

## TAYLORVILLE MUNICIPAL

#### ABOUT THE AIRPORT

Taylorville Municipal Airport (TAZ) is a general aviation airport located in Christian County in central Illinois. The Airport is located approximately two miles southwest of the City of Taylorville and is publicly owned and operated by the City of Taylorville. TAZ supports a variety of activities that include recreational flying, seasonal hunting and fishing tourism, corporate and business flying, aircraft flight testing, and skydiving which attracts local and out-of-town visitors. Additionally, the Airport supports military training exercises, air cargo operations, government operations, and law enforcement activity, making it an essential resource to the community.



## WHAT IS ECONOMIC IMPACT?



#### On-Airport Activity

The impacts generated by airports including airport management and administration, airport tenants, as well as on-airport construction.



#### **Visitor Spending**

The impacts generated by out-of-state visitors to Illinois, for personal or business reasons, who spend money on accommodations, food and beverage, local ground transportation, retail, and entertainment.



#### **Employment**

Number of people employed, including part-time and full-time.



#### Labor Income

Also known as "payroll"; total employment compensation, including wages and other benefits (e.g., healthcare insurance payments, retirement).





Economic contributions from industries in Illinois that receive or ship air cargo through Illinois airport.
Air Cargo impacts are quantified at the District and Statewide levels only.

#### Value Added



The economic productivity of each aviation-related business establishment, calculated as business revenue earned minus the cost of purchasing goods and services from other businesses. It includes all labor compensation, profits, and business taxes paid.

# REGION 4 IDOT Districts 6 & 7

Region 4 is located in south central Illinois and spans the width of the state, bordering Missouri and Indiana, and is home to the state capital, Springfield. Abraham Lincoln Capital Airport (SPI), serves as a gateway to the Greater Springfield area which encompasses historic tourism destinations, a 150-acre Airport Commerce Park, and the IDOT Division of Aeronautics office. Decatur Airport (DEC) also serves as a gateway to central Illinois for visitors and is supported by nine on-site tenants employing 355 people. Airports in Region 4 generated 18,851 jobs, \$900.7 million in labor income, \$1.5 billion in value added, and \$3.4 billion in total economic impact.



**On-Airport** \$1.1 BILLION



**Visitor Spending** \$222.6 MILLION



**Employment** 18,851 JOBS



Air Cargo \$2.1 BILLION

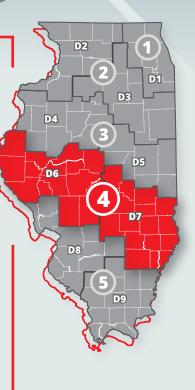


**Labor Income** \$900.7 MILLION



Value Added \$1.5 BILLION





# STATEWIDE

Illinois boasts a robust aviation system of over 80 airports, including some of the busiest facilities on the globe. To support this robust system, the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) initiated the development of the Illinois Aviation Economic Impact Analysis (EIA) to quantify each airport's annual monetary contribution to their local, regional, and statewide economies. The EIA determined that Illinois' airports generated 492,768 jobs and contributed \$95.5 billion to the state's economy in 2019.



**On-Airport** \$38.4 BILLION



**Visitor Spending** \$21.2 BILLION



**Employment** 492,768 JOBS



Air Cargo \$35.9 BILLION



**Labor Income** \$32.6 BILLION



Value Added \$53.8 BILLION



