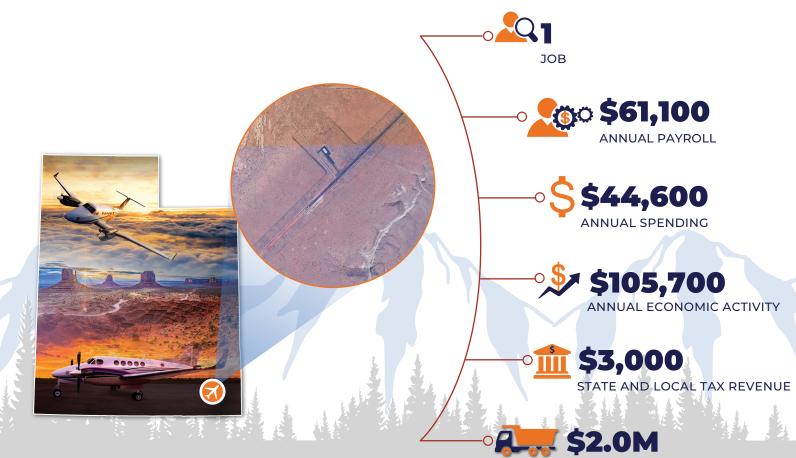


## UTAH AVIATION DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

# **BLUFF AIRPORT (66V)**

BLUFF, UTAH



10-YEAR DEVELOPMENT COST



Bluff Airport is regularly used as a base for air tours and for access to the region's rafting and whitewater adventure opportunities. Many of the area's backcountry airstrips are accessible from Bluff, with the airport hosting many week-long backcountry flying seminars. The San Juan River and Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument are located nearby and provide excellent recreation opportunities.

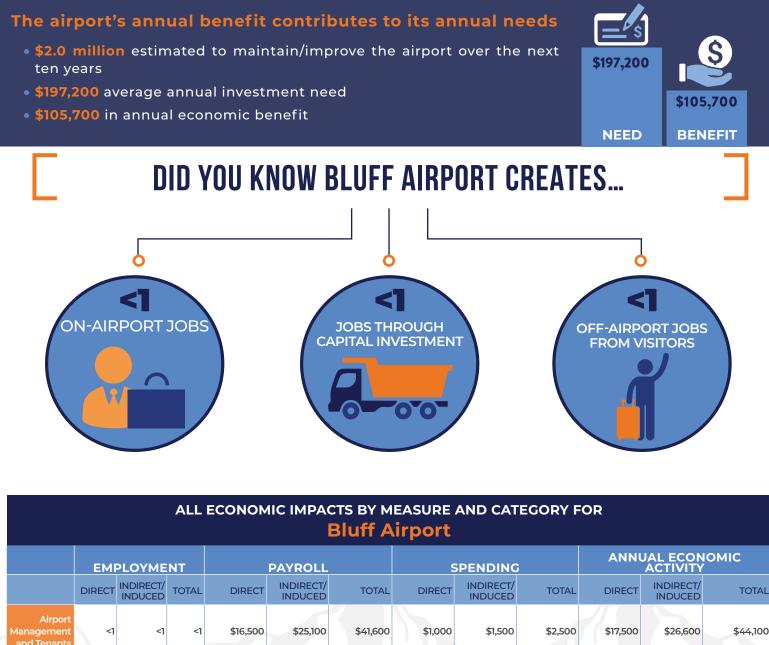


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### THE AIRPORT'S ANNUAL BENEFITS ARE SIGNIFICANT



\$44,100 and Tenants Capital \$3,000 \$2,600 \$5,600 \$12,100 \$23,500 \$15,100 \$14,000 \$29,100 <1 <1 \$11.400 <1 Aviation \$13,900 \$8,300 \$5,600 \$9,600 \$9,000 \$18,600 \$17,900 \$32,500 <1 <1 <1 \$14,600 Tota \$33,300 <1 1 1 \$27,800 \$61,100 \$22,700 \$21,900 \$44,600 \$50,500 \$55,200 \$105,700

Note: Impacts reported reflect pre-COVID airport activity



### **BENEFITS ALSO COME IN THE FORM OF**



# DID YOU KNOW...



Intra-Utah Operations

Out of State Operations



UTAH AIRPORTS HAVE CONNECTIONS TO MORE THAN 1,270 UNIQUE MARKETS IN 50 States and 26 Countries (100 International Markets)

NON-STOP GENERAL AVIATION FLIGHTS FOR ALL UTAH AIRPORTS

#### This airport is part of a system of Utah airports that support general aviation connectivity to many destinations throughout the United States and beyond. FAA flight data shown on the map displays some of the annual destinations to and from Utah.



