



Project Intake Form

Project Title Bradford Airport - Aviation Maintenance and Business Center

Project Applicant Bradford Airport

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All counties in the North Central region are currently transitional.

Select all counties the project will serve.

Cameron

McKean

Potter

Project Type

Transportation

Select Primary Objective to Set the Goal Supporting Objective

Objective 3.4: Complete the Appalachian Development Highway System and invest in innovative intermodal transportation systems to connect businesses and residents within the Region with global opportunities.

Building Infrastructure

View North Central's [2018-2023 Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy here](#).

Does your project align with the goals of North Central's 2018-2023 Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy?

Yes

The CEDS Investment Priorities include the following:

- Expanding and strengthening employment and education opportunities that provide stable family wage jobs.
- Investments in entrepreneurship and home-grown business development to build a sustainable, diverse economy.
- Preserving and investing in the region's natural and cultural assets to strengthen economic potential.
- Creating and/or improving reliable, consistent access to critical infrastructure in North Central Pennsylvania.
- Providing sufficient availability of right-sized, right-priced housing throughout each county within the North Central Pennsylvania region.

Check the box if you'd like this project to be considered for inclusion in North Central's forthcoming CEDS and Resiliency Plan.

Yes, please consider this project for inclusion in the forthcoming CEDS and Resiliency Plan.

Project Funding

Please enter the project funding amounts for each below. Totals and Percent will calculate automatically. Do NOT include the "\$."

| # | Non Construction | Equipment | Construction | Total | Percent |
|---|------------------|-----------|--------------|---------|---------|
| 1 | | | | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | | | | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | | | | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | | | 3500000 | 3500000 | 100 |
| 5 | 0 | 0 | 3500000 | 3500000 | 100 |

Period of Performance

Purpose of Project

Construct an Airport Maintenance and Aviation Business Center at the Bradford Regional Airport.

Project Description

The airport is in need of a Airport Maintenance and Aviation Business Center to provide maintenance and repair services for planes that utilize the Bradford Regional Airport. In addition, this center could also support additional aviation related business development within McKean County.

Explain the following for the Strategic Rationale:

- Identify the problems and/or opportunities the project will address.
- Explain the existing conditions or critical circumstances that would compel the funding of this project.
- Describe how the project supports a regional strategy or plan.
- Explain how this project will contribute to sustainable economic development in the service area impacted.
- Identify the types and numbers of jobs to be created or retained.
- Explain any Leveraged Private Investment because of this project.

Strategic Rationale

The Bradford Regional Airport services McKean, Potter and Warren Counties in North Central Pennsylvania. The facility currently does not have an adequate maintenance facility for planes to be serviced and repaired on site. This results in planes either being transported to other areas for maintenance and repair, or owners have to have a mechanic travel to the airport for maintenance and repairs as simple as fixing a flat tire. The development of this center would help attract a maintenance and repair business to the airport, and also spur additional aviation business development within the facility.

Collaborative Partnerships

Bradford Airport, Southern Airways, Private Investment

Project Sustainability and Capacity

Once built, the building will be incorporated into the Airport's operation and maintenance plan. The Airport would be the lead applicant on this project and has experience administering and managing multiple grant programs.

Output and Outcome Measures

Stand-Alone Output Measure

square feet

Stand-Alone Outcome Measure

businesses created

jobs created

jobs retained

leveraged private investment

Congressional and Legislative Districts

Glenn Thompson (US House, 15th)

Bob Casey (US Senate)

Pat Toomey (US Senate)

Martin Causer (PA StateHouse, 67th)

Cris Dush (PA StateSenate, 25th)

Miscellaneous Notes

Please keep the McKean County Economic Development Office engaged in discussions regarding this project.