



Niagara District Airport (CYSN) 

2025 - 2045 Airport Master Plan Public Information Session

Session 1: 3:00-5:00pm

Session 2: 6:00-8:00pm

Date | May 7, 2025

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1. Introductions
2. Purpose of an Airport Master Plan
3. Alignment with the Airport's Strategic Plan
4. Niagara District Airport Today
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Introductions



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Purpose of an Airport Master Plan

An Airport Master Plan:

- Provides a development vision for next 20+ years
- Road map for infrastructure improvement and development
- Conveys need for the Airport to community and users
- Consolidates an analysis of opportunities and constraints
- Presents just-in-time approach to delivery of infrastructure and facility improvements
- Identifies areas that need safeguarding for setbacks associated with future infrastructure



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Alignment with the Airport's Strategic Plan



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SHORT-TERM PLANNING GOAL

Develop the Business Case for Growth

- Airside Redevelopment Study
- Master Plan
- Business Case & Economic Study

LONG-TERM PLANNING GOAL

Secure Partners for Growth

- Obtain funding to engage in airside development
- Attract scheduled & charter passenger services

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Niagara District Airport Today

365
Acres

~75
Aircraft
Based

32,000
Aircraft
Movements
(2024)

15+
Tenants

45+
Employees



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The Master Planning Process

1. Data Collection
2. Opportunities and Constraints
3. Needs Assessments
4. Recommended Development Plan
5. First Draft of Airport Master Plan
6. Prepare Capital and Phasing Plan
7. Finalize Airport Master Plan



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Air Service Opportunities – Catchment Area