## **AIRPORT SYSTEM ROLE**

This airport plays an important role in the functionality and capacity of the Utah system. The role established is based on measurable factors such as:

- Regional Economic Characteristics: agricultural land, oil/gas fields, mining districts, tourism/recreation, etc.
- Strategic Aviation Niche: air cargo, aerial firefighting, air ambulance. based aircraft
- Modal Connectivity: federal freight networks, critical freight routes, rail yards, etc
- Airport Services: runway length, approach type, weather reporting, fuel service, aircraft storage, etc.



UT-I: COMMERCIAL SERVICE 8 AIRPORTS



UT-II: CORPORATE / TOURISM / FREIGHT 16 AIRPORTS





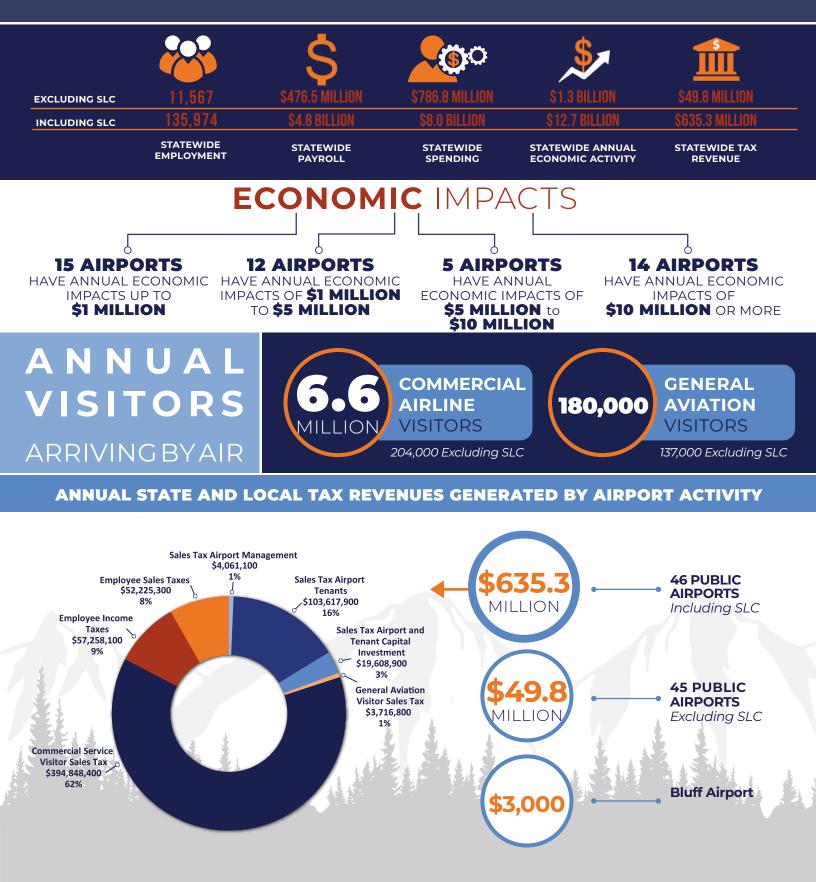
UT-IV: ESSENTIAL ACCESS **13 AIRPORTS** 

### **BLUFF AIRPORT ROLE: UT-IV ESSENTIAL ACCESS**

FACILITY AND SERVICE C	BJECTIVES
Airside Facilities	Airport Compliance
Instrument Approach	$\checkmark$
Navigational and Visual Aids	
Weather Reporting	
Primary Runway Dimensions	Х
Taxiway Layout	
Primary Runway Pavement Condition	Х
Primary Runway Strength	
Airfield Lighting	X
Airfield Security and Fencing	$\checkmark$
Services	
Fixed Based Operator	
Fueling Services	
Aircraft Maintenance	X
Ground Transportation	
Other Facilities	
Restrooms	<b>X</b>
Hangar/Aircraft Storage	✓
Tie-downs	$\checkmark$
Terminal and Administration Building	X
Paved Automobile Parking	
Other	
Recent Master Plan/Airport Layout Plan	X
✓ Meets Recommendation X Improve	ement Recommended
Not an Objective	



### TOTAL ANNUAL STATEWIDE ECONOMIC IMPACTS FOR ALL UTAH AIRPORTS

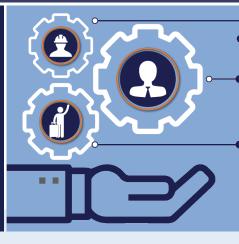




## **METHODOLOGY FOLLOWS FAA GUIDANCE**

### HOW DO WE FIND ECONOMIC IMPACTS ON AIRPORTS?

Each airport was investigated to identify potential economic impacts from these activity categories:



AVERAGE ANNUAL CAPITAL INVESTMENT

AIRPORT MANAGEMENT AND BUSINESS TENANTS

GENERAL AVIATION AND COMMERCIAL VISITOR EXPENDITURES

### WHAT DO WE MEASURE?

For all categories, these measures were used to identify the airport's annual economic impact:



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