



Regular Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 0830-1700
Pacific Time (PT)

Hours of Service for Entrance and Clearance

Inspection services for the entrance/
arrival of aircraft at Seattle-Tacoma
International Airport are generally
available 24 hours per day, 7 days
per week, in accordance with the
port's permission to land
procedures.

Commercial aircraft operators
departing the U.S. must obtain an
outbound clearance by contacting
CBP directly.

Contact Information

(206) 214-2200 option 1
Seattle-Tacoma International Airport
General Aviation (GA) Duty Officer
KSEA_GAP@cbp.dhs.gov

Permission to Land Procedures

Pilots must secure permission to land by contacting
CBP prior to departure from the foreign port or place
and at least one business day in advance of the
anticipated arrival time at Seattle-Tacoma International
Airport.

Permission to land is granted with a tolerance of (+/-) 30
minutes. If your ETA deviates outside these parameters,
previously granted permission(s) are invalid and you
must contact CBP to re-secure permission to land.

Inspection Process

- Aircraft should park at the Fixed-Base Operator (FBO).
- There is no CBP office at this location.
- A CBP Officer will meet the aircraft on the ramp to begin the inspection.
- All United States Citizens (crew and passengers) can be processed plane-side. All others must be processed in the International Arrival Facilities (IAF).
- Be prepared to present passports, visas, pilot's licenses, medical certificates, aircraft registration, and a user-fee decal (if appropriate).
- There is no USDA compliance agreement in place at this airport for the collection of regulated waste/
garbage. **Only aircraft arriving from Canada can be serviced by CBP at this airport.**

Special Procedures/Miscellaneous

- Advise CBP if transporting live animals, weapons, hunting trophies, or commercial imports.

NOTE: For further detailed information regarding national GA processing standards and procedures,
please refer to the CBP Private Aircraft Arrival Information Document or contact GAsupport@cbp.dhs.gov