

# SUWANNEE COUNTY AIRPORT

## 24J



**Airport:** Suwannee County Airport (24J)

**City:** Live Oak, Florida

**County:** Suwannee

**Sponsor:** Suwannee County

**Role:** General Aviation (Local)

**CFASPP Region:** North Central ([cfaspp.com](https://cfaspp.com))

**FDOT District:** 2

**Website:** [Suwannee Cty.](https://www.suwannee.org)

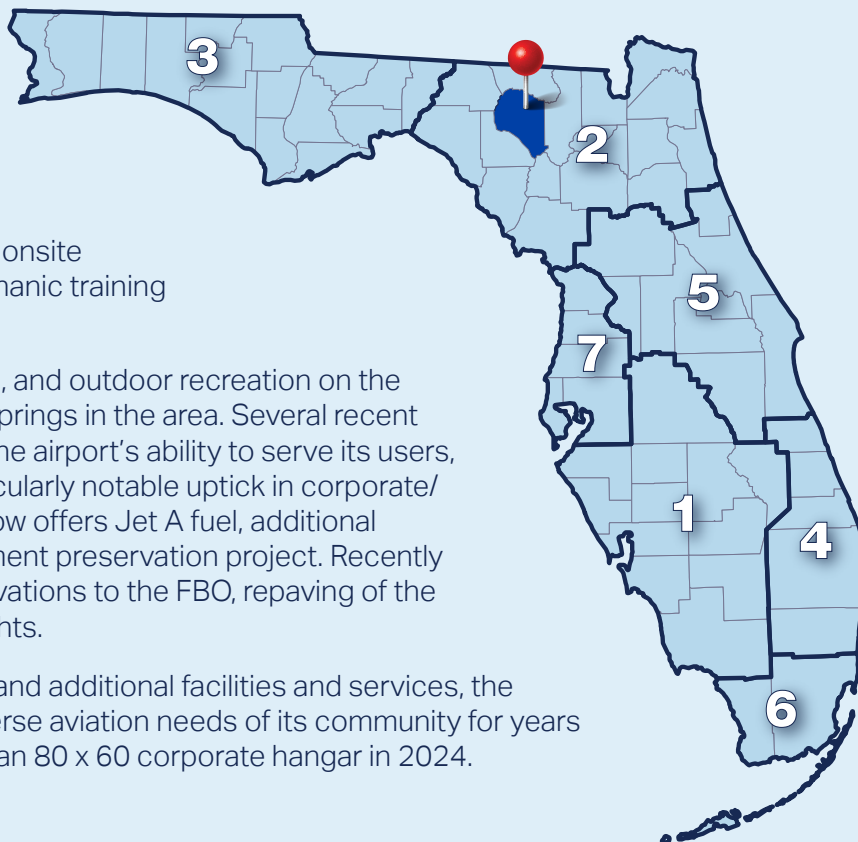


PHOTO SOURCE: GOOGLE - 2021.

Suwannee County Airport (24J) is an active general aviation airport located between Jacksonville and Tallahassee in Live Oak, the county seat of Suwannee County. The airport offers one paved asphalt runway that is 4,005 feet long by 75 feet wide (Runway 7-25). The airport has six onsite tenants that include aircraft maintenance, mechanic training and aircraft inspection providers.

Many people fly to 24J to enjoy hunting, fishing, and outdoor recreation on the nearby Suwannee River and the many natural springs in the area. Several recent capital improvement projects have enhanced the airport's ability to serve its users, resulting in increased activity levels and a particularly notable uptick in corporate/business aviation. Suwannee County Airport now offers Jet A fuel, additional hangar space, and a recently completed pavement preservation project. Recently completed improvement projects include renovations to the FBO, repaving of the parallel taxiway, and the addition of new LED lights.

With constant attention to providing improved and additional facilities and services, the airport will be able to continue to serve the diverse aviation needs of its community for years to come. In addition, the airport will be building an 80 x 60 corporate hangar in 2024.



## ECONOMIC IMPACT



**\$46.9M**  
ECONOMIC IMPACT (OUTPUT)



**\$29.9M**  
VALUE ADDED



**\$19.5M**  
PAYROLL



**356**  
JOBS



Source: Florida Aviation Economic Impact Study.

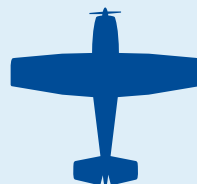
## GENERAL AVIATION ROLES



FLIGHT  
TRAINING



TOURISM



RECREATIONAL /  
SPORT



BUSINESS /  
RECREATIONAL

Source: FASP 2043 Update.

For more information on airport roles, please refer to the FAA's National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems (NPIAS).



## ACTIVITY FORECASTS

### OPERATIONS

**22,592**

2043

**17,164**

2023

### BASED AIRCRAFT

**50**

2043

**41**

2023



Source: FASP 2043 Update.

## AIRPORT CHARACTERISTICS

**1** Provides Aircraft Maintenance & Inspection Services

**2** Hosts Annual Fly-In Festivals

**3** Gateway to Recreational Activities in Suwannee County

## RUNWAY INFORMATION (1)

Runway 7-25: 4,005' x 75'



### Overview of the FASP 2043 Update:

Per Florida statute, the Florida Aviation System Plan (FASP) is periodically updated to summarize the airport and aviation needs in Florida while remaining consistent with the goals of the Florida Transportation Plan (FTP). The FASP 2043 Update focuses on reviewing the applicability of the various goals, objectives, and performance measures to support two primary goals: 1) provide for more efficiency in decision making within FDOT to support funding and development decisions, and 2) provide airports within the system with recommendations for development that support their individual missions while contributing to the overall strength and health of the Florida airport system.



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