



Regular Office Hours

7 days per week, 0800-1600
Pacific Standard Time (PST)

Hours of Service for Entrance and Clearance

Inspection services for the entrance/arrival of aircraft at King County International Airport are available 7 days per week, 0800-1600 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) 553-1920

(206) 553-0667

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Permission to Land Procedures

King County International Airport (KBFI) is designated as an "international airport" or "airport of entry" [19 CFR 122.1(e);19 CFR 122.12].

Pilots must secure permission to land by contacting CBP prior to departure from the foreign airport and at least two hours in advance of the anticipated arrival time at King County International Airport. Permission to land is granted with a tolerance of (+/-) 30 minutes. If your ETA deviates outside those parameters, you must speak with a CBP Officer to resecure permission to land.



Inspection Process

- Aircraft should park on the ramp at location 4, in the blue customs box.
- The airport control tower can direct you in if needed.
- The FIS is attached to the main terminal.
- A CBP Officer will meet the aircraft on the ramp to begin the inspection.
- All crew and passengers will be processed inside the FIS.
- Be prepared to present passports, visas, pilot's license, medical certificate, aircraft registration, and user fee decal (if appropriate).
- Regulated waste/garbage will be collected by your FBO.
- Passengers can depart directly from FIS at the conclusion of their inspection.



Special Procedures/Miscellaneous

- After hours service may be available upon request and may be subject to Reimbursable Service Program (RSP) fees.
- Advise CBP if transporting live animals, weapons, hunting trophies, or commercial imports.