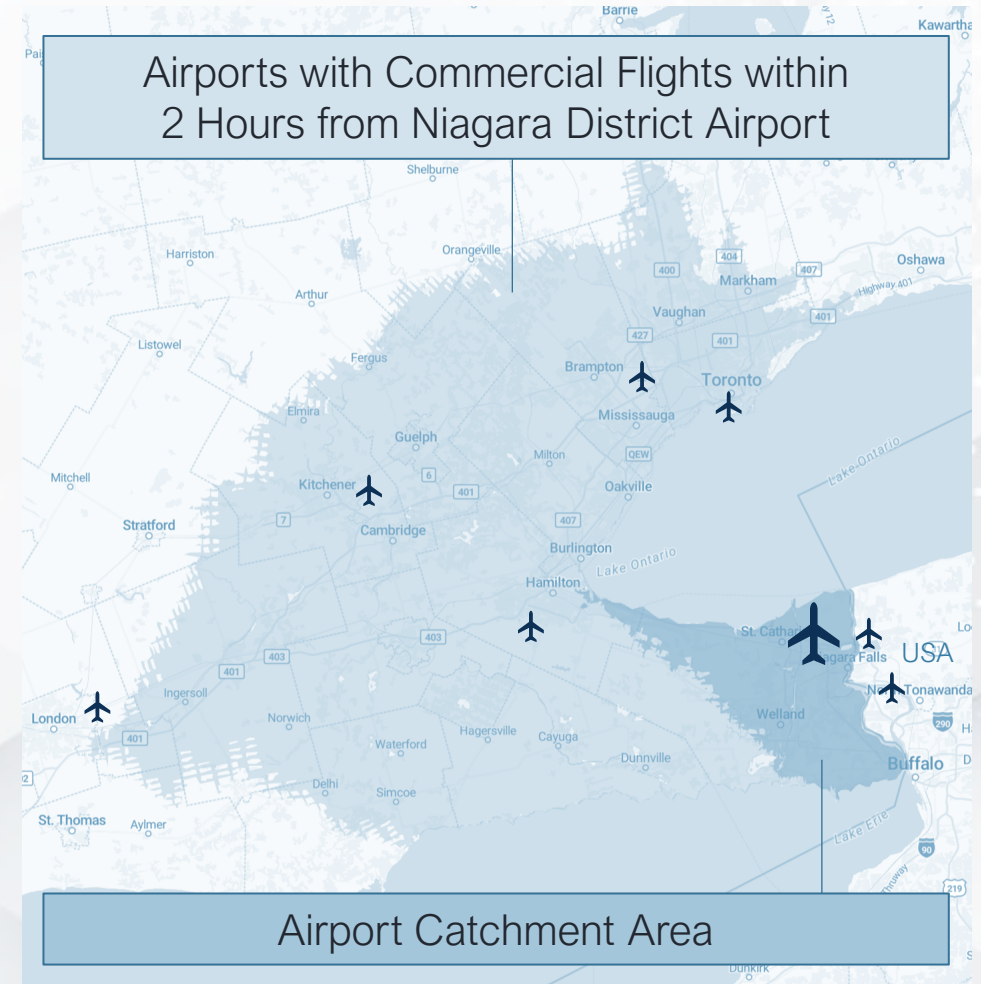
Over 0.5
Million
Residents

1 Million
Passengers
(2019)

2.1 Trips
per
Inhabitant
(Niagara)

84% Rely
on YYZ

High
Disposable
Income



Potential Air Service Routes

Domestic Market

- Ottawa (YOW)
- Montreal (YUL)
- Vancouver (YVR)
- Calgary (YYC)

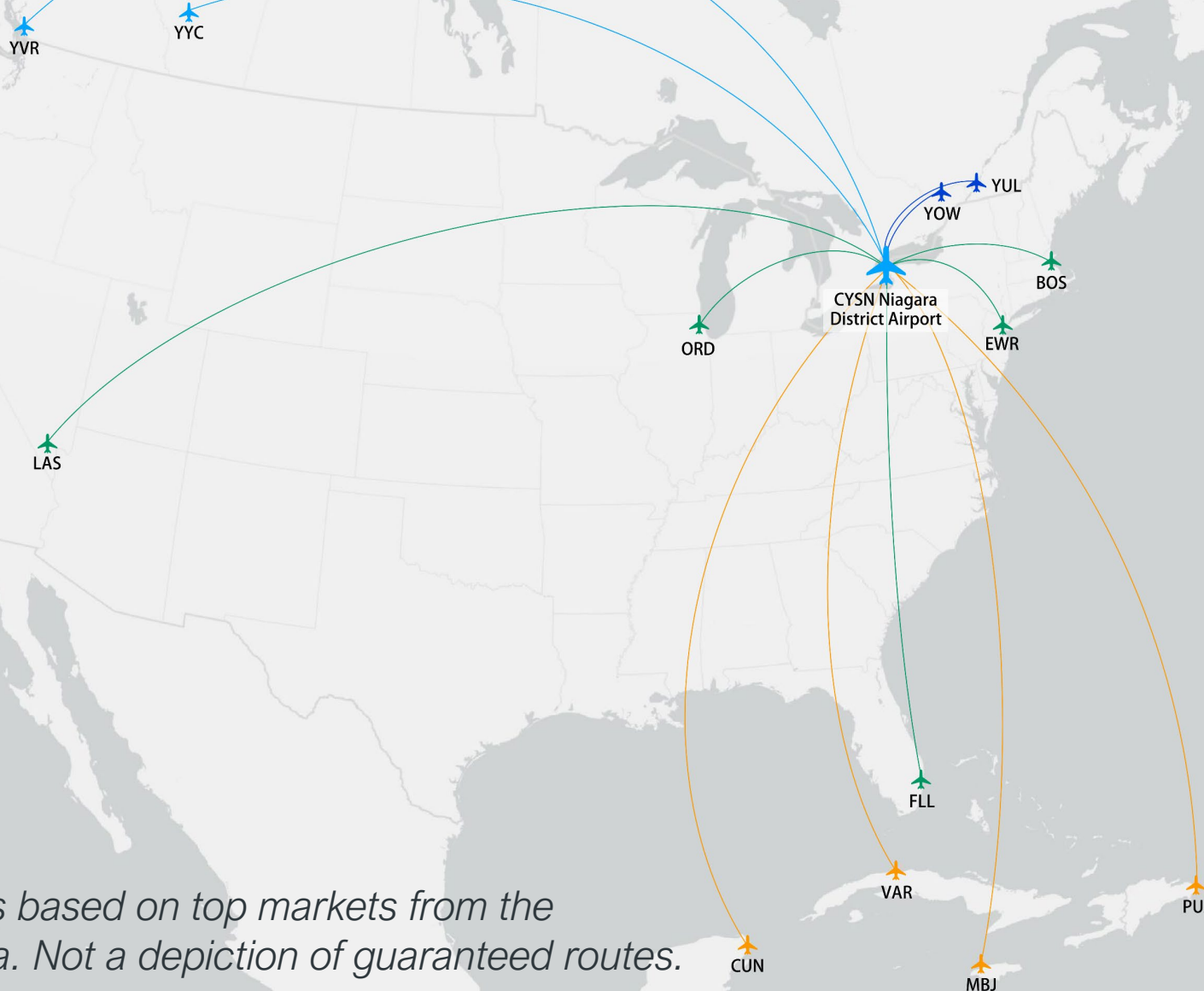
USA Market

- New York (EWR)
- Fort Lauderdale (FLL)
- Las Vegas (LAS)
- Boston (BOS)
- Chicago (ORD)

