Every year, the Florida Department of Transportation is proud to recognize superior achievement by presenting an award in honor of the General Aviation Airport Project of the Year. Any airport, airport authority, local or federal government official, consultant, contractor, industry partner, or FDOT staff who wishes to make a nomination may submit a written nomination to Michael McDougall, Aviation Communications Manager, by mail (Aviation Office, 605 Suwannee St., MS-46, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0450) or e-mail (Michael.McDougall@dot.state.fl.us).

All nominations must be received by FDOT no later than May 31st of each year in order to be considered for that year. FDOT will present a certificate honoring the General Aviation Project of the Year at the Statewide CFASPP Steering Committee Meeting held in conjunction with the FAC Annual Conference and Exposition.

To be considered eligible for the General Aviation Airport Project of the Year, a project must meet all the following criteria:

* **Demonstrate a significant contribution to airport development, sustainability, efficiency, capacity and/or safety;**
* **Be a project funded under the FDOT Aviation Grants Program (it must have an FM number);**
* **Be completed in the state fiscal year (July 1 - June 30) in which it is nominated**
* **Be completed at a recognized General Aviation Airport by FDOT.**

To nominate a project, describe how the project demonstrates exceptional professional skills, represents a significant contribution to airport development, sustainability, efficiency, capacity, and/or safety. Also, describe how the project meets or exceeds one or more of the following success factors:

* **Contributes to the mobility of people and goods;**
* **Contributes to the well-being of people and communities;**
* **Challenges presented by the project;**
* **Demonstrates resourcefulness in planning;**
* **Demonstrates pioneering use of materials, equipment, and methods;**
* **Benefits to the physical environment and aesthetic values;**
* **Cost-effectiveness.**

Please include 3-5 pictures of the project in JPEG format and complete the General Information Section of the nomination form using the Narrative Section. Electronic File Sharing is available for large files through the DOT File Transfer Appliance. The FTA offers the ability to send large files securely. Please contact Michael McDougall at 850-414-4512 for additional information.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

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**Nominator:**

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**NARRATIVE**

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