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[**Leesburg airport to move taxiway**](#) Orlando Sentinel The **FAA** grant requires the city and the Florida Department of Transportation each ... "Without such help from the **FAA**, it would be much more difficult to do such ...

[**Todd Hauptli Named Next President And CEO Of AAAE**](#) AviationNews.net Hauptli will become president and **CEO** effective Dec. ... as our organization's next President and **CEO**," said AAAE Chair Mark Brewer, A.A.E., **airport** director at ...

[**Lynchburg's air traffic declines**](#) Lynchburg News and Advance Year-over-year passenger totals at the Lynchburg **Regional Airport** dropped for the fourth month in a row in September, falling about 4 percent from September ...

[**Southwest lands 20% of Charleston market in 2 years; now 3rd ...**](#) Charleston Post Courier 1, according to the **Charleston County Aviation Authority**. It commands 35.1 percent of the local market. Five years ago, it also was No. 1, carrying nearly 36 ...

[Memphis airport CEO Larry Cox to retire Jan. 2](#) Memphis Commercial Appeal

The Memphis-Shelby County **Airport Authority** announced Friday that president and chief executive officer Larry Cox will retire Jan. 2 after 41 years at the airport.

[Aviation expert: Roanoke air service among tops in "connectivity" for ...](#) WFIR News Talk Radio

William Swelbar studies the aviation industry for MIT's Center for Air Transportation, and he says where Roanoke **Regional Airport** places very well is in ...

[Off-site parking serving Tampa International Airport faces 8.5 ... Tbo.com](#) "We understand the **airport** needs to recoup revenue," said Smith, who also is contacting the aviation **authority** board members who approved the policy earlier ...

[TSA caught red-handed admitting naked body scanners were ... Examiner.com](#) Many were already aware the **TSA** in general and the way they treat airline passengers was completely unnecessary and ineffective at stopping terrorists.

[Boeing land purchase at Charleston airport edges forward](#) Charleston Post Courier "The **Charleston County Aviation Authority** plans to sell the ... property for the purpose of aircraft manufacturing and related support functions," according to the ...

[5 New Ways the T.S.A. Searches You Before a Flight Patch.com](#) The blue glove of the **T.S.A.** may start to reach much further than your carry-on. Posted by ... The **Transportation Security Administration (T.S.A.)** will now inspect ...

[Allegiant to offer non-stop flights from Asheville to Punta Gorda](#) Mountain Xpress According to an announcement from the Allegiant Travel Company, they will celebrate the inaugural flight from Asheville **Regional Airport** to Punta Gorda Airport ...

[Jacksonville Aviation Authority security head placed on paid leave](#) Florida Times-Union

Clark headed a police force of about 30 officers responsible for Jacksonville International **Airport** and the **Authority's** three general aviation **airports**: Jacksonville ...

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Airport Business' Top 40 Under 40 — 2013

Young innovators ready aviation for the future

This issue of *Airport Business* is devoted to 40 aviation up and comers (actually 41 because we had a tie) under age 40. What an honor it is for those selected and what an asset these 41 are for our industry.

Last year in this space I wrote that, "Aviation needs young leaders—but only if we want to survive." I was dead serious about that. Show me a church, civic club, town, company or industry in which the average age is getting older with no influx of young members, and I'll show you a group that will either change or go under. That's truer this year than last, and will be even more important next year.

Of course our entire industry won't collapse if we get this wrong—just that part of the industry that doesn't adapt.

I'm proud that *Airport Business* published this list of "40 Under 40," thus providing much needed appreciation for these young leaders. When an industry needs young leaders—and what industry doesn't?—it should let them and the world know that the industry appreciates them. If you know any of this year's selected 40, I hope you'll send them an email or other note of congratulations. After all, we want them to tell their friends in other industries how much they like their jobs.

I spoke for Women In Aviation this year, and was delighted to see that the aviation industry is showing up en masse to recruit employees among this young and dynamic group of women. During my presentation I urged the members to consider airport management as a career. Did your airport exhibit at Women In Aviation's annual conference this year? Perhaps you should next year. You can bet that your competition will be there recruiting.

If you think aviation changed during the last half-century, just sit back and wait. I really believe that the next 50 years will change more than the last 50 years as the world grows smaller and possibilities grow larger. We're going to need a lot of people—educated young people—to react to and handle opportunities and challenges.

Airport management requires more education, more smarts and more energy than ever before. Just dealing with leases, govmint rules and financing takes a lot of up-to-date know-how. We need a constant influx of young men and women educated and trained in many fields. One way to get them is by recognizing our best and brightest with honors like our annual "40 Under 40."

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GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION AUTHORITY

CYRUS T. Callum grew up by Stapleton International Airport but where most people would consider the noise of planes overhead a nuisance, Callum, who holds a private pilot's license, actually marveled at it and knew he wanted to be a part of the aviation industry one day. Later he became interested in airports and the ways they bring people together. "They bring families together, they bring troops back from overseas, they bring businesses together, and I just really wanted to be a part of that," he says.

