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Docket

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This operating authority application is issued under the provisions of Title 81 and WAC 480 of the Commission's laws and rules.

PERMANENT Auto Transportation Authority Application Pending

You have 30 days from the notice date above to protest this application filing. Your written protest should describe the grounds on which you make your protest and contain a brief statement of your interest in the proceeding.

<u>Application</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Applicant & Service Desired</u>
Docket No. TC-210033	1/19/2021	Northwest Paragliding Adventures LLC 16633 SE 17th St Bellevue, WA 98008

The Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) will consider a petition for forbearance from rate regulation during its February 25, 2021 open meeting that begins at 9:30 a.m. The meeting will be held virtually and can be accessed by dialing (253) 372-2181 with access code 581 008 258# or through [Microsoft Teams](https://www.microsoft.com/teams). Further information can be found at <https://www.utc.wa.gov/docs/Pages/ParticipatebyPhone.aspx>.

RCW 81.68.015 provides auto transportation companies the opportunity to petition the Commission requesting forbearance from rate regulation. **Written comments must be submitted to the Commission no later than February 20, 2021 by 5 p.m.** Please identify the comments by using Docket TC-210033. You may send your comments to the Commission at P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504-7250 or by email to records@utc.wa.gov.

Northwest Paragliding Adventures LLC will provide regular passenger shuttle service for paragliders up and down Tiger Mountain from landing zone on Issaquah-Hobart Road to Poo Poo Point utilizing Issaquah-Hobart Road and a Department of Natural Resources managed private access forest road. Because of the scheduled nature of this route, the service qualifies as an auto transportation service. The company asserts that the service is not an essential transportation service, is solely for recreation and tourism, and would not adversely affect the operations of a regulated auto transportation company.

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