

[Service Date January 21, 2003]

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In re Application No. D-079116 of	)	
	)	DOCKET NO. TC-021402
CWA, INC., D/B/A CENTRAL	)	
WASHINGTON AIRPORTER,	)	NOTICE OF HEARING
	)	(February 19, 2003, at 9:30 a.m.)
for a Certificate of Public	)	
Convenience and Necessity to	)	
Operate Motor Vehicles in	)	
Furnishing Passenger and Express	)	
Service as an Auto Transportation	)	
Company	)	
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- 1 On October 30, 2002, Central Washington Airporter filed an application (number D-079116) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate Motor Vehicles in Furnishing Passenger and Express Service as an Auto Transportation Company (Application). Notice of the Application was published in the Commission’s weekly Docket of November 25, 2002.
  
- 2 The Application requests authority to provide passenger service between Yakima, Ellensburg, Cle Elum and Seattle-Tacoma International Airport and selected points in downtown Seattle, with service to intermediate points via State Route 97 and Interstate Highways 5, 82, 90 and 405, with no service between any points within King County. The Commission received no protests within the 20 days required by WAC 480-30-032(1). RCW 81.68.040 requires that the Commission grant authority in a territory already served only after hearing.
  
- 3 The hearing set by this notice will be held pursuant to Chapter 34.05 RCW, including but not limited to RCW 34.05.422, RCW 34.05.440, RCW 34.05.449, and RCW 34.05.452. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter under Title 81 RCW, having legal authority to regulate persons seeking to furnish auto transportation services under chapter 81.68 RCW. Statutes involved include RCW 81.68.030, RCW 81.68.040, and RCW 81.68.070. Rules involved include those within chapter 480-30 WAC, particularly WAC 480-30-020 and WAC 480-30-030. Also involved are rules within chapter 480-09 WAC relating to practice and procedure.

4 The ultimate issues involved are whether granting the Application would be  
consistent with the foregoing statutes and otherwise consistent with the public  
interest. The Applicant has the burden of showing that it has met the  
requirements of the applicable statutes and Commission rules.

5 The Commission designates Lawrence J. Berg as the presiding officer.

6 **THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That a hearing in this matter will be  
held on Wednesday, February 19, 2003, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in Room 108,  
Chandler Plaza, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington**

7 Counsel and witnesses may attend the hearing via the Commission's  
teleconference bridge (360-664-3846). If you appear via teleconference, you must  
appear five minutes before the time that the conference is scheduled to begin.

8 **NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN THAT ANY PARTY WHO FAILS TO ATTEND OR  
PARTICIPATE IN THE HEARING SET BY THIS NOTICE, OR ANY OTHER  
STAGE OF THIS PROCEEDING, MAY BE HELD IN DEFAULT IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF RCW 34.05.440. THE PARTIES ARE  
FURTHER ADVISED THAT THE SANCTION PROVISIONS OF WAC 480-  
09-700(4) ARE SPECIFICALLY INVOKED.**

9 Please see the form attached to this notice that should be filled out and returned  
if any party or witness needs an interpreter or other assistance. The names and  
mailing addresses of all parties and their known representatives are as follows:

Applicant: CWA, Inc.  
d/b/a Central Washington Airporter  
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Commission Staff: Mary Tennyson  
Senior Assistant Attorney General  
1400 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W.  
P.O. Box 40128  
Olympia, WA 98504-0128  
(360) 664-1220

- 10 The complete file is available for inspection during office hours at the Commission's Records Center in Olympia, Washington. Notice of any other procedural phase will be given in writing or on the record, as the Commission may deem appropriate, during the course of this proceeding.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective this 21st day of January, 2003.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

CAROLE J. WASHBURN  
Secretary

**NOTICE**

PLEASE NOTE: The hearing facilities are accessible to interested people with disabilities; that smoking is prohibited; and if limited English-speaking or hearing-impaired parties or witnesses are involved in a hearing and need an interpreter, a qualified interpreter will be appointed at no cost to the party or witness.

The information needed to provide an appropriate interpreter or other assistance should be stated below and returned to Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, Attention: Carole J. Washburn, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW, P. O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504-7250. (PLEASE SUPPLY ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION)

Docket No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Case Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Hearing Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Hearing Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Language: \_\_\_\_\_

Hearing Impaired (Yes) \_\_\_\_\_ (No) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you need a certified sign language interpreter:

Visual \_\_\_\_\_ Tactile \_\_\_\_\_

Other type of assistance needed: \_\_\_\_\_

English-speaking person who can be contacted if there are questions:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone No.: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_