



DENTON ENTERPRISE AIRPORT

AIRPORT MASTER PLAN





AGENDA

PAC Meeting #1 | JUNE 26, 2024

1. Introductions
2. Purpose of the Master Plan
3. Master Plan Process
4. Role of the Planning Advisory Committee
5. Roles and Organization of the Project Team
6. Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, & Threats
7. Open Discussion/Questions





What a Master Plan *IS*

A comprehensive, long-range study of the airport and all air and landside components that describes plans to meet FAA safety standards and future aviation demand.



What a Master Plan *IS*

Recommended by the FAA to be conducted every 7-10 years to ensure plans are up-to-date and reflect current conditions and FAA regulations. The last master plan for DTO was completed in 2015.



What a Master Plan *IS*

Funded by the FAA through the Airport Improvement Program (AIP), which provides 90% of the total project costs. The remaining 10% is funded by the City of Denton.



What a Master Plan *IS*

A City of Denton document that will ultimately be presented for approval to the City Council. TxDOT approves only the Airport Layout Plan (ALP drawing set).



What a Master Plan *IS*

An opportunity for airport stakeholders and the public to engage with airport staff on issues related to the airport and its current and future operations, and environmental and socioeconomic impacts. Up to four (4) public information workshops will be conducted throughout the master plan process to facilitate this public outreach effort.



**What a
Master Plan
IS NOT**

A guarantee that the airport will proceed with any planned projects. Master plans are guides that help airport staff plan for future airport development; however, the need/demand for certain projects might never materialize.



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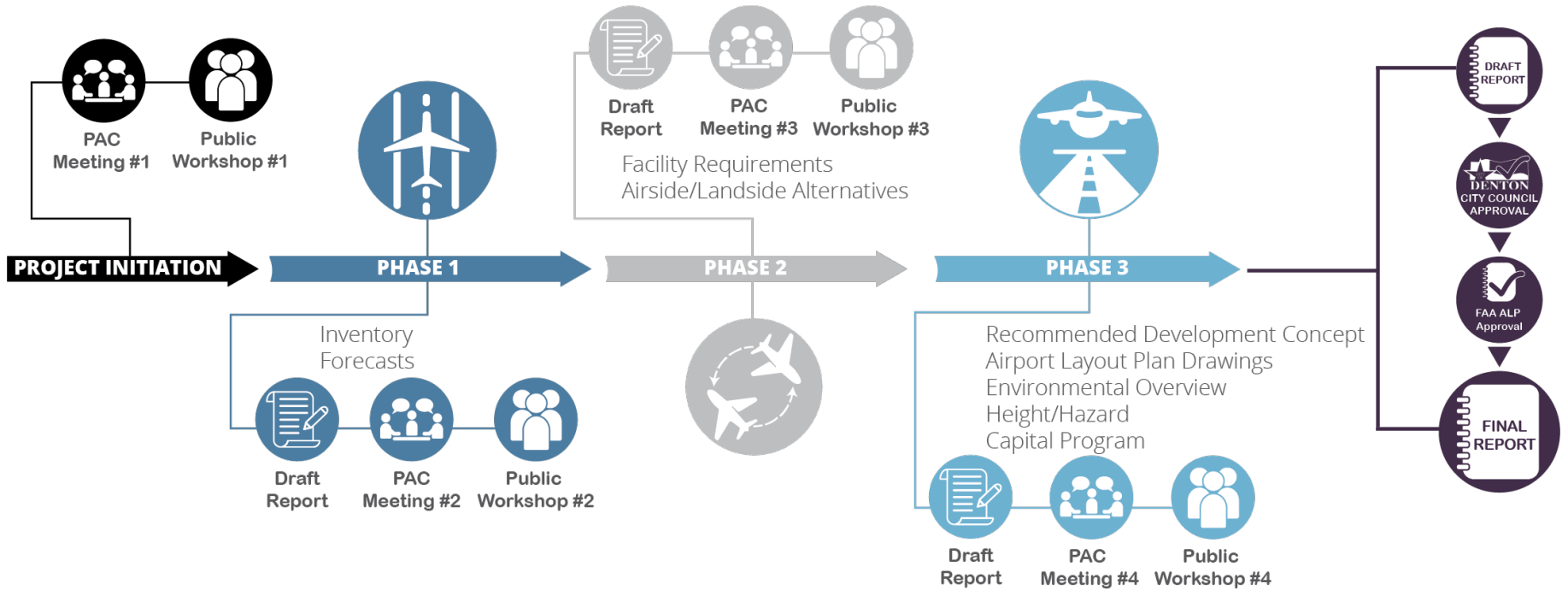
A guarantee that the City of Denton, TxDOT, or the AIP will fund any planned projects. Project funding is considered on a project-by-project basis and requires appropriate need and demand. Certain projects may require the completion of a benefit-cost analysis.



