

STATE OF WASHINGTON

BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the matter of the petition of:

PROTEC17

Involving certain employees of:

PIERCE TRANSIT (PIERCE COUNTY
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT
AREA)

CASE 141588-E-24

DECISION 14052 - PECB

CERTIFICATION
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Louis Garcia, Organizer, for PROTEC17.

Kendra Brokman, Labor Negotiator, for Pierce Transit.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. PROTEC17 filed a representation petition concerning employees of Pierce Transit. The Public Employment Relations Commission (PERC) determined the petition was timely filed and accompanied by a sufficient showing of interest. No other organization claimed to represent the employees involved.
2. The bargaining unit is described as follows:

All full-time and regular part-time employees in Pierce Transit's IT Department with the following classifications: Systems Analyst, Systems Analyst Senior, Information Technology Specialist, and Information Technology Enterprise Architect, excluding statutory supervisors, confidential employees, employees in other bargaining units, and all other employees.
3. Because the more than 50 percent showing of interest threshold was met, PERC conducted card check proceedings. The employees were given a free choice in the proceedings. The tally of results was provided to the parties. No meritorious election objections were filed.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The unit described in finding of fact 2 is an appropriate unit within the meaning of RCW 41.56.060.
2. Representation proceedings were conducted in accordance with RCW 41.56.095 and chapter 391-25 WAC.

CERTIFICATION

Pierce Transit employees in the bargaining unit described in finding of fact 2 have chosen

PROTEC17

as their representative for the purpose of collective bargaining with their employer.

ISSUED at Olympia, Washington, this 20th day of February, 2025.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION


MICHAEL P. SELLARS, Executive Director



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ISSUED ON 02/20/2025

DECISION 14052 - PECB has been served by mail and electronically by the Public Employment Relations Commission to the parties and their representatives listed below.

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