Sun Destination Market

- Cancun (CUN)
- Varadero (VAR)
- Punta Cana (PUJ)
- Montego Bay (MBJ)

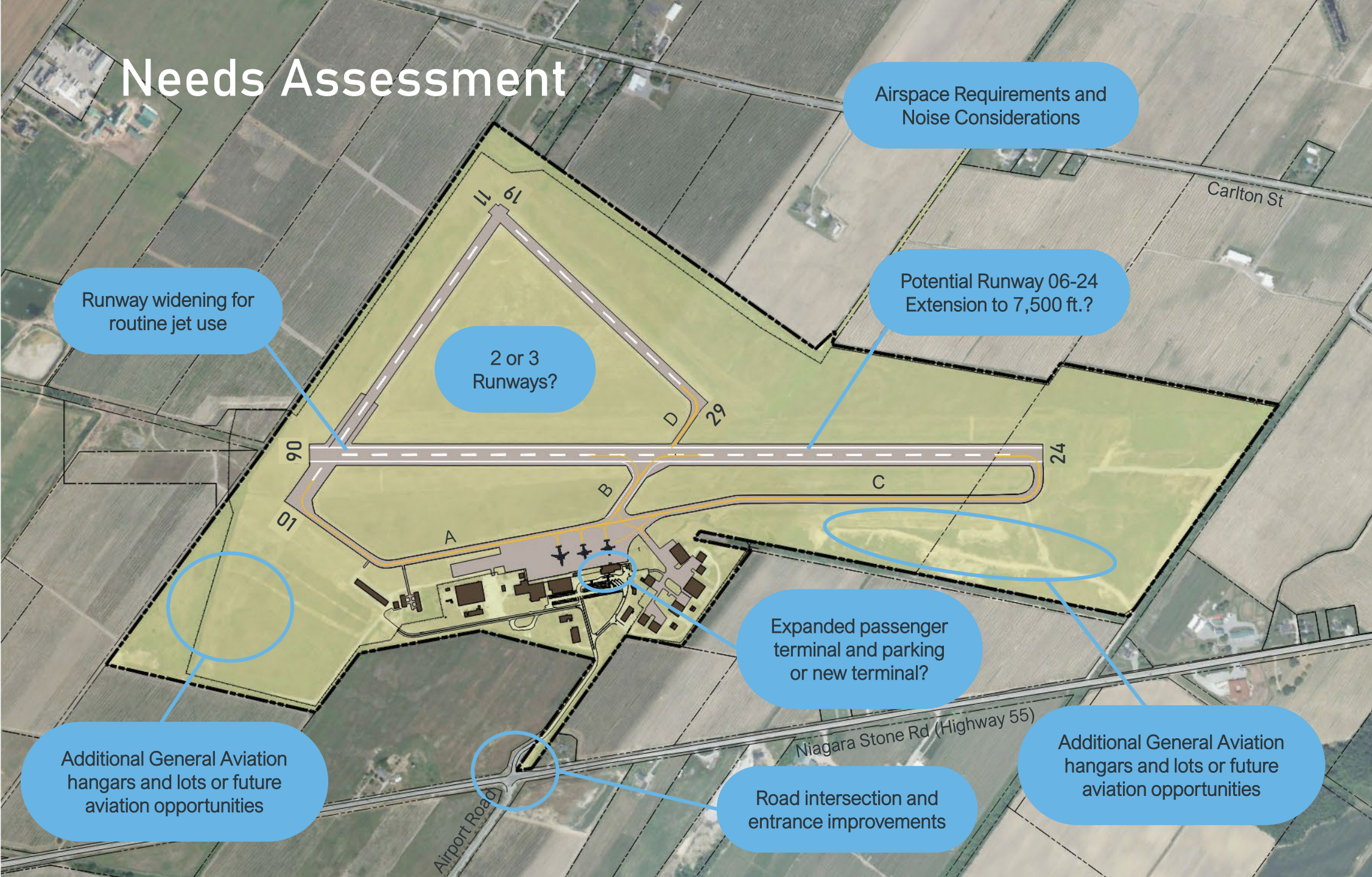
Potential routes based on top markets from the catchment area. Not a depiction of guaranteed routes.