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Environmental clearance for specific projects. The master plan includes an environmental overview that identifies potential environmental sensitivities per the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) guidelines. Most planned projects will require a separate NEPA study (environmental impact statement/environmental assessment/categorical exclusion) prior to construction.

MASTER PLAN PROCESS





ROLE OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- ▶ **The purpose of the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) is to provide the City of Denton and the planning consultant (Coffman Associates) with input into the master plan.**
- ▶ **The members of the PAC are intended to represent a variety of organizations and individuals with interest in the use and development of Denton Enterprise Airport. These include governmental interests, aviation and non-aviation interests, and area economic development interests. It is the responsibility of PAC members to communicate with their respective organizations and report any comments or concerns regarding the development of master plan back to the committee, the city, and the planning team throughout the process.**
- ▶ **The role of the PAC is to review elements of the study while they are in draft form and comment on the accuracy of the assumptions and relevance of the information used to develop the master plan. The PAC is a *non-voting advisory body*. While all comments made by the committee members will be considered by the planning team in developing the draft and final versions of the master plan, the PAC will not vote to approve or disapprove elements of the study.**



ROLE OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- ▶ **Committee meetings will be held periodically throughout the preparation of the master plan. There are four (4) meetings planned at this time. Attendance is strongly encouraged. If you are unable to attend any given meeting, please send a representative who can speak for you or your organization. A series of **Public Information Workshops** will be held following committee meetings, and members of the PAC and their organizations are invited to attend.**
- ▶ **For your convenience, comment forms will be provided for PAC members to submit written comments for consideration in preparing the final report. It would be greatly appreciated if comments are submitted within two weeks following the meeting. If this is not possible, contact Coffman Associates and let them know when you plan to submit your comments. Comments can also be submitted online through the project website dedicated to this study: (<https://dto.airportstudy.net>).**
- ▶ **Comments or questions regarding the PAC, meetings, or working papers should be directed to Eric Pfeifer with Coffman Associates at 816-524-3500.**



THE PROJECT TEAM



Prime Consultant:

Eric Pfeifer – Project Manager

Mike Dmyterko – Planning Support

Sub-Consultants:



Airports GIS
Survey



Financial Analysis



Cost Estimating



Air Cargo Analysis

Existing Airside Facilities

- WEATHER AND NAVIGATIONAL AIDS**
- Airport Traffic Control Tower (ATCT)
 - Automated Surface Observation System (ASOS)
 - Lighted Wind Cone / Segmented Circle
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National Reliever (1 of 12 in Texas)

