

TRENTON-MERCER AIRPORT

Trenton-Mercer Airport Terminal Environmental Assessment Public Scoping Meeting

October 23, 2018







Agenda

- Introductions
- Purpose of the Meeting
- Proposed Action
- Environmental Assessment Outline, Process, and Requirements
- Schedule
- Public Input
- Q&A
- Team Availability for One on One Discussion







Meeting Purpose

 Formally Kicks off the Environmental Assessment

- Solicit Public Input on:
 - Range of Alternatives to be Considered
 - Specific Topics that Should be Considered





Meeting Purpose

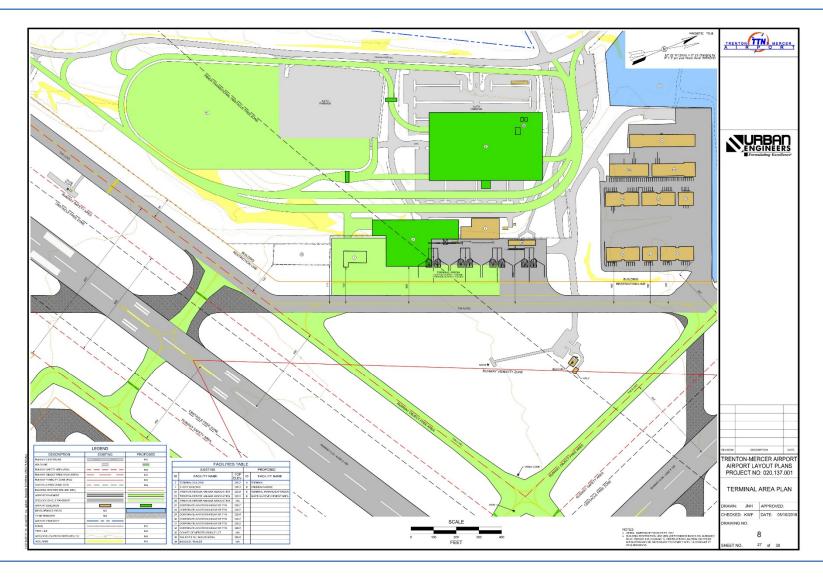
This Public Scoping Meeting is <u>NOT</u> for <u>The Runway Protection Zone (RPZ) and Obstruction Removal Environmental Assessment
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Postings regarding the time and location for future Public Meetings foe the RPZ EA will be made on <u>www.iflyttn.com</u> and <u>www.mercercounty.org</u>.





Terminal Area Plan









Proposed Action

- Construct a Replacement 4 Gate Terminal
- Apron Improvements
- Parking Lot Reconfiguration and Investigate Need For a Parking Garage
- Roadway, Circulation, and Ground Access Improvements
- Relocate Airport Rescue and Firefighting Facility





Environmental Assessment

- Environmental Assessment
 - Evaluates Environmental Consequences of Proposed Action
 - Used for projects where <u>Environmental Impacts Are Not</u>
 <u>Significant</u> or can be mitigated to less than significant
 - Prepared in Accordance with National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Requirements FAA Implementing Orders (1050.1F and 5050.4B)
- FAA Issues Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)
 <u>or</u> Requires Preparation of Environmental Impact
 Statement
- FAA Establishes Threshold of Significance







Environmental Assessment

- Purpose and Need
- Alternatives
- Affected Environment
- Environmental Consequences
- List of Preparers
- Technical Appendices
- Public Comments





Environmental Impact Categories

- Air Quality
- Biological Resources (fish, wildlife, and plants)
- Climate
- Coastal Resources
- DOT Section 4(f)
- Farmlands
- Hazardous Materials, Solid Waste, and Pollution Prevention
- Historical, Architectural, Archeological and Cultural Resources
- Land Use
- Natural Resources and Energy Supply

- Noise and Noise Compatible Land Use
- Socio-economics
- Environmental Justice
- Children's Health and Safety Risks
- Light Emissions
- Visual Resources/Visual Character
- Wetlands
- Floodplains
- Surface Waters
- Groundwater
- Wild and Scenic Rivers
- Permits
- Mitigation







EA and Terminal Design Schedule

- Terminal and Site Investigations September 2018 to November 2018
- Schematic and Preliminary Design September 2018 through May 2019
- Environmental Assessment September 2018 to July 2019
 - Public Scoping Meeting October 2018
 - Public Meeting Concept Design January 2019
 - Public Meeting Interim Findings March 2019
 - Draft EA Public Review/Public Hearing May 2019
- EA Submission to FAA June 2019
- FAA Decision Anticipated September 2019







EA Public Outreach

- Project Web Site (coming soon): www.TTNTerminal.com
- Email: Trenton@mjinc.com
- Planned Public Meetings
 - Scoping Meeting
 - Public Meeting Concept Design
 - Public Meeting (PA and NJ) Present Interim Findings
 - Public Hearing Present Final Draft Report & Public Comment
- Public Comment Period 30 days
- Substantive Public Comments Addressed in Final EA







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