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Needs Assessment



Airspace Requirements and
Noise Considerations

Potential Runway 06-24
Extension to 7,500 ft.?

Runway widening for
routine jet use

2 or 3
Runways?

Expanded passenger
terminal and parking
or new terminal?

Additional General Aviation
hangars and lots or future
aviation opportunities

Road intersection and
entrance improvements

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aviation opportunities

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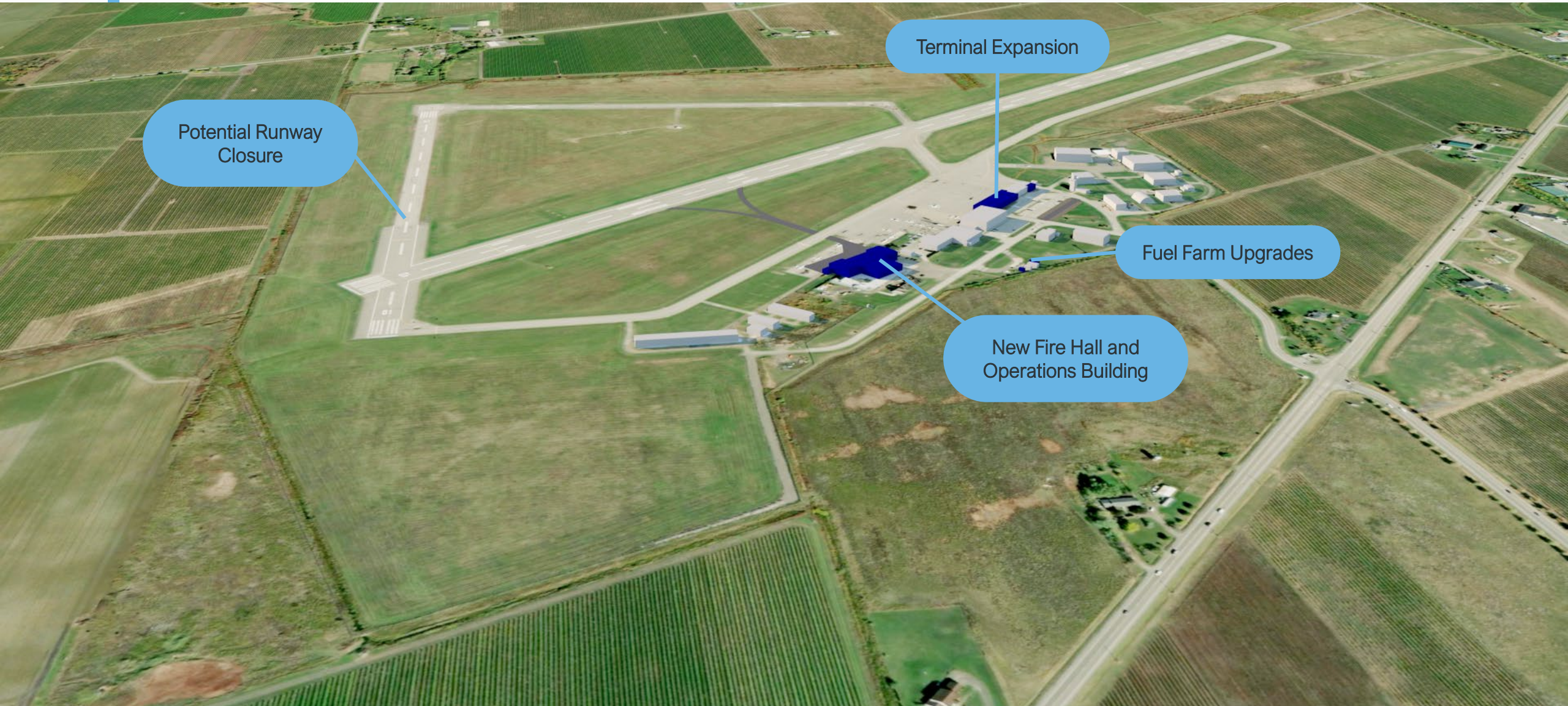


