Nature and luxury strike an appealing balance in our region: we're an urban zone on the edge of the wilderness, with farms and cozy small towns in Snohomish County, Washington.

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Snohomish County is a PNW Paradise, just a few miles north of Seattle.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Snohomish comes from the indigenous word for “big tribe” or “many people.” This is the ancestral homeland of the Coast Salish people. We deeply appreciate their connection and stewardship of this land for thousands of years.

Outdoor Recreation

132 Summits

#2 Economy in the State

10 Major Mountains

Part of the Largest Ferry System in the U.S.

1 Deep Water Port

The Largest Public Marina on the West Coast is in Everett.

7 Puget Sound Beaches

#1 Manufacturing Jobs

10

19 Rivers & Streams

70,000 Acres of Farmland

70% Federally Recognized Tribes

560 Miles of Trails

120 Waterfalls

5 Aviation Attractions

70% Publicly Owned Land

Our Salmon Love Woody Debris. Habitat Restoration is a Priority.

30 Breweries

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Seattle NorthCountry is full of adventures. From relaxing on a tiny island beside the Salish Sea to swimming in an alpine lake deep in the Cascade Mountains—here are 10 things to do on your days off.

**VISIT THE AVIATION DISTRICT**

Paine Field is where air travel was perfected. Home to the Boeing assembly plant, the Paine Field Aviation District’s museums will take you from the pioneering days of flight to the very edge of aerospace technology. See the world’s largest building on the Boeing tour (1), then visit any one of the five aviation attractions nearby.

**RELAX ON JETTY ISLAND**

This sandy two-mile island offers unexpectedly warm swimming water. Wade into Port Gardner while taking in views of the Olympic Mountains. Jetty Island (2) is a destination for families, bird-watchers, and kiteboarders. It’s accessible by a free ferry from Everett. Be sure to pack a picnic and some sunscreen; you’ll want to linger on the warm sand.

**HIKE TO AN ALPINE LAKE**

The Alpine Lakes are as beautiful as their name suggests. Take a summer hike to Lake Dorothy (3) in the Cascade Mountains for a cool swim in the clear glacial water. Bring your camera and a picnic. Snowshoe to the lakes in the winter to hear the crunch of fresh powder and the sound of your own heartbeat—it’s that quiet.

**GO WHALE WATCHING**

The Salish Sea is home to fluked marvels. Catch a chartered vessel from the Edmonds (4) or Everett marinas and keep your eyes on the waves. Seeing a whale is a bucket list experience and you’ll likely catch a glimpse of other marine life on your journey, like sea otters, harbor seals, sea lions, or cormorants.
Whether you choose a self-guided or group tour, you will learn about our traditional territories, the importance of the cedar trees, our seven value stories, and seasonal lifeways. As you walk through the Canoe Hall, you will experience our homelands from the Cascade Mountains to Tulalip Bay, while admiring historic canoes and archaeology from various sites throughout the county.

The Hibulb Cultural Center is a place to learn and a source of pride for the Tulalip people and neighboring communities. We hope that our visitors will be fascinated by our exhibits and learn about our history and culture.

For more visitor information, visit SeattleNorthCountry.com.
A First Class Airport

Seattle’s new design-forward terminal brings new visitors to Seattle NorthCountry.

Paine Field is legendary among aviation buffs. Fifty years ago, the first 747 was built at Paine Field in the Boeing assembly plant, the largest building on the planet. Today aerospace manufacturing and museums flank the terminal. The industry has made the region famous and bolstered the local economy. No matter where you are in the world, if you’re buying a wide-body aircraft, you’re flying to Everett.

Brett Smith, CEO of Propeller Airports and a licensed pilot, founded Propeller in 2008 with two tenants in mind, to build smaller private airports for public commercial use and to return civility back to airline travel.

He chose Paine Field for its location, history, and collaborative public-private partnerships. Snohomish County, Washington is quickly growing with newcomers. The influx in population is for public commercial use and to return civility back to airline travel.

The new Propeller Airport at Paine Field now offers a relaxed and refined alternative when flying into the greater Seattle area.

A Design-forward Approach

Paine Field is ideally situated next to the coast of the Salish Sea, on a 600-foot hill above the fog line. It’s easy for airplanes to access and ground control has great visibility (not to mention stunning views of the snowy Olympic Mountains).

The beauty of Paine Field isn’t only in its natural surroundings; it’s also in the design, flow, fit and finish of the details. Bose speakers play classical music in a vaulted wooden ceiling designed by Swiss sound engineering firm Topakustik. A modern electronic Solari readerboard, showing arriving and departing flights, greets travelers as they approach the terminal. These details are “reflective of the sophistication of Snohomish County,” says Smith.

Looking Ahead

PAE will bring a new wave of passengers to the foothills of the Cascades, the beaches of the Salish Sea, and the doorstep of Seattle. Locals will appreciate it for the terminal’s connectivity to regional fly markets and international destinations. All travelers will love the growing regional mass transit options, with the arrival of light rail to the county in 2024. The influx of visitors will boost the local economy as business travelers and adventure-seekers alike fly into this new portal to the true PNW.

Nearby Meeting and Event Space

Seattle NorthCountry offers the ideal mix of choice, value and unique meeting spaces at 25%-50% cost savings compared to similar venues located just a few miles away in downtown Seattle.

Edward D. Hansen Conference Center
- Cascade mountain views from an 11,000 sq. ft. grand ballroom
- Eight miles north of Paine Field Airport
- Attached to a 10,000 person capacity event arena in downtown Everett
- Combined it’s Seattle NorthCountry’s largest meeting venue with over 68,000 sq. ft.

Lynnwood Convention Center
- 34,000 sq. ft. event facility with 11 rooms and seating for 650 banquet style
- 7 miles south of Paine Field Airport
- 400 free parking spots and Wi-Fi
- Innovative, onsite cuisine and AV team

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Experience the Aviation District

Five amazing aviation experiences surround Paine Field.

Boeing Future of Flight
The world’s largest building (by volume) is in Everett. This guided 90-minute tour takes you from the Future of Flight by bus to the factory, through a network of underground tunnels to high above the factory floor, where you experience assembly of Boeing 747, 767, 777 and 787 twin-aisle airplanes. Come see the future in the making.

Historic Flight Foundation
If you know what a Grumman F7F Tigercat is, you’ll appreciate the hangar full of aircraft that originally flew between 1927 and 1957. Once restored, all of these planes actually fly.

Flying Heritage & Combat Armor Museum (FHCAM)
Accurate down to the decals inside the bomb bay doors: that’s the level of quality that trained volunteers bring to restored aircraft and war machinery at this museum. Witness firsthand three hangars of refurbished vintage vehicles.

High Trek Adventures
This park full of high ropes courses and zip lines is ideal for team building exercises, or as an adrenaline-fueled way to conquer your fear of heights. Don’t worry, they’ll make sure you’re clipped into your safety harness before your feet leave the ground.

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Five Luxe Features

Every detail has been considered in this modern terminal.

Travellers can wash up in privacy with individual bathrooms that offer full-length mirrors and complimentary hygiene products.

The terminal has Bose speakers and acoustic ceilings custom-designed by Swiss sound engineers Topakustik.

All lounge furniture is made by Swiss family-owned furniture company Vitra.

All lounge seats have accessible electrical outlets and USB chargers for phones and devices and guests can use free high-speed wifi.

Local food and beverage options include Caffe Vita, northwest wines, and Seattle’s Beecher’s Handmade Cheese.

Near the Airport

Boeing Future of Flight

High Trek Adventures Seattle Zipline & Aerial Park
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