

COMMENTS ON ADDISON AIRPORT MASTER PLAN DRAFT

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The draft copy of the Addison Airport Master Plan appears to be as comprehensive as possible given the limitations of time and finances. The FAA looks to the airport sponsors to gather pertinent data from multiple sources so that the airport can be in the best position to support both aviation interests and the interests of the community at large for the near future and beyond. This document has, in my opinion, met or exceeded the FAA requirements. As a bonus it also includes the Town of Addison's strategic plan for the airport, something not usually part of an Airport Master Plan, but is welcomed by the FAA and shows the sponsor's extended commitment to the future of the airport and the aviation stakeholders. With this said just a few comments on the presentation come to mind.

1. I would like to see it more fully explained that this plan is very flexible and is subject to change to accommodate the needs of the stakeholders as the future unfolds.
2. The various chapter narratives make reference to community and committee input comments/surveys but the various parties comments are relegated to Appendix E within Appendix B. When reference is made to the public outreach within the chapter text, it would be helpful to include a note of direction to the proper appendix.
3. My copy of the draft has some charts and graphs that are unreadable due to very poor resolution (see Appendix E in Strategic Plan). I hope that can be corrected in the binders supplied to council members.
4. The chapter titled Phased Development Plan has table 5-1 listing projects for airside improvements. However, there are two security items listed but I can find no details or labeling in figure 5-2. I think it would be helpful to provide more detailed information and an explanation for putting the projects on the airside list.
5. Finally, I would like to see it more clearly stated the methods or procedures that will be used to solicit stakeholder input as the plan phases unfold. Such efforts will play a very important role in validating the town's continuing commitment to Addison Airport.

These comments are mostly first blush after a quick read during a rushed week. Please let me know if I missed some of the information referenced above.

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