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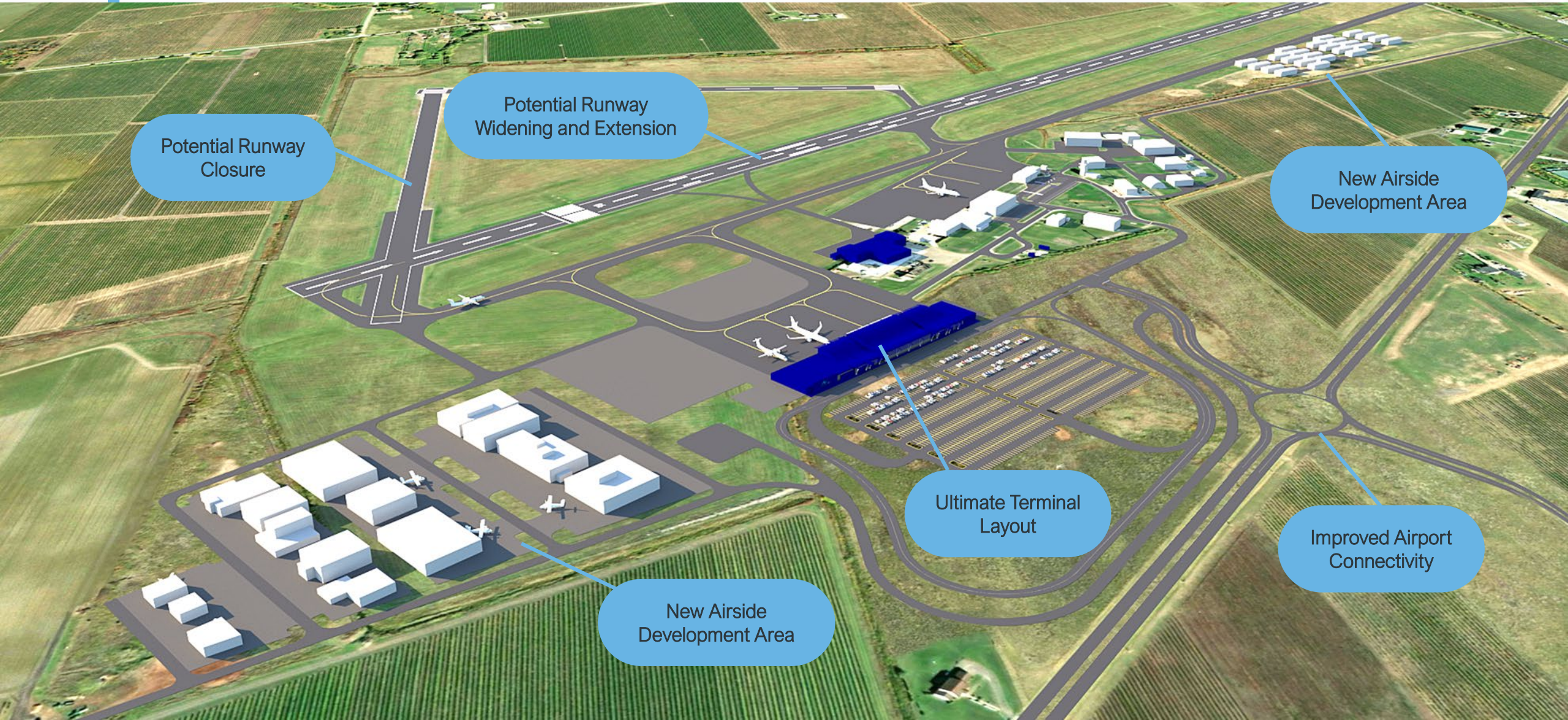
Airport Redevelopment Concept