▶ **Acres: 929**

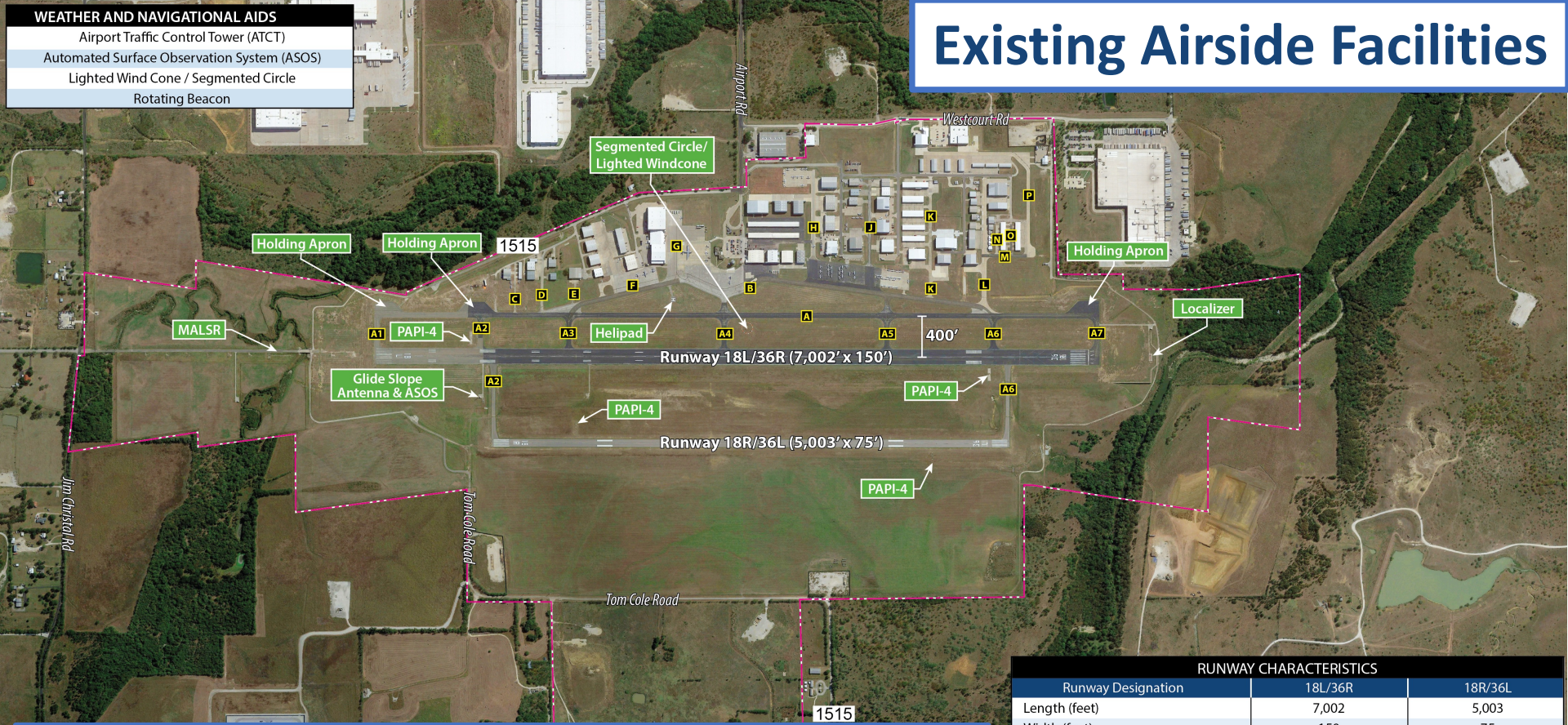
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Load Bearing Strength (pounds)		
Single Wheel Bearing (SWL)	70,000	30,000
Dual Wheel Bearing (DWL)	100,000	50,000
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Runway 18L-36R
7,002' x 150'
½-mile approach (18L)
¾-mile approach (36R)

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5,003' x 75'
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Services/Amenities