Today he is. As the assistant director of Airport Operations for the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority (GOAA), his responsibilities include coordinating plans, policies and procedures in addition to administrative,

budgetary and operational issues.

Callum joined the Aviation Authority in 2008 as the Manager of its Noise Abatement Program. In his current role he manages Landside and Terminal Operations, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Compliance program, Aviation Technical systems and other special projects.

Prior to joining GOAA, Callum held multiple positions in operations, planning and business development at the Jacksonville Aviation Authority; Reynolds, Smith and Hills Inc.; Landrum & Brown Inc.; and the Denver International Airport.

Callum, an American Association of Airport Executives (A.A.E.) accredited airport executive, serves as an at-large examiner

on the A.A.E. Board of Examiners, which is responsible for oversight and development of the Accreditation Program for those seeking the Accredited Airport Executive (A.A.E.) designation. He is an active member of the Southeast Chapter of the A.A.E. Callum, also an Airport Certified Employee (A.C.E.) in Operations, served as the first chair of this chapter's information and communication committee, linking it to social media. He is also an adjunct professor at Everglades University, teaching various subjects for the Bachelor's and Master's degree programs in aviation management, for which he was named Professor of the Year in 2010.



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Jerry Orr's quiet war for the airport WCNC Orr, a famously taciturn official fond of quoting Clint Eastwood movies, lost his job July 18 after the General Assembly passed a bill creating an **airport authority**.

Renovations underway at local airport WTVA (WTVA) -- The Golden Triangle **Regional Airport** is undergoing a major ... The GTR Airport will be able to accommodate larger aircraft once renovations are ...

Wood Named Among 'Best and Brightest' by Magazine HometownDailyNews.com Branson **Airport Executive Director** Jeff Bourk says Wood has worked very hard to elevate the airport and grow tourism to the area, and greatly deserves the ...

City of Charlotte keeps hold of airport WCNC Next week, the newly created Regional **Airport Authority** is scheduled to meet as a group for the first time, but will have no control over airport operations.

Airport demolition headed to commission WFXL FOX 31 The contract for the demolition of the old Southwest Georgia Regional **Airport** terminal is set to go before the Albany Board of Commissioners. The Southwest ...

Southwest Georgia Regional Airport wins an award WALB-TV The Albany Dougherty Aviation **Commission** tonight approved changes to the contract for the final phase of the **airport** improvement project. The main portion of ...

Study of passenger satisfaction at Clinton Airport show positive results THV 11

Four out of five passengers said they were satisfied with the airport, with two out of ... Kay Kelley Arnold, Chairwoman, Little Rock **Municipal Airport** Commission.

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[Florence Airport Safety Hits Turbulence Over Inadequate Fire Service](#) The Leading Aviation Industry Resource for News, Equipment and

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[Changes coming to Huntsville International Airport](#) WAFF The new stations are coming just a few weeks after the **Federal Aviation Administration** lifted the ban on passengers using electronic devices during taxiing, ...

[Ground broken for \\$1.9 million airport control tower at Hammond ...](#) Daily Journal

HAMMOND, Louisiana — Ground has been broken for a \$1.9 million airport control tower at the Hammond North-shore **Regional Airport**. Construction will begin ...

[Gulf Shores appoint new airport manager](#) Orange Beach

November 15, 2013, Gulf Shores, AL (GSA) - Mayor Robert Craft, City Council members, and the **Airport Authority** of the City of Gulf Shores have announced the ...

[Eastern West Virginia Regional Airport Authority's \\$3500 bonuses ...](#) Herald-Mail Media

MARTINSBURG, W.Va. — A decision this month to give a \$3,500 bonus to each of the Eastern West Virginia **Regional Airport Authority's** three employees, ...

[County helps finance Smyrna Airport project](#) The Daily News Journal

MURFREESBORO — The Smyrna/Rutherford County **Airport Authority** acquired financing approval to fund half a

[Past Times: First jet service comes to Shreveport](#) Shreveport Times

The first jet at what then was the **Municipal Airport** landed at 7:29 a.m. Nov. 17. According to the next day's writeup, which readers can peruse only here by ...

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[Naples Airport Authority wins statewide community affairs award](#) Naples Daily News The Florida Airports Council honored Naples **Municipal Airport** with the 2013 Community Affairs Award in recognition of successful efforts to increase awareness ...

[Flagler airport director enjoys restoring cars, trucks](#) Daytona Beach News-Journal

"I've tinkered with cars my whole life," Flagler County **Airport Director** Roy Sieger said recently. "I've always had a classic car or hot rod to keep me busy.".

[Parking lot shuttle to replace golf car at AGS](#) WRDW-TV

"Augusta Regional **Airport** prides itself on customer service" Gary LeTellier, **Executive Director** of Augusta Regional **Airport** said in a release. "These shuttles will ..."

