

# THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF Pompano Beach Airpark (PMP)

## *Aviation's Benefit for Florida*

Florida's economic well-being is intrinsically entwined with its vibrant airport system and its robust aviation industry. The aviation system in Florida allows the state to capitalize on an increasingly global marketplace. Aviation in Florida both sustains and leads economic growth and development. Airports in Florida are important economic engines, and support vital health, welfare, emergency, and safety-related services.




Florida's system of commercial service and general aviation airports are important to businesses throughout the state. Air travel is essential to tourism, Florida's number one industry. Protecting and investing in airports throughout Florida will support the aviation industry and the economic benefits described in this report. With continued support, Florida's dynamic aviation system will continue to provide a significant economic return in the years to come.

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# Florida's Statewide Benefits from Aviation

Florida realizes significant annual economic benefits from aviation. The Florida Department of Transportation completed a comprehensive economic impact analysis to measure these benefits. Benefits measured in the FDOT study considered direct and indirect economic impacts and induced impacts that result from the multiplier effect. A summary of Florida's annual economic benefits from aviation follows:

Impact Category	 Total Employment	 Total Payroll (BILLIONS)	 Total Output (BILLIONS)
<b>AIRPORTS</b>			
VISITORS ARRIVING BY AIR	170,107	\$8.1	\$36.3
CONSTRUCTION AT AIRPORTS	765,225	\$20.7	\$67.2
MILITARY AVIATION	17,388	\$0.6	\$2.2
AIR CARGO	137,482	\$6.4	\$12.8
AVIATION EDUCATION	129,587	\$5.0	\$10.3
AVIATION BUSINESSES	11,891	\$0.5	\$1.0
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION	76,217	\$2.8	\$13.6
<b>TOTAL ANNUAL ECONOMIC BENEFITS</b>	4,534	\$0.4	\$0.6
	<b>1,312,431</b>	<b>\$44.5</b>	<b>\$144.0</b>

## Pompano Beach Airpark

Located in Broward County, approximately one mile northeast of Pompano Beach City Hall, Pompano Beach Airpark serves a multitude of general aviation activities. With its three intersecting runways, the longest of which is 4,918 feet, the airport can accommodate all single and light twin engine aircraft including midsize business jets. The Fixed Base Operator offers a modern terminal facility that is ideal for serving local airport users as well as those visiting the area.

American Flyers and Florida Aviation Academy, two FAR PART 141 flight schools on the field, are the largest tenants at Pompano Beach Airpark. Sheltair Aviation and Pompano Aviation Center, the airport's fixed base operators, provides a full spectrum of services to the general aviation community offering both full and self-service fueling, and have several sub-tenants that offer services such as aircraft maintenance and overhauls, avionics repairs and installations, flight instruction, aircraft sales, and air taxi/charter operations. In addition to the extensive flight training at the airport, Pompano Beach Airpark accommodates business-related, air taxi/charter, and recreational activity. Good Year Airship operations is one of the most famously known tenants at the Air park. All of the airport's tenants and flight activities are important to the airport's revenue streams and to the airport's economic impacts.

The annual economic impact of Pompano Beach Airpark is associated with direct impacts that come from tenants/businesses located at the airport and construction projects that are undertaken by the airport or by on-site businesses. Indirect impacts are associated with spending from visitors who arrive in the area via general aviation aircraft.