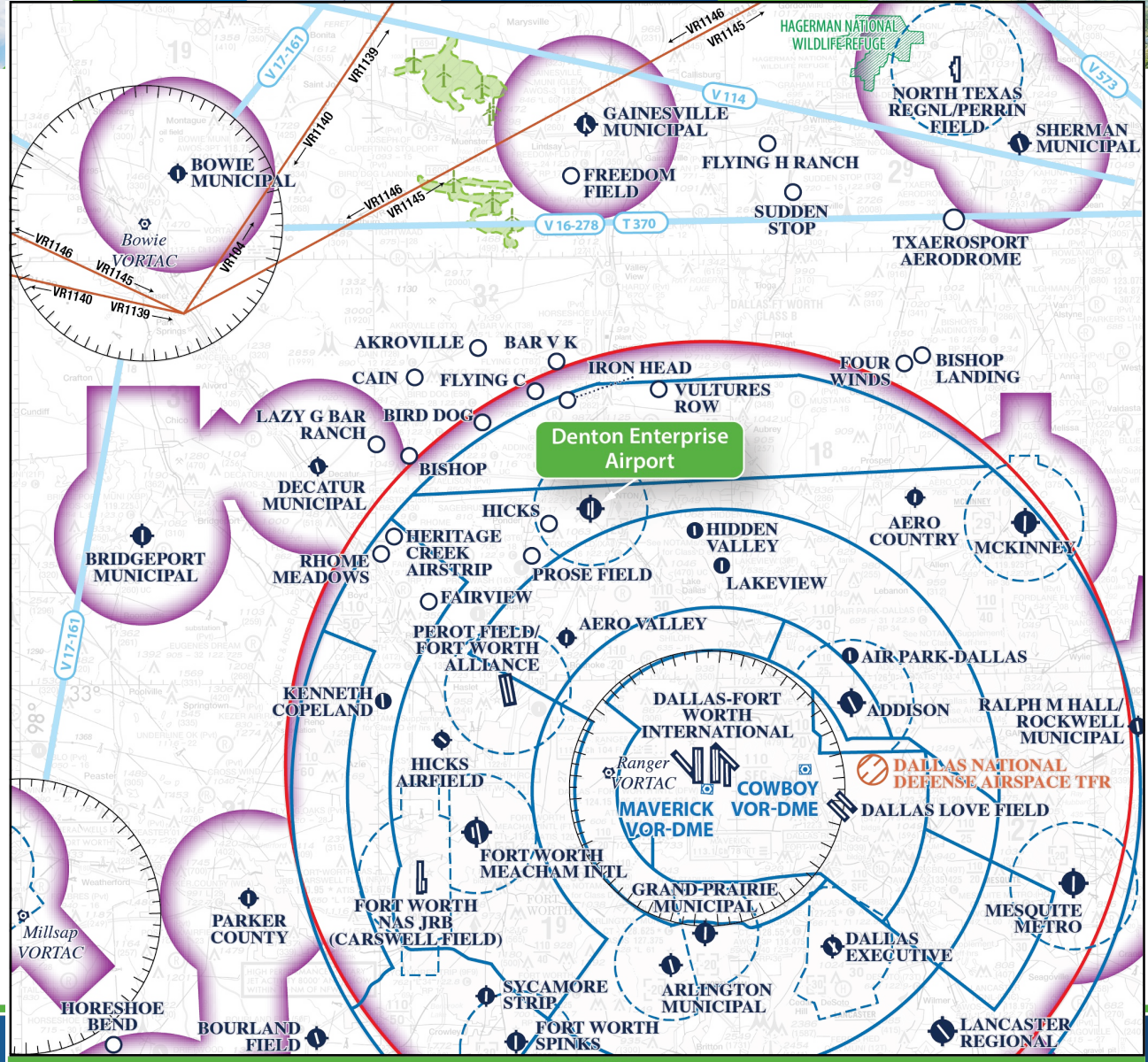
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Bldg. #	Operating Business	Land Lease Tenant	Size
1	DSR-Cherokee 180, LLC dba In the Pattern	-	2,300'
2	DSR-Cherokee 180, LLC dba In the Pattern	-	1,100'
3	Private Hangar	HangarsPlus, Inc.	1,100'
4	Private Hangar	-	1,100'
5	DSR-Cherokee 180, LLC dba In the Pattern	HangarsPlus, Inc.	1,600'
6	DSR-Cherokee 180, LLC dba In the Pattern	-	13,700'
7	CFD Integration, LLC dba CFDI Aero	Douglas C. Weyer	13,700'
8	DSR-Cherokee 180, LLC dba In the Pattern	Douglas C. Weyer	9,100'
9	CFD Integration, LLC dba CFDI Aero	Global Maritime Supply Management, LLC	15,500'
10	Precision Aircraft Maintenance	Mark Hicks Transport, LLC	31,500'
11	Sheltair Aviation Denton, LLC	THP Air, LLC	3,861'
12	Marklyn Jet Spares	-	5,909'
13	Sheltair Aviation Denton, LLC	-	6,200'
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17	City of Denton - Airport Terminal	-	25,500'
