

## PER DIEM, TRAVEL, AND TRANSPORTATION ALLOWANCE COMMITTEE

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MILITARY ADVISORY PANEL

SUBJECT: UTD for MAP 53-21(R) "Bremerton, WA TLE Extension."

- 1. This item adds the Bremerton, WA Military Housing Area (MHA) (WA306) as a location to receive up to 60 days of Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE). The effective dates of the TLE extension will be the date of approval by the PDTATAC Chair (October 28, 2021) to December 31, 2021. The authority for this authorization is 37 U.S.C. § 474a, which permits an extension of TLE up to 60 days in MHAs in locations where the President has declared a major disaster area under Section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. § 5170). Due to lingering effects of the pandemic, installations are experiencing a housing shortage, which is extending the time period for incoming personnel to find housing. This extension will impact all Service members inbound to the MHA that includes Bremerton, WA (WA306).
- 2. This revision was approved by the Chair, Per Diem, Travel, and Transportation Allowance Committee.
- 3. These changes will be published as soon as practicable in the <u>JTR Supplement</u>, "<u>Locations</u> with Approved TLE Extensions" on the DTMO website.
- 4. This revision is effective on October 28, 2021, when it was signed by the Chair.

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Attachment:

Chair Signature Memorandum JTR Supplement, "Locations with Approved TLE Extensions"

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