

DEFUNIAK SPRINGS AIRPORT

54J



Airport: DeFuniak Springs Airport (54J)
City: DeFuniak Springs, Florida
County: Walton
Sponsor: City of DeFuniak Springs
Role: General Aviation (Local)
CFASPP Region: Northwest (cfaspp.com)
FDOT District: 3
Website: DeFuniak Springs

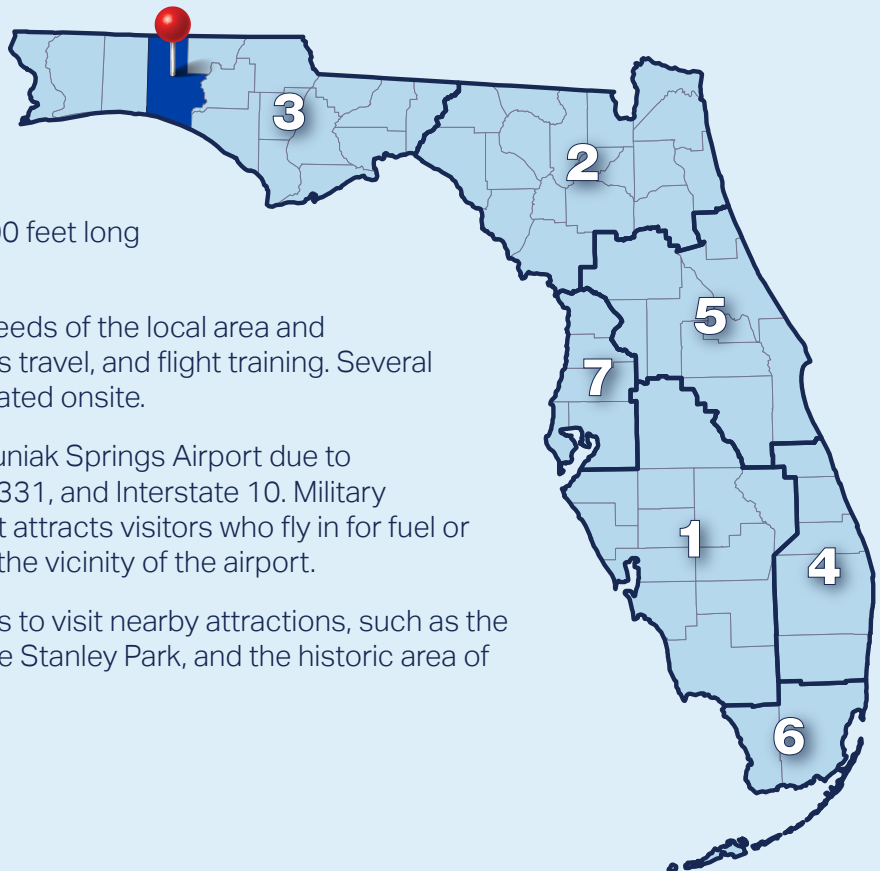


DeFuniak Springs Airport (54J) is in Walton County, approximately two miles west of downtown DeFuniak Springs. The airport has one paved runway that measures 4,146 feet long (Runway 9-27) and one dirt runway that measures 2,700 feet long (Runway 18-36).

The airport serves the general aviation (GA) needs of the local area and primarily supports recreational flying, business travel, and flight training. Several aircraft maintenance and repair shops are located onsite.

Corporate aviators frequently operate at DeFuniak Springs Airport due to its proximity to U.S. Highway 90, U.S. Highway 331, and Interstate 10. Military exercises also occur at the airport. The airport attracts visitors who fly in for fuel or to enjoy a meal at one of many restaurants in the vicinity of the airport.

Transient pilots can also stay for several nights to visit nearby attractions, such as the Eagle Springs Golf and Recreational Park, Lake Stanley Park, and the historic area of nearby DeFuniak Springs.



ECONOMIC IMPACT



\$37.4M
ECONOMIC IMPACT (OUTPUT)



\$18.5M
VALUE ADDED



\$10.7M
PAYROLL



276
JOBS



Source: Florida Aviation Economic Impact Study.

GENERAL AVIATION ROLES



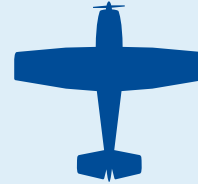
FLIGHT
TRAINING



CORPORATE



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

19,743

2043

17,142

2023

BASED AIRCRAFT

40

2043

35

2023



Source: FASP 2043 Update.

AIRPORT CHARACTERISTICS

1 Home to Several Aircraft Maintenance & Repair Shops

2 Self-Service Fuel Available 24/7

3 Located Near Popular Recreational Attractions

RUNWAY INFORMATION (2)

Runway 9-27: 4,146' x 60'
Dirt Runway 18-36: 2,700' x 60'



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.