18	Sykes-Vaughan Investments, LLC	Sheltair Aviation Denton, LLC	4,800'
19	Avitech Aircraft Maintenance & Paint, LLC	Sheltair Aviation Denton, LLC	20,500'
20	Private Hangar - Storage	-	12,700'
21	Private Hangar - Storage	-	60,000'
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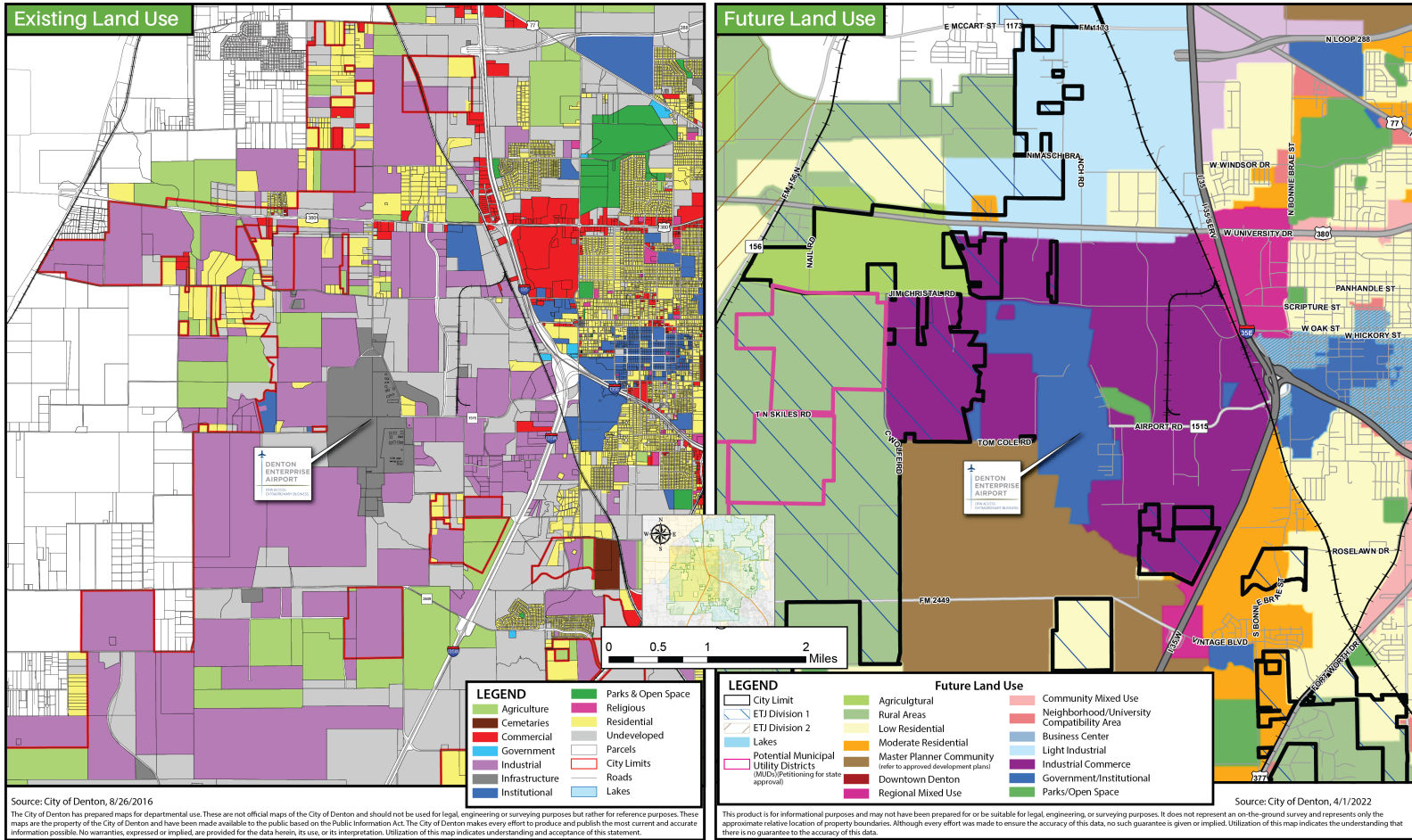


Vicinity Airspace





Existing/Future Land Use







NEXT STEPS

- ▶ **Phase I Elements** – Inventory & Aviation Demand Forecasts in progress
- ▶ **PAC Meeting #2** – PAC meeting planned for fall to review Phase I materials
- ▶ **Public Information Workshop #2** – Same evening as PAC meeting
- ▶ **Phase II Elements** – Begin work on next elements following PAC meeting #2 and discussion with group





WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Direct any questions or comments after this meeting to Coffman Associates team members

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