Stage 1: Status Quo – 5,000 Feet Runway



Airport Redevelopment Concept

Stage 2: Jet Service ~7,000 to 7,500 ft. Runway



Potential Runway
Closure

Potential Runway
Widening and Extension

New Airside
Development Area

Ultimate Terminal
Layout

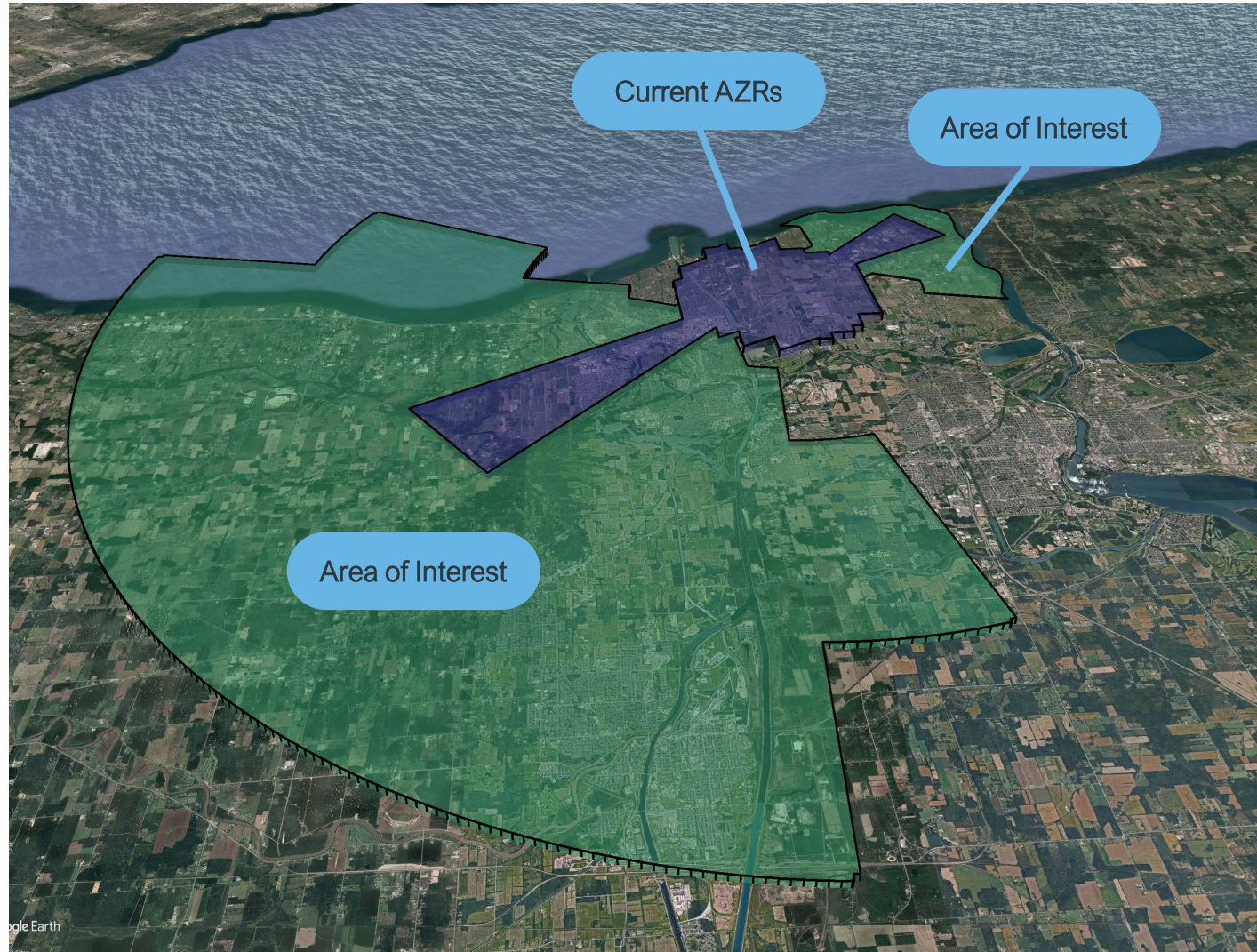
Improved Airport
Connectivity

New Airside
Development Area

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Airport Zoning Regulations



What is an AZR?

Regulation of defined areas to prevent conflicting land uses.

Why do AZR exist?

Protection of existing and future airport operations.

