



BKL Airport Layout Plan (ALP) Update

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Agenda

- Introductions
- Opening Remarks
- Overview of ALP Update Process
- Background & History
- Airport Inventory
- Forecasts Update
- Facility Requirements Overview
- Next Steps





Tonight's Speakers





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Scope of Work

- Update 2017 ALP
- Update Aviation Forecasts
- Exhibit 'A' Property Map





What is an ALP?

- Critical planning tool
- Federal requirements
 - Existing airport facilities, structures, and buildings
 - Proposed projects on all areas owned by BKL for airport purposes
 - Existing & proposed non-aeronautical areas and improvements





Why is the ALP Updated?

- Construction project(s)
 - Change in airfield geometry
 - New buildings
 - Acquisition or release of airport property
- Other
 - Future development shown on an approved ALP that is no longer needed to meet future demand or is impacted by other project(s)





Project Background/History





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What is an Exhibit 'A'?

- An inventory of parcels that make up dedicated airport property
- Indicates how the land was acquired, the funding source for the land and if the land was conveyed as Federal surplus land or Government Property
- Must show all dedicated airport property regardless of the type of funds (AIP, state, local, etc.) used to acquire that property -FAA ARP SOP 3.0





ALP Update Process





Key Stakeholders





Design Standards





Issues & Focus Areas





INVENTORY



Summary of Key Facilities







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Summary of Key Facilities

Two runways:

- 6L-24R at 6,603 x 150' with instrument approach
- 6R-24L at 5,197' x 100'

Apron space:

- Approx. 500,000 SF of apron space surrounding terminal and FBO facility
- Approx. 130,000 SF of additional hangar apron space

Hangar storage:

 Three corporate hangars: approx. 54,000 SF of combined space

Item	Runway 6L	Runway 24R	Runway 6R	Runway 24L	
Runway Length (feet)	6,603		5,197		
Displaced Threshold (feet)	178	600	275		
Width (feet)		150	10	100	
Runway End Elevation (feet above MSL)	561.1	582.4	580.5	582.5	
Pavement Type	As	sphalt	Asphalt		
	Single v	vheel: 93.0	Single wheel: 43.0		
Pavement Load Bearing and Pavement	Double v	vheel: 113.0	Double wi	neel: 50.0	
Classification Number	Double ta	ndem: 170.0	Double tandem: 82.0		
	PCN: 84/F/C/X/T		PCN: 63/F/C/X/T		
	LDA: 6,325'	LDA: 6,003'	LDA: 4,924'	LDA: 5,199'	
	TODA: 6,503'	TODA: 6,603'	TODA: 5,199'	TODA: 5,199'	
Declared Distances	TORA: 6,503'	TORA: 6,603'	TORA: 5,199'	TORA: 5,199'	
	ASDA: 6,503'	ASDA: 6,603'	ASDA: 5,199'	ASDA: 5,199'	
Aircraft Approach Category	C-II		B-		
Runway Markings	Precision		Ba	sic	
Rupway and Approach Lighting	HIRL, PAPI-4,				
Runway and Approach Lighting	REIL	-	-	TIKL, KEIL	
Novigational Aids		LOC/ILS, MALSF,			
Naviyational Alus	-	GPS	-	-	
Runway Design Code	C-II-VIS	C-II-4000	B-II-VIS	B-II-VIS	



Based Aircraft

Helicopter Medical Services, Local News Outlets

Projected to increase based on FAA Aerospace Forecast for Single Piston, Jets, and Helicopters from 2020-2024

Jet Corporate Tenants, Charter Flights

Single-Piston Flight Training, Recreational Use





Cessna Citation





Top Operators in 2019/2020

Aircraft	Group	2019 Operations	2020 Operations
Cessna Citation V/Ultra/Encore	B-II	1,124	820
Fairchild Dornier 328 Jet	B-II	932	330
Cessna Citation Excel/XLS	B-II	526	254
Beech 200 Super King	B-II	480	264
Cessna Citation Sovereign	B-II	446	358
Dassault Falcon 2000	B-II	440	196
Embraer Phenom 300	B-II	378	310
Hawker 800	B-II	368	220
Cessna Citation Jet/CJ1	A-I	306	330
Cessna Citation II/Bravo	B-II	242	260
Bombardier Learjet 35/36	D-I	240	104
Gulfstream IV/G400	D-II	205	106
Gulfstream V/G500	D-III	140	74
Dassault Falcon F7X	B-III	67	33



AVIATION FORECASTS



Activity Demand Forecasts

- Provide an initial timetable for facility improvements
- Basis for the development of alternatives to meet the projected demand
- Basis for environmental analyses and economic and financial plans
- Used as support for airport funding





Forecast Process

- Traditionally includes 5, 10, 20-year estimates of aviation activity compared against the FAA Terminal Area Forecast (TAF)
- "Optimistic" and "Pessimistic" COVID-19 Recovery Forecasts
- Post-Recovery Forecasts
 - ✓ General Aviation
 - ✓ Commercial
 - ✓ Enplanements
 - ✓ Based Aircraft





COVID-19 Impacts on GA Operations



12-Month Comparison

- Down 21% overall
- Down 18% avg/month
- March 2020 down 63%
- April 2020 down 85%
- May 2020 down 47%

Mostly recovered by June with some months above previous year.



COVID-19 Impacts on Commercial Operations



12-Month Comparison

- Down 30% overall
- Down 29% avg/ month
- Down every month ranging from 54% (April) to 3% (September)

Exacerbated by Ultimate Air temporarily ceasing operations.



GA COVID-19 Recovery



<u>"Optimistic" Forecast</u>

Recover 93% of operations within 1 year

- July 2020 was down 4%, therefore July 2021 will have 104% of operations from July 2020 *Note: March and April treated special*
- If operations during COVID were above previous year, this is retained



GA COVID-19 Recovery



"Pessimistic" Forecast

Recover 93% of operations within 3 years

- Logic same as "optimistic" except the recovery rate is divided by 3 *Note: March and April 2021 treated special, then follows normal math*
- If operations during COVID were above previous year, this is retained constant every year



Commercial COVID-19 Recovery



"Optimistic" Forecast

Recover 97% of operations within 1 year

- Logic same as GA "optimistic" recovery
- Ultimate Air restores service in April 2021



Commercial COVID-19 Recovery



"Pessimistic" Forecast

Recover 98% of operations within 3 years

- Logic same as GA "pessimistic" recovery
- Ultimate Air restores service in April 2021



Commercial & GA Operations Forecast

Assumptions

- Commercial and GA operations experience "optimistic" recovery
- Commercial operations forecast based on employment econometrics
- GA operations forecast based on FAA Aerospace Forecast 2020-2040
- Military operations forecast remains constant from COVID-19 recovery forecast (not shown)
- Ultimate Air restores pre-COVID commercial service in April 2021, adds new mid-day service to Cincinnati in April 2023, and adds new service to an unnamed Midwest Airport in April 2024

Year	Commercial	GA	Military	Total Operations
2020	7,283	24,333	363	31,979
2021	8,046	27,285	366	35,698
2026	10,516	27,688	366	38,571
2031	10,793	28,097	366	39,256
2036	11,019	28,512	366	39,897
2041	11,203	28,933	366	40,503

<u>127% growth 2020-2041</u>



Enplanement COVID-19 Recovery & Forecast



Assumptions

- Ultimate Air restores pre-COVID commercial service in April 2021
- Ultimate Air adds new mid-day service to Cincinnati in April 2023
- Ultimate Air adds new service to an unnamed Midwest Airport in April 2024



FACILITY REQUIREMENTS



Airport Reference Code (ARC)

- System used by the FAA to classify airports
- Based on size and approach speed of critical aircraft
- Critical Aircraft
 - Aircraft or grouping of aircraft that operate > 500 times/year
- Dictates dimensional requirements of the airfield
- 2017 ALP Airport Reference Code C-II

Approach Category			
	Airspeed (knots)		
А	< 91		
В	91 ≤ 121		
С	121 ≤ 141		
D	141 ≤ 166		
E	166+		

Design Group			
	Wingspan (feet)		
I	< 49		
Ш	49 ≤ 79		
	79 ≤ 118		
IV	118 ≤ 171		
V	171 ≤ 214		
VI	214 ≤ 262		



Current Critical Aircraft



Cessna Citation XL (C-II)

2021 ALP Update

D-II ARC



Learjet 35/36 (D-I)



Future Critical Aircraft

2019 Operations			
AAC		ADG	
А	2,086		4,282
В	7,376	II	7,480
С	2,032		438
D	772	IV	76
n/a	14	V	4
12,280			

Based on forecast that ADG III operations will continue its upward trend and rise above 500 in the future.

2021 ALP Update

D-III ARC





Design Standards

- Runway Safety Area (RSA) ——
 - A defined surface surrounding the runway suitable for reducing aircraft damage in the event of an undershoot, overshoot, or excursion from the runway.
- Object Free Area (OFA) ——
 - An area centered on a runway provided to enhance the safety of aircraft operations by remaining clear of objects.
- Runway Protection Zone (RPZ) _____
 - An area beyond the runway end to enhance the safety and protection of people and property on the ground.





Runway Safety Areas

Runway 6R-24L

Runway 6L/24R



RSA for both runways impacted by Lake Erie and Vehicle Service Road



Runway Protection Zones

Runways 6L & 6R

Runways 24L & 24R





Runway Factors

Runway Length

Aircraft Model	Takeoff Length at MTOW (feet)	Takeoff Length at Typical Operating Weight* (feet)	Existing Runway Takeoff Length (feet)
Cessna Citation XL5	4,230	2,710	
Gulfstream V	6,110	4,750	6,603
Boeing 757-200	8,250	5,450	

Runway Wind Coverage

	10.5 Knots	13 Knots	16 Knots	20 Knots
All Weather	81.20%	88.35%	95.09%	98.61%
VFR Conditions	81.67%	88.86%	95.62%	98.91%
IFR Conditions	78.23%	85.05%	91.70%	96.77%

Coverage below 95% is considered insufficient





Runway Design Standards

	Existing Conditions		
Design Standard	6L-24R	6R-24L	
	D-II/III (3/4 mi.)	B-II (visual)	
Runway Width	150′	100′	
RSA Width	400′	150′	
RSA Length Past RW End	422′/1,000′	300′ / 300′	
ROFA Width	800′ / 800′	500′ / 500′	
ROFA Length Past RW End	422′/1,000′	300′ / 300′	
Runway OFZ Width	400′	400′	
Runway Centerline to Parallel	500' (to RW 6R-	$210/(t_{\rm C} T) M(C)$	
Taxiway/Runway Centerline	24L)	218 (l01VVG)	
Runway Centerline to Edge of	020/	2207	
Aircraft Parking	020	320	
Runway Centerline to Hold	250/	150/	
line	250	102	



- RSA 6L-24R moving from 400' width to D-III standard 500' width
- Insufficient separation between Runway 6R-24L and Taxiway G



Airfield Capacity

- Runway 6R-24L has been classified as an 'additional' runway as opposed to a 'secondary' runway
 - Ineligible for federal funding
- Analysis of current two runway configuration shows sufficient capacity for operations
- An additional analysis was performed for a single-runway configuration which also yielded adequate airfield capacity for the forecast period





- Fillet geometry of taxiway turns (in green) do not meet latest FAA design standards
- Standards do not allow direct taxiway access from apron-to-runway (in red)
- D-III runways require 25' paved shoulders (in blue)



Nonstandard Issue Overview

Docian Aroa	Runway		
Design Area	6L-24R	6R-24L	
Runway Length	Adequate	Adequate	
Runway Width	Adequate (needs 25' paved shoulders)	Adequate	
Runway Safety Area (RSA)	Impacted by Lake Erie and Service Road	Impacted by Lake Erie and Service Road	
Runway Object Free Area (ROFA)	Impacted by Lake Erie and Service Road	Impacted by Lake Erie and Service Road	
Runway Protection Zones (RPZ)	Impacted by boat docks, park, and restaurant	Impacted by CDF operations, marina	
Approach Lighting	Adequate	Adequate	
Airfield Lighting	Adequate	Adequate	
Instrument Approaches	Adequate	Adequate	
Pavement Conditions	Mill & overlay	Adequate	

Design Area	Taxiways	
Taxiway Width	Adequate	
Parallel Taxiway	TW G to 6R-24L	
Offset	below standards	
Direct Apron-to-	Four direct access	
Runway Access	along TW G	
Fillet Coometry	TW C, D, E, F, H	
Thiel deometry	noncompliant	
Pavement Conditions	Rehab Taxiway G	



Aircraft Storage Evaluation

- Itinerant apron space is utilized for visiting aircraft, as opposed to apron space used for long-term parking of based aircraft
- The apron space is anticipated to be adequate through the forecast period
- Hangar space, however, has an increasing demand





Support Facilities

- Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) Facility
 - Location, size, facilities adequate
- Maintenance Buildings
 - Adequately sized
 - Lacking certain facilities
 - Insufficient covered storage space for ground service equipment
- Fueling Facilities
 - Location, capacity, conditions adequate
- Air Traffic Control Tower
 - Location, height, conditions adequate. No line-of-sight issues
- Deicing Facilities
 - Desire for dedicated deicing area





Facility Requirements Overview

Airfield

- Consider removing proposed outboard runway from Future ALP
- Reclassify, if operations warrant, Runway 6L-24R from RDC D-II to D-III in the planning period
- Construct standard ROFA for Runway 6L-24R
- Consider paved shoulders for Runway 6L-24R
- Consider paved taxiway shoulders
- Address RSA beyond Runway 6R
- Consider standard blast pads for Runway 24R, 24L, and 6R
- Explore regaining 100' of runway length for Runway 6L operation
- Correct non-standard separation between Runway 6R-24L and Taxiway 'G' to meet ADG Group II separation standards
- Correct non-standard direct access from apron to Runway 6R-24L
- Correct nonstandard fillet geometry on Taxiways C, D, E, F, and H
- Consider relocating the existing ASOS
- Prioritize and address airfield pavements via rehabilitation/reconstruction

Support Facilities

- + Expand box hangar/corporate hangar space where available
- Consider developing additional T-hangar space
- Establish designated deicing space on Terminal Apron
- ✤ Consider expanding covered storage area for maintenance/snow removal equipment
- Consider reevaluating siting of new ARFF facility



Next Steps

- Forecast Approval
- Alternatives Development



- Next Project Advisory Committee Meeting Late July 2021
- ALP Set Update
- Final Public Meeting Late September 2021



Study Website

Serves as a central hub and repository to provide information about BKL and the project, including public meetings and reports.

www.bkl-alpupdate.com



The City of Cleveland is commencing an Airport Layout Plan (ALP) Update & Exhibit 'A' Property Map to address changes at the Airport and in the aviation industry, and plans for the future. The ALP Update will analyze airfield geometry, update the aviation forecasts, and identify potential projects that will improve the value of the Airport to meet the air transportation needs of the region over the next 20 years. Airport Master Plans are typically updated every 10 years to analyze market trends, assess facility requirements to accommodate anticipated growth, and guide future airport development. Community input is an important component.

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Historical Operations



2010 – 2015 54,330 avg. operations

2016 – 2019 37,925 avg. operations

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2020 COVID-19 31,107 operations

