

Updates (January 2012)

Air Traffic Control Tower Operation

- Traffic count (operations): October 4,848 November 3,870 December 3,695
- CY 2011 58,520 Local ops 38% Itinerant 62%, IFR 17%
- TTL Ops 2010 vs. 2011 -16% Local Ops -28% Transient Ops steady
- Fuel: CY 2011 vs. 2010 +20% (941,545 gallons) CY 2011 vs. 2009 +53%
- ATIS: FAA is working on the approval for a ATIS/ASOS switch for the tower
- Annual tower inspection completed by FAA (positive and complimentary remarks)

Runway 14-32 Extension and Taxiway A-D Reconstruction

- Final design submitted to FAA, expect acceptance mid-January
- Construction summer of 2012, pending FAA discretionary grant availability

Upcoming Projects

- Timber sale – to begin harvest mid-late January
- Compass rose project – still pending magnetic survey requirement
- Access road (General Thomas Kelley Blvd.) - completed and operational
- Hawthorne Rd. water/sewer installations - now pending materials list and city schedule
- Parallel taxiway design - in progress with Schaumburg & Polk

Active Development Projects

- Ballard 6 hangar development – completed
- Galaxy FBO Services hangars (Taxiway L) – pending approval to extend schedule to begin construction
- Black Forest Aviation – lease executed, expect to begin this summer
- RFP/Q for 1.826 acres adjacent to Taxiway L – pending award
- Killian hangar development adjacent to Taxiway DD – developing initial site plan
- Aircraft wash rack – currently unfunded but have identified 2 locations to consider – west end of Taxiway DD and west of Taxiway E