

PUBLIC NOTICE

Opportunity for Public Comment
Caledonia County State Airport
Lyndonville, VT
Environmental Assessment (EA)

The VT Agency of Transportation, working with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) proposes to advance/implement a number of improvements at the Caledonia County State Airport in Lyndonville, VT. These improvements include the design and permitting of work associated with runway 2-20, a parallel taxiway and apron, and the acquisition of off-airport avigation easements both to the north and south of the airfield for the removal of obstructions (tree clearing). The overall goal is to improve safety of operations at the airport.

The Airport contains a single runway, Runway 2-20, which is asphalt, 3,302 feet long by 60 feet wide. This runway has reached the end of its 20-year service life and is proposed to be reconstructed. As a part of the reconstruction, the runway will be shifted approximately 500 feet south to eliminate the hazard created by box trucks operating on the adjacent Airport Road and to minimize off-airport impacts. The partial parallel taxiway does not meet current FAA runway-to-taxiway separation requirements and will be realigned/reconstructed to meet current FAA standards. The apron to the north of the existing terminal building has also reached the end of its service life and will be reconstructed. Obstructions within the runway approaches have been identified and alternatives to remove or mark them have been evaluated. At this point, the obstructions (trees) are proposed to be removed.

The VT Agency of Transportation, in cooperation with the FAA, has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) to determine the proposed project's potential impacts to the natural and human environment. Copies of the document are available for review at the Airport, 2107 Pudding Hill Road, Lyndonville, on the VTrans web site <https://vtrans.vermont.gov/aviation/airports/caledonia-county>, under Airport Technical Information, at the Federal Aviation Administration, 1200 District Avenue, Burlington, MA and at the offices of DuBois & King, 28 North Main Street, Randolph, Vermont during normal business hours.

A Public Meeting will be held at the Airport on November 15, 2018 at 6:00 p.m., during which preliminary findings and the EA process will be presented. The opportunity to comment on the EA will end at the close of business, November 30, 2018. Comments may be submitted in writing or may be submitted electronically to either:

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For comments to be considered, they must be received by the date indicated above and include your name, affiliation, address, contact information, a clear reference to the Caledonia County State Airport EA, along with your comment referencing the specific element(s) of the document. Thank you for your participation.