# Virginia Airport Economic Impact Study

**Tenant Introduction Webinar** 









# **Agenda**



# Study Purpose and Benefits





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- Understand the overall role of aviation in supporting and enhancing the Commonwealth's economy
- Convey the <u>economic</u> <u>importance</u> of airports and the benefits to Virginia's residents, businesses, and visitors

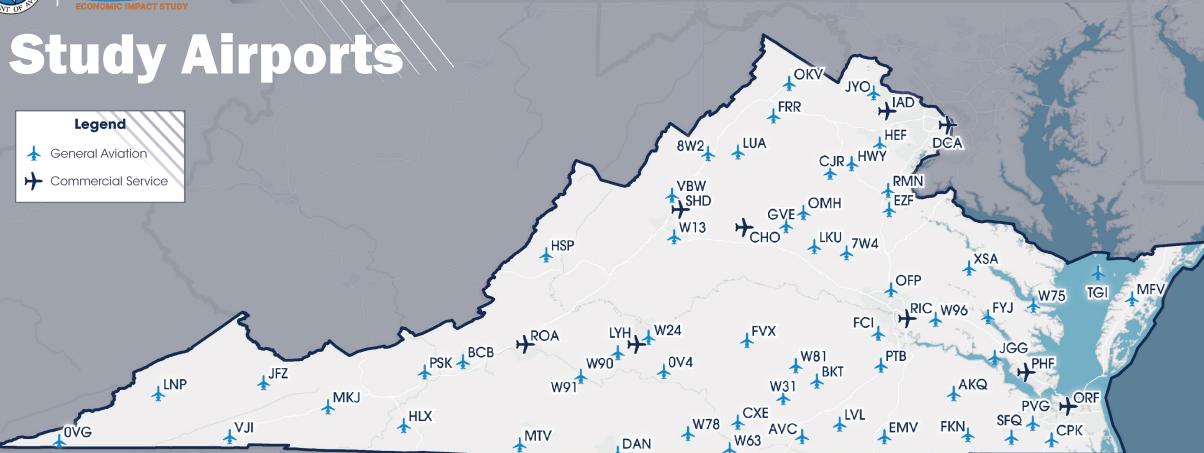


















# **Project Process**

Calculate Tax Impacts



Data Collection

Calculate Economic Impacts



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**Deliverables** 



Document Evaluation of Inflationary Impacts







#### **DIRECT**

#### **ON-AIRPORT**

- > Airport Administration
- > Airport Tenants
- > Capital Improvements

#### **OFF-AIRPORT**

- > Commercial Visitor Spending (By Airport)
- ➤ General Aviation Visitor Spending

#### **OFF-AIRPORT**

(REGION/STATE LEVEL ONLY)

▶ Industries using airports for delivery services, cargo/freight, and transportation SUPPLIER SALES AND INCOME RE-SPENDING

#### TOTAL











## **IMPLAN**



**Based on Employee Headcount** 



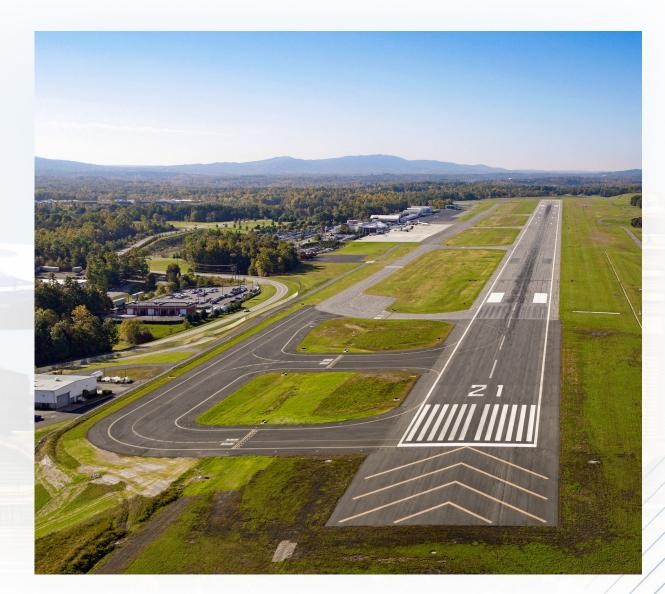
**Economic Modeling Software** 



Generates Direct, Multiplier, and Total Impacts



**FAA-Approved** 



# Data Collection:

How are we going to collect these data?





# Surveys

Airport Manager Survey

Airport Administration Airport Business Tenant Survey

Airport
Tenants Trai
(MRO, restaurant,
etc.)

Surface Transportation Provider

Air Cargo Commercial Visitor Survey

Commercial Visitors

GA Visitor Survey

GA Visitors Off Airport Reliance Survey

Off Airport Reliance





# **On-Airport Impacts**



#### **Airport Tenants – All of You!**

- Airlines, FBOs, MROs, avionics, and other aircraft service companies
- Terminal concessions (e.g., restaurants and retailers)
- On-airport businesses that pay rent or fees (e.g., warehouses and hotels)
- May include:
  - Surface transportation providers (e.g., TNCs and taxis)
  - Air cargo operators



AIRPORT TENANT SURVEY







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If you would prefer to take the survey online and have the information automatically submitted to the project team, please follow the link <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VAAirportTenantSurvey">www.surveymonkey.com/r/VAAirportTenantSurvey</a> or scan the code on the right.

