (ADA) Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan ("Plan") into and amending the Port's Comprehensive Scheme of Harbor Improvements.

WHEREAS, the Port of Everett maintains an existing Comprehensive Scheme of Harbor Improvements (Comprehensive Scheme), pursuant to the requirements under Chapter 53.20 RCW.

WHEREAS, RCW 53.20.020, provides for amending a Comprehensive Scheme after a public hearing is conducted.

WHEREAS, a public hearing prior to the proposed amendment to the Comprehensive Scheme has been held on June 8, continued, and reopened on June 15, 2021 on which dates public testimony was solicited, in accordance with RCW 53.20.020.

WHEREAS, the Port Commission, at its regular meeting of June 15, 2021, authorized the adoption of the Port of Everett's ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan into the Comprehensive Scheme of Harbor Improvements.

WHEREAS, the Port of Everett conducted public outreach through online surveys and a virtual public workshop to introduce the Plan and better understand the public's ADA-related concerns.

WHEREAS, the Port of Everett made available to the public the Draft Plan with request for comments by posting it to the Port website, sending notice to interested parties, publishing a public notice in the newspaper, and social media outreach.

WHEREAS, documentation of the comments received was incorporated into the Final Plan.

WHEREAS, the approved Plan will be a valuable resource and guide to address ADA-related concerns in future Port of Everett capital and operational projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PORT COMMISSION OF THE PORT OF EVERETT, based on the foregoing recitals, as follows:

Section 1. Findings. Based on a duly noticed public hearing, representations made by staff, and the relevant public record, the Commission finds:

- (a) The Port of Everett has previously adopted its Comprehensive Scheme of Harbor Improvements, as required by statute.

- (b) Proper notice of the Comprehensive Scheme amendment has been published pursuant to the requirements of RCW 53.20.020.
- (c) The procedural requirement of a public hearing necessary in order to amend the Comprehensive Scheme is satisfied.

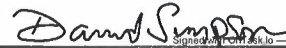
Section 2. Comprehensive Scheme Amendment. The Port of Everett's ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan shall be adopted into the Port's Comprehensive Scheme.

ADOPTED by the Port Commission of the Port of Everett on the 15th day of June, 2021.

EVERETT PORT COMMISSION



Tom Stiger, President



David Simpson, Vice President



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