



ARLINGTON AIRPORT NEWSLETTER – 3RD QUARTER 2011

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Taxilane Improvements Project

Aside from a few small items, the reconstruction of taxilanes K, J & H is complete. Along with the taxilanes being repaved, the entire area received a new drainage system. Airport Staff has received many compliments on the results of the project. The contractor for the project, Mosbrucker Inc., did a good job and finished the project ahead of schedule. Staff would like to express their appreciation to tenants for their cooperation and patience with the project.

East Ramp Security Lighting

Airport staff is currently out to bid for the 2011 Arlington Airport Security Lighting Project. The project will involve installation of 10 - 39 foot light poles on the east ramp. The project will provide better lighting of the east ramp parking area during the night.



New Grass Runway

The 16/34 grass runway is nearly complete. All that remains before the runway is opened for operation is a final rolling. The company offering Biplane rides during the Fly-In operated off of the new grass runway and was highly complimentary of the surface. The runway will be located west of 16/34 in between Bravo 2 and Bravo 3. The runway will also add 400' in comparison to the current 16/34 grass runway. Once the runway is open for use it will be the official 16/34 grass runway.

Facebook

The airport now has a Facebook page. Airport staff will update the page weekly with notices, events, pictures, videos and much more. To receive these updates simply find the [Arlington Municipal Airport](#) page on Facebook and “like it.” The page will be a great tool to stay connected and informed with the latest happenings on the airport.

Storage Space Available

In need of reasonably priced storage space? The airport has 3 storage units available. The storage units vary in size and are \$0.25 per square foot. The 3 storage units available are 471 - 544 square feet and rent out for \$133 - \$154 per month. For more information please call 360-403-3470.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Airport Supervisor, Dale Carman. Dale recently obtained the designation of Accredited Airport Executive (A.A.E.) from the American Association of Airport Executives. In order to obtain the A.A.E designation Dale obtained a master's degree, passed a written test and demonstrated in a final interview his knowledge of airport management, business administration and general transportation economics. Few airport operators in the country have the A.A.E. designation. If you see Dale please congratulate him on this tremendous accomplishment.

FOD

Airport staff has received complaints from tenants on the field regarding other airport users cutting the corners when driving on the taxilanes. Cutting the corners on the taxilanes throws rocks and other debris which creates Foreign Object Debris that can be damaging to taxiing aircraft. When driving on the taxilanes please stay on the pavement and do not cut the corners. Thank you.

New Precision Approach

As of August 19th Arlington now has a precision approach. The new runway 34 RNAV (GPS) approach features LPV minimums down to 200 feet. This a great addition to our airport and will give operators with the correct equipment more options when operating in instrument conditions.



Restriping of Runway 16/34 on August 1st

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Special Events Area

Every summer a few events are hosted in the northwest corner of airport property. This area is known as the special events area. The area is used to bring additional income to the airport. This summer the Sittin Pretty carshow and 3 on 3 X-travaganza basketball tournament have already been held in the area. The last event scheduled for the year is the 8th annual Dragstrip Reunion on Saturday, September 10 from 8am - 4pm.