[Dunkin' Donuts debuts at Kentucky's Lexington Blue Grass Airport](#) MoodieReport Dunkin' Donuts debuts at Kentucky's Lexington Blue Grass Airport ... in partnership with Creative Food Group," said **airport Executive Director** Eric Frankl.

[NetJets new terminal lands luxury flights at Palm Beach International ...](#) Palm Beach Post NetJets flies about 10,000 flights into and out of Palm Beach International **Airport** each year. Tourist Development Council **Executive Director** Glenn Jergensen, ...

[Roanoke Airport Parking Reviews Show Greenbee Parking ...](#) DigitalJournal.com Roanoke **Regional Airport**, as the name suggests is a **regional airport** but for its size sees an amazing amount of daily activity with over 50 scheduled flights each ...

[Shutdown, sequestration blamed for Huntsville airport traffic decline ...](#) al.com Huntsville International **Airport Executive Director** Rick Tucker said the 16-day government shutdown that left thousands of defense workers idled in Huntsville ...

['No evidence' TSA officers can spot terrorists](#) The Japan Times

WASHINGTON – A federal review concludes there is no solid evidence that airport checkpoint personnel have a clue when they scan the approaching line for ...

[New Airline Merger Expected to Have Positive Impact on CHO](#) The Charlottesville Newsplex

The **executive director** at the Charlottesville Albemarle **Airport** (CHO) says the merger won't be a problem. "We believe it's going to be a positive impact," say ...

[\\$500000 bond set in Henrico shooting death](#) Richmond Times Dispatch HENRICO -- A Henrico County judge set a \$500,000 bond this afternoon for a suspended 21-year-old **Transportation Security Administration** worker charged ...

[Energy sector boosts numbers at Lafayette airport](#) Alexandria Town Talk LAFAYETTE, La. -- The Lafayette **Regional Airport** enjoyed the best October in its history for record-breaking numbers of passengers boarding and departing.

[Shreveport may offer better flying experience by 2015](#) Shreveport Times Both concourses and the pedestrian bridge to the airport received new carpet and a Lower airfares can be found at Shreveport **Regional Airport**, but it often ...

[Daytona Beach International Airport passenger traffic up 9%](#) Headline Surfer

Daytona Beach International **Airport**, in partnership with Volusia's three **regional** tourism authorities, has offered JetBlue a \$2.2 million community-based ...

[October a record-breaking month for Lafayette Regional Airport](#) The Daily Advertiser

The Lafayette **Regional Airport** saw record passenger numbers in October, up almost 3,000 from October 2012. / Advertiser file photo ...

[Lynchburg airport sees slight increase in passengers for October](#) Lynchburg News and Advance

Passenger traffic at Lynchburg **Regional Airport** inched up slightly during October, following four months of year-over-year drops. The increase was still less than ...

[Northwest Alabama Regional Airport May Lose Commercial Air ...](#) whnt.com

MUSCLE SHOALS, Ala. (WHNT) – The Northwest Alabama **Regional Airport** could lose their Essential Air Service contract if they don't improve their flight ...

[Landmark reopens remodeled Norfolk International Airport facility](#) Corporate Jet Investor

Guests in attendance included current and former directors and commissioners of the Norfolk **Airport Authority** as well as City of Norfolk councilman Barclay ...

[Plane found in Lake Norman sank in 1974, officials say](#) WBTV Charlotte emergency crews notified the **Federal Aviation Administration** that the plane ... "FAA records show that the aircraft, a Lake LA-4 amphibian aircraft, was ...

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**Ron McDonald
President and Vice-Chairman, Republic Parking**

[AAAE and ACI-NA Submit Request For A Stay To Administrator Pistole](#) AviationNews.net A copy of the request for a stay, which was sent to **TSA** Administrator John Pistole by the associations' attorneys at Anderson & Kreiger LLP, can be found online ...

[Man with Knife Causes Scene at Owensboro Airport](#) Tristatehomepage.com A huge scene at the Owensboro **Regional Airport**, when a man pulls out a knife ... Sheriff deputies say Nicholas Rummage bought a plane ticket at the airport.

[Blue Angels scout out appearance at Vero Beach Airport](#) TCPalm ... Blue Angel #7, when he arrived at Vero Beach **Municipal Airport**. ... Angel #7, when they landed their F/A-18 Hornet at Vero Beach **Municipal Airport** recently.

[Officials expect go-ahead on opening major water park in Lauderdale](#) Orlando Sentinel **Airport manager** Clara Bennett said the city hopes to hear back by December, although she is concerned reduced federal budgets and the recent government ...

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[Amazon Testing Drones For 30 Minute Delivery Using Service ...](#) Forbes The company claims to be ready to launch in 2015, so long as the **FAA's** rules allow for them to enable air delivery. Currently small drones like those Amazon ...