



# Aviation Investigation Preliminary Report

<b>Location:</b>	Bovill, ID	<b>Accident Number:</b>	WPR21LA354
<b>Date &amp; Time:</b>	September 23, 2021, 15:00 Local	<b>Registration:</b>	N5334V
<b>Aircraft:</b>	Hiller UH-12E	<b>Injuries:</b>	1 None
<b>Flight Conducted Under:</b>	Part 137: Agricultural		

## Aircraft and Owner/Operator Information

<b>Aircraft Make:</b>	Hiller	<b>Registration:</b>	N5334V
<b>Model/Series:</b>	UH-12E	<b>Aircraft Category:</b>	Helicopter
<b>Amateur Built:</b>			
<b>Operator:</b>	Western Helicopter Services	<b>Operating Certificate(s) Held:</b>	Agricultural aircraft (137)
<b>Operator Designator Code:</b>			

## Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

<b>Conditions at Accident Site:</b>	VMC	<b>Condition of Light:</b>	Day
<b>Observation Facility, Elevation:</b>	KPUW, 2551 ft msl	<b>Observation Time:</b>	14:53 Local
<b>Distance from Accident Site:</b>	34 Nautical Miles	<b>Temperature/Dew Point:</b>	20°C / 5°C
<b>Lowest Cloud Condition:</b>	Clear	<b>Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:</b>	5 knots / , 230°
<b>Lowest Ceiling:</b>	None	<b>Visibility:</b>	10 miles
<b>Altimeter Setting:</b>	30.26 inches Hg	<b>Type of Flight Plan Filed:</b>	None
<b>Departure Point:</b>	Bovill, ID	<b>Destination:</b>	Bovill, ID

## Wreckage and Impact Information

<b>Crew Injuries:</b>	1 None	<b>Aircraft Damage:</b>	Substantial
<b>Passenger Injuries:</b>		<b>Aircraft Fire:</b>	None
<b>Ground Injuries:</b>		<b>Aircraft Explosion:</b>	None
<b>Total Injuries:</b>	1 None	<b>Latitude, Longitude:</b>	46.840453,-116.2866 (est)

## Administrative Information

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<b>Investigator In Charge (IIC):</b>	Swick, Andrew
<b>Additional Participating Persons:</b>	Nick Shepler; Rolls Royce; Indianapolis, IN Thomas Weeks; FAA-Spokane; Spokane, WA
<b>Investigation Class:</b>	<a href="#">Class 3</a>
<b>Note:</b>	The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.