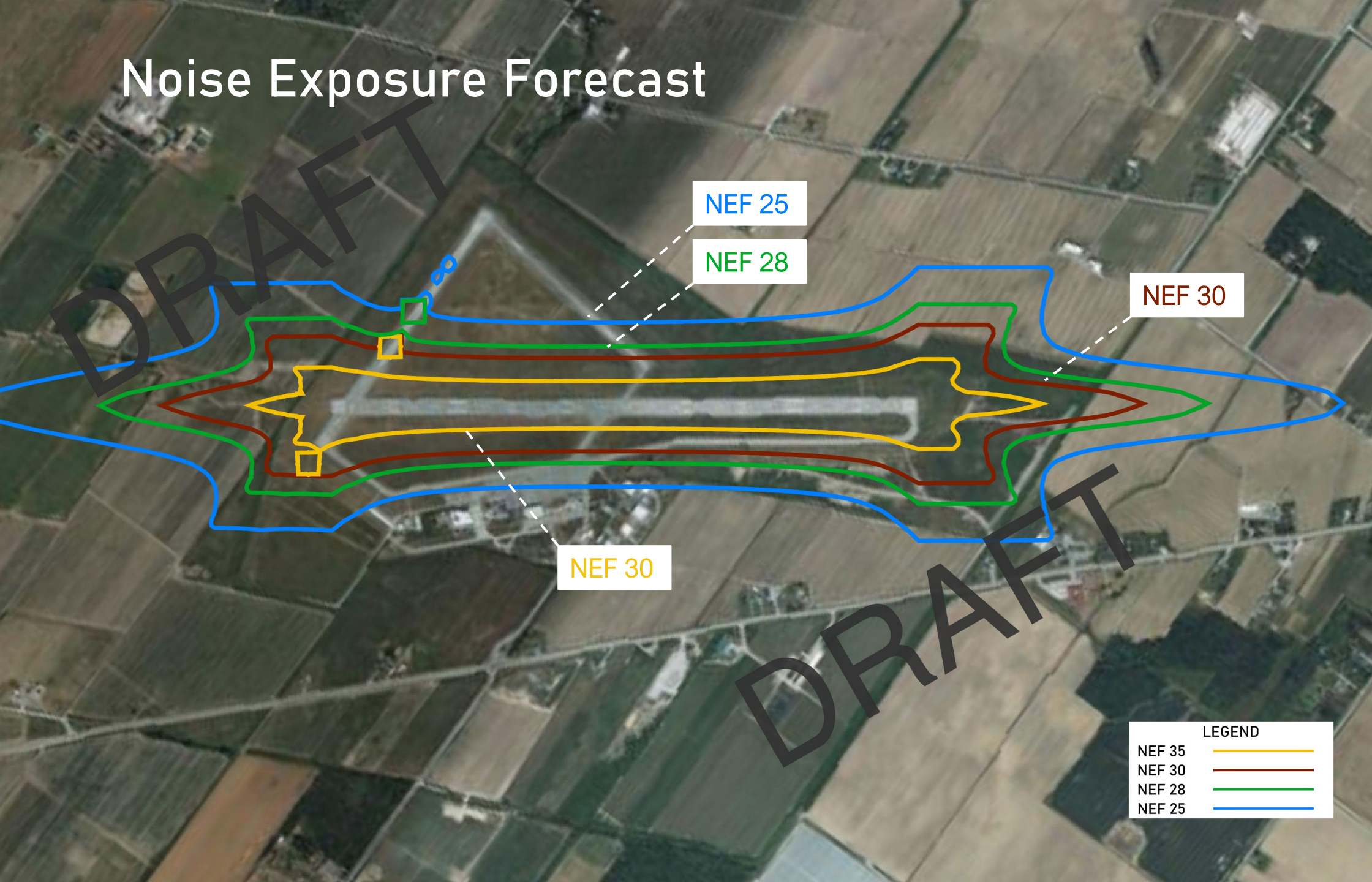
Why is a change needed?

New regulatory requirements.

Future airport changes.

Preservation of instrument flight procedures.

Noise Exposure Forecast



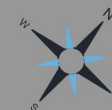
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Welcome to the website for the

Niagara District Airport 2025 - 2045 Master Plan

This website has been created to provide publicly available information about the Airport Master Plan currently being prepared for the Niagara District (CYSN). It also provides an opportunity for anyone to leave feedback, comments or questions related to the Master Plan.

The Niagara District Airport 2025 - 2045 Master Plan project began in Summer 2024 and is anticipated to be completed in the Summer 2025.



Scan the QR code to access the Niagara District Airport 2025 - 2045 Master Plan website.