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Facility Name: Tavares Seaplane Base		Inspection Date: 9/10/2024	
Facility Type: Seaplane Base		Status: Active	
Inspection Date: 9/10/2024		Inspector: David Smith	
Location ID: FA1	FAA Site No.: 03525.*C	FDOT District: 5	
1.00 Miles SE of Tavares		County: Lake	
ARP Latitude: 28° 47' 43.3	Source: Estimated	Ownership: Public	
ARP Longitude: 81° 43' 16.3		Use: Public	
Elevation: 63	Source: Estimated	Sectional Chart: JACKSONVILLE	

Note: Primary contact shows below with a background.

Facility Owner: City of Tavares		Facility Physical Address	
Address: 201 E Main St		Address: 150 E Ruby St	
City: Tavares	State: FL ZIP: 32778	City: Tavares	State: FL ZIP: 32778
Phone: (352) -60-6425	Fax:	Phone: (352) 742-6267	
Email: seaplanebase@tavares.org			
Owner Representative: John Drury		Facility Manager: Daniel Charles	
Address: PO Box 1068		Address: 150 E Ruby St	
City: Tavares	State: FL ZIP: 32778	City: Tavares	State: FL ZIP: 32778
Phone: (352) 742-6210		Phone: (352) 552-4906	
Email: jdrury@tavares.org		Email: dcharles@tavares.org	

Acres: 50	Residential Airpark: No	Beacon:	
Section: 33	Township: 19S Range: 26E	Wind Indicator: Yes	Lighted: No
Lighting Schedule:		Notes:	
Attendance Schedule: Month/Day/Hour		Segmented Circle: No	Lighted: No
ALL / ALL / 0900-1700		Facility Website: https://www.tavares.org/1217/Seaplane-Base-FA1	
		Ask in any new facility aerals/photos are available	

Based Aircraft			
Year: 2011	Single Engine: 3	Jet Engine:	Glider:
Source: Inspector	Multi Engine: 1	Helicopter:	Ultralight:
Total Based Aircraft:			

Annual Operations			
Year: 2011	Air Carrier:	Air Taxi:	GA Local: 1,560
End Date: 03/31/2011	Commuter:	Military:	GA Itinerant: 5,440
Total Annual Operations:			

FAR 139 Certificated

FAA NavCom	
FSS ID: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PIE	Clearance Delivery: <input type="checkbox"/>
FSS on Airport: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Ground Control: <input type="checkbox"/>
Toll Free: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (800) WX-BRIEF	Control Tower: <input type="checkbox"/>
VorTac: <input type="checkbox"/>	Approach Control: <input type="checkbox"/>
AWOS/ASOS: <input type="checkbox"/>	Unicom: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 122.975
Instrument Approach: <input type="checkbox"/>	ATIS: <input type="checkbox"/>
	CTAF: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 122.975

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Services

Fuel:

A ☐
A1 ☐
A1+ ☐
B ☐
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Mogas ☒
80 ☐
100 ☐
100LL ☒
115 ☐

Airframe:

Major ☐
Minor ☐

Power Plant:

Major ☐
Minor ☐

Bottle Oxygen:

High ☐
Low ☐

Bulk Oxygen:

High ☐
Low ☐

Transient Storage:

Buoy ☐
Hangar ☐
Tie Downs ☒

Other Services:

Aerial Surveying ☐
Air Ambulance ☐
Air Freight ☐
Aircraft Rental ☐
Aircraft Sales ☐
Avionics ☐
Beaching Gear ☒
Car Rental ☐
Cargo ☐
Courtesy Car ☐
Charter ☒
Crop Dusting ☐
Glider ☐
Glider Towing ☐
Instruction ☒
Internet ☒
Lodging ☒
Parachute Jumping Area ☐
Restaurant ☒
Restrooms ☒
Taxi ☐
Telephone ☒

Determination

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Deficiencies

Inspection Date 9/10/24

Next Inspection 9/30/25

Mitigated Deficiencies

Rwy: 09W/27W In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(5)(e), FAC. A seaplane landing area shall be exempt from the requirement for having a runway safety area.

The seaplane landing area is not marked.

The runway safety area is not applicable due to the seaplane landing area not being marked.

Rwy: 09W/27W In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(2)(d)1.j., FAC. For a seaplane landing area with no markers designating the waterway landing and takeoff area: the transition surface is not applicable.

The seaplane landing area is not marked.

The transition surface is not applicable due to the seaplane landing area not being marked.

Rwy: 09W/27W In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(2)(c)1.j., FAC. For a seaplane landing area with no markers designating the waterway landing and takeoff area: the approach surface ratio is not applicable.

The seaplane landing area is not marked.

The approach surface ratio is not applicable due to seaplane landing area not being marked.

Rwy: 09W/27W In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(2)(b)1.j., FAC. For a seaplane landing area with no markers designating the waterway landing and takeoff area: the primary surface is not applicable.

The seaplane landing area is not marked.

The primary surface is not applicable due to seaplane landing area not being marked.

License

Effective: 01/01/2025

Category: Public

Limitations: ☐ Day Use Only

Expires: 12/31/2025

☐ VFR Use Only

Conditions:

The department may revoke, refuse to allow or issue, any license or license renewal, if it determines that the airport does not comply with the conditions of the license, license renewal, or site approval or that the airport has become unsafe or unusable for flight operation due to physical or legal changes that were the subject of approval pursuant to Section 330.30(2)(e), F.S.

A. This Airport has the following landing areas and approach limitations.

1. Runway 09W/27W is available for visual approaches only.

a. Runway 09W is FAR 77 category A(V).

b. Runway 27W is FAR 77 category A(V).

B. In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(2)(b)1.j., FAC.

For a seaplane landing area with no markers designating the waterway landing and takeoff area: the primary surface is not applicable.

C. In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(2)(c)1.j., FAC.

For a seaplane landing area with no markers designating the waterway landing and takeoff area: the approach surface ratio is not applicable.

D. In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(2)(d)1.j., FAC.

For a seaplane landing area with no markers designating the waterway landing and takeoff area: the transition surface is not applicable.

E. In accordance with Chapter 14-60.007(5)(e), FAC.

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F. All operations must comply with 33 CFR Parts 83 through 90, 50 CFR Parts 10 through 17, 50 CFR Part 222, Section 327.02(31)(B), FS and Section 379.2431(2), FS.

Additional Licensing Remarks: