

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and Person County announce the availability of the Draft Environmental Assessment for Raleigh Regional Airport at Person County (TDF) Runway Extension and Runway Safety Area Improvements (Draft EA). The Draft EA was prepared in response to the FAA's evaluation of a proposed runway extension and other improvements which is considered a major Federal action subject to environmental review under NEPA. The Proposed Action would extend Runway 24 by 795 feet to bring the runway takeoff length to 6,800 feet to accommodate the current airport fleet more safely. A new portion of parallel taxiway would connect to the newly extended Runway 24 end for a full parallel taxiway and the aircraft parking apron would be expanded. The Draft EA contains a full description of the Proposed Action and an analysis of potential environmental effects. An electronic version of the document is available on the TDF website: <https://raleighregional.com/future-plans/>. In addition, a printed copy of the Draft EA is available at the Raleigh Regional Airport office, 385 Montgomery Dr., Timberlake, NC.

A public meeting will be held for the public to review the Draft EA and to learn more about the Proposed Action, the purpose and need, potential alternatives, and the environmental resources analyzed. This is an opportunity for the public to provide comments. The meeting will take place on **December 15, 2025, from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm** at the Raleigh Regional Airport at Person County (TDF).