Construction Safety Plans

Why CSPP for GA?

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Overview & Objective

To fully understand:

- What is a Construction Safety Plan?
- Purpose of the Plan, and when needed
- What airport projects require a Construction Safety Plan?
- Who creates and reviews the Plan?
- Responsibilities of Key Players
- Construction Safety Plan Contents/Checklist

What is a Construction Safety Plan?

- A document which outlines procedures, coordination, and control of construction activity on an airport
- A stand-alone* document that is submitted at least eight weeks prior to the intended construction startup

*The Construction Safety Plan must <u>not</u> be embedded in the plans and specs for the project, but can be included with them.



Why Prepare a Construction Safety Plan?

 Your Program Manager must approve a Construction Safety Plan before he/she can issue a Notice To Proceed for construction.

 FAA Order 5100.38C (Airport Improvement Program) states: All Safety Phasing Plans must be received, reviewed, coordinated with other FAA operating administrations, airspaced (if necessary), and approved for use prior to the start of all construction projects.

Purpose of the Plan?

To minimize disruption to aircraft operations

- To identify project safety concerns and avoid hazardous airport situations
- To provide a single source of procedural information for use during construction activities



When is a Construction Safety Plan Needed?

When construction activity is planned within the Air Operations Area (AOA)

A GA Construction Safety Plan is needed for:

- Airports using AIP grant funds; or
- Airports that have a Passenger Facility Charge

NOTE: A Construction Safety Plan is recommended for all other airports



Who creates it?

- The airport operator develops internally or contract out to consultant/contractor.
- If an outside source is used, the airport remains responsible for the plan.

NOTE: OSHA plans do not satisfy the requirements of a Construction Safety Plan.



Who reviews it?

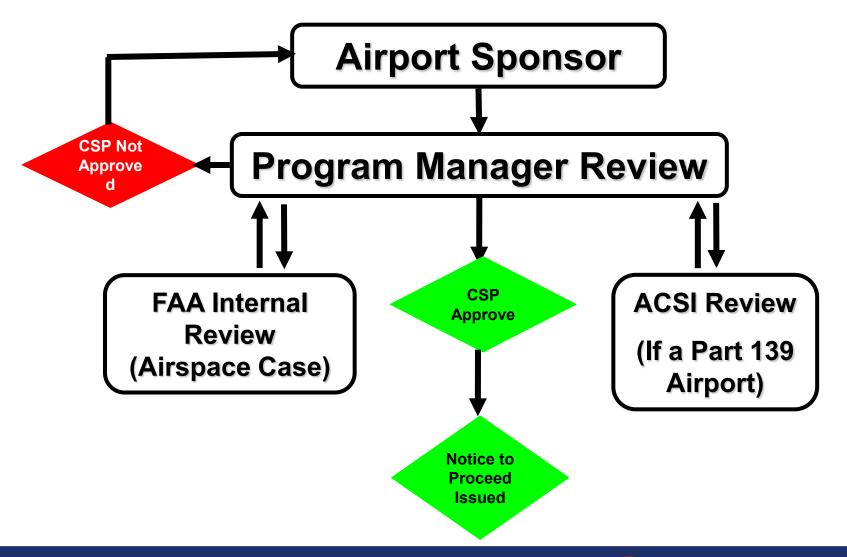
Airport Operator Reviews/Approves Plan

• The airport submits the Construction Safety Plan to the Program Manager at the Airports District Office (ADO) prior to approval.

FAA Program Manager

- Coordinates Plan with other FAA line of Business
- Coordinates Plan with the assigned Airport Safety/Certification Inspector (ACSI) for Part 139 airports

Safety Plan Review Flow-Chart



Responsibilities of Key Players

Everyone Plays a Part!

Airport Operator

Contractors

Tenants/Users/Air Carriers

ATC

Responsibilities of Airport Operator

- Overall responsibility for all airport construction activities
- Develops and enforces Construction Safety Plan
- Coordinates plan with affected airport users
- Requires contractors to submit a plan to comply
- Ensures compliance with Safety and Security CFR's (i.e. Part 139, Part 1542)

NOTE: This is not a complete list of responsibilities for the airport operator.

Responsibilities of Construction Contractors

- Submit a Plan to comply to Airport operator
- Brief personnel on Construction Safety Plan
- Ensure Construction Safety Plan is available to all personnel
- Provide 24/7 points of contact
- Provide safety officer/construction inspector
- Restrict movement of construction vehicles and personnel to the construction area.

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Responsibilities Of Airport Tenant

If construction activity is on leased property,

- Submit tenant's Construction Safety Plan to the airport operator
- Provide 24/7 points of contact
- Ensure no other persons enter the AOA unless authorized.
- Restrict movement of construction vehicles and personnel to the construction area.