Note that we are requesting information for Calendar Year (CY) 2024.



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Business/Company Information				
Business Name:				
Airport:				
Contact Name:				
Phone Number:				
Email:				

#### Type of Business

What industry is your business in? Please check only one.

<b>√</b>	Air Transportation	Local/Regional Government					
	Fixed-Base Operator (FBO)	Military					
	Wholesale Distribution	Other Federal Government (not military or TSA)					
	FAA	Security (TSA or other)					
	Retail	Aerial Applicator					
	Car Rental	Aviation-Related Manufacturing and/or Repair					
Hotel (on airport) Flight Training Construction		Facility Maintenance (buildings)  Concession (restaurant, bar, etc.)  Ground Transportation (other than car rental)					
						Grounds Maintenance	Courier/Overnight Delivery Service
						Other (please specify)	



#### **AIRPORT TENANT SURVEY**

Employment				
How many full-time and part-time employees were employed by your business at this airport in 2024?	Full-Time:			

Expenditures							
Please estimate how much your business spent on capital improvements in each year.	\$	\$	2023 \$	2024 \$			
Please comment on any additional economic benefits or services that your business provides to the local community.							
Please include examples that are not readily recognized as providing a high value to the community (e.g., package delivery, medevac operations, training /educational programs, etc.).							

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE!





## **Data Collection Process**

1

Outreach to airports via phone and email to schedule a site visit

2

Airport receives calendar invite and surveys

3

Airport has a two-week window to complete surveys

4

Surveyor conducts site visit

5

Airport helps facilitate tenant interactions (as applicable)

6

Airport helps facilitate visitor spending surveys (as applicable)



**Emma Walker** 



**Liam Sargent** 



**Sonjia Murray** 



**Zoe Lindermuth** 





# **Data Usage and Expectations**

No tenant-identifying information will be used in the analysis, only the data.

**Surveys will be PRIVATE.** 

Completed surveys will be aggregated with the overall dataset.

Surveyors are available to assist with any questions you might have throughout the process.







# Anticipated Deliverables





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**Technical Report** 



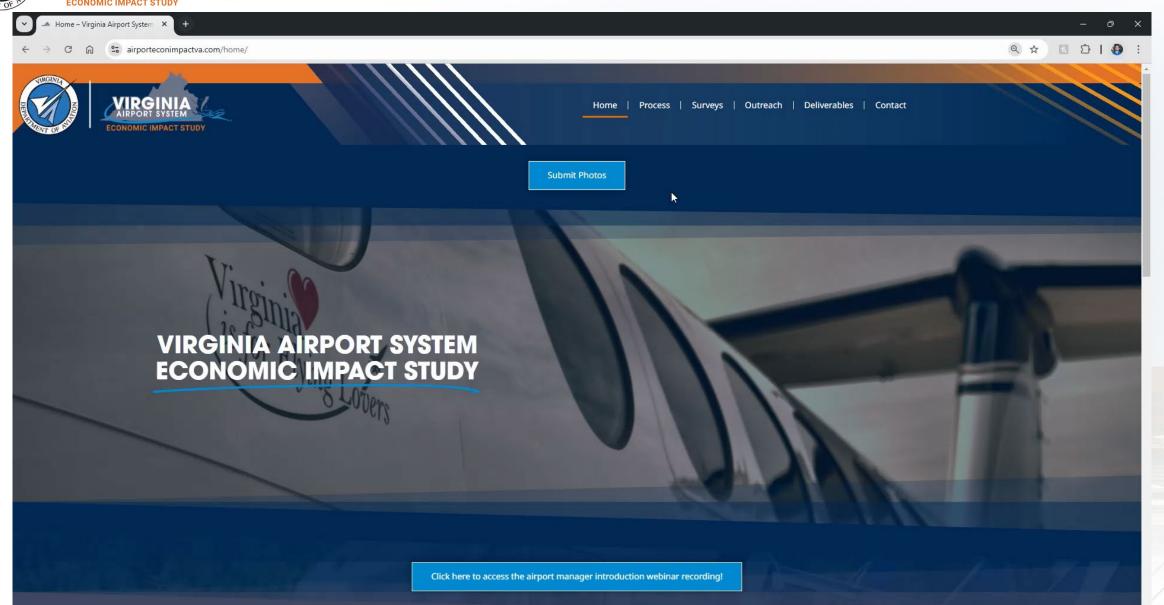
**Statewide Executive**Summary Brochure



Airport Training
Webinar







# **Thank You ALL!**



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# If you would like to get started, scan the QR code to complete the survey!

Note: If you complete the survey now, you will not be required to take any action on the day of your airport's site visit. This QR code will also be available on the project website!