NOTE: This is not a complete list of responsibilities for the airport operator.



Construction Safety Plan Contents (AC 150/5370-2)

- ☐ Basic Safety Plan Checklist in AC 150/5370-2
- □ Construction Safety plan needs to address:
 - ☐ Scope of work to be performed
 - □ Areas/operations affected by construction
 - □ Location and procedures for protecting NAVAIDS
 - ☐ Procedures for protecting all runway and taxiway safety areas
 - □ Vehicle Control and drivers training requirements

Construction Safety Plan Contents (cont.)

□ Construction Safety Plan needs to address:

- ☐ Construction vehicles/equipment marking, lighting and access control
- □ Construction haul roads, site parking and stockpile area (storage area both material and equipment)
- □ Aircraft rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) Notification
- ☐ Emergency notification procedures
- ☐ FOD and wildlife management control procedures

Construction Safety Plan Contents (cont.)

- □ Construction Safety plan needs to address:
 - □NOTAM Requirements
 - ☐Closed Runway and Taxiway Marking and Lighting
 - ☐ Use of temporary visual aids
 - ☐ Hazardous materials (HAZMAT) management
 - ☐ Inspection requirements

Construction Safety Plan Contents (cont.)

- □ Construction Safety plan needs to address:
 - ☐Barricade procedures, types, and locations
 - □ Procedures for locating and protecting existing underground utilities, cables, wires, pipelines, and other underground facilities in excavation areas
 - □ Procedures for contacting responsible representatives/points of contact for all involved parties

Construction Safety Plan Format

- Can be submitted on engineering drawings
- More complex construction projects, and projects at airports certificated by FAR 139 may require additional explanation or detail
- Items that need additional explanation/detail may be included on standard 8 ½ X 11 paper, and attached to engineering drawings

Reminder: Regardless of length or content, each Construction Safety Plan must be a separate document, to allow it to be appropriately handled during the review process.

Construction Safety Plan

Checklist

AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM SAFETY/PHASING PLAN CHECKLIST										
Airport Name/Associated City	ne/Associated City		AIP No.	Date						
Checklist for Airport Sponsor	N/A	Included		N/A	Included					
1. Scope of work performed			23. Equipment storage areas identified							
2. Dates for start/completion of construction work			24. Methods of separating vehicle and pedestrian construction traffic from airport movement areas							
3. Notification requirements			25. Location of construction site parking, access points and haul roads							
4. Filing of FAA Form 7460-1			26. Vehicle operator training							
5. NOTAM Issuance			27. Radio communications							
6. Inspection requirements			28. Penalty provisions for noncompliance with airport rules and regulations and the safety plan	t 🗆						
7. Requirement for a preconstruction meeting			29. Vehicle identification							
8. Procedures for protecting Runway and Taxiway Safety Areas			30. All affected NAVAID critical areas depicted							
9. Procedures for protecting OFZ and OFA, and threshold citing criteria			31. Location of stockpiled construction materials							
10. Runway end and proposed threshold stationing			32. Trenches and excavations and cover requirements							

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16. Responsibility for marking and lighting shown			38. Wildlife management						
17. Temporary markings shown in accordance with AC 150/5340-1			39. Hazardous material (HAZMAT) management						
18. Temporary lighting shown in accordance with AC 150/5340-24			40. Procedures for locating and protecting existing underground utilities/facilities in excavation areas						
19. Temporary signage plan approved by FAA			41. Procedures for contacting responsible representatives of all involved parties, including FAA Tech Ops personnel						
20. Procedures and equipment to delineate closed construction areas from airport operational areas			42. Procedures for pausing construction due to aircraft emergency						
21. Use of temporary visual aids			43. Plan for phasing of construction						
22. Affected areas and operations, including possible safety problems									
Airport Sponsor certifies that the attached safety plan was developed in accordance with AC 150/5370-2									
Certified by and submitted to FAA on									
Airport Sponsor Date									
Comments, special conditions, other.									
FAA Approval Signature									
FAA Project Manager Date FAA Airport Certification Safety Inspector Date									

Guidance/Reference Material

Advisory Circulars

- 150/5200-18: Airport Safety Self-Inspection
- 150/5200-28: Notice to Airmen (NOTAMS) for Airport Operators
- 150/5210-5: Painting, Marking, and Lighting of Vehicles Used on an Airport
- 150/5210-20 Ground Vehicle Operations on Airports
- 150/5300-13: Airport Design
- 150/5340-1: Standards for Airport Markings
- 150/5340-24: Runway and Taxiway Edge Lighting System
- 150/5370-2 Safety During Construction
- 150/5370-10: Standards for Specifying Construction of Airports

For More Information

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