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By using hyperlinks, we can give you more information in less space and provide you the opportunity to select the

headlines you want to further explore.

With the saved space we can expand the headlines to bring you news beyond our region that pertains to federal, state and local government organizations and news about other aviation oriented associations with similar or opposing views

from your Chapter.

As time goes on, we will continue to work to bring the SEC Journal into the 21st Century using the technology available.

Open your Internet browser, click the link and please be patient. The links sometimes load slowly.

Flooding affects Louisville International Airport

Bizjournals.com

... the lower level of the garage sustained water damage, said Trish Burke, director of public relations for the Louisville Regional Airport Authority. ...**For the full story click [Here](#)** •

Owensboro to Nashville flights begin August 30

WFIE-TV

Pacific Wings Airlines will also offer flights to Atlanta from Daviess County Regional Airport starting in late September. The airport said the flights may ...**For the full story click [Here](#)** •

Construction Begins at Asheville Regional Airport

AviationNews.net

... funded in part by \$7.6 million from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), is now underway at Asheville **Regional Airport**. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Food Fight Turns Legal as Restaurant Sues to Keep Prime Dining Spot

Washington Post

... the Metropolitan Washington Airports **Authority** are headed to court Friday in an escalating legal spat over restaurant space at Reagan National **Airport**. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

AP Source: Obama to Pick Former FBI Agent to Run the TSA...

Los Angeles Times

According to a Capitol Hill aide, the **administration** intends to nominate Erroll Southers to be the fifth man to run the **Transportation Security** ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Ft. Dobbs History Lands at Airport

Statesville Record & Landmark

By Bethany Fuller | Statesville R&L Incoming crews at the Statesville **Regional Airport** are about to learn a thing or two about Fort Dobbs. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

AirTran is All Smiles About Orlando

Bizjournals.com

Orlando **International Airport** passenger traffic dropped nearly 6 percent in June. AirTran plans to fly the aircraft on routes throughout the United States ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

RDU Official: Terminal Construction Reaches Economic 'Milestone'

WRAL.com

Economic development depends on a good, strong **airport**," said Robb Teer, chairman of the RDU **Airport Authority**. The course is being built in the second ...**For the full story, click, [Here](#)** •

TSA Approves Fingerprint ID System for Airline Crews

SmartBrief

After a year of testing in three airports, the **TSA** is ready for a nationwide rollout of the crewpass secure ID program for airline crews. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Experts Say FOI Abused in Airport Commission Fray

Baxter Bulletin

I've never heard of FOI being used like that," said Tom Larimer, **executive director** of the Arkansas Press Association who serves on the Arkansas Governor's ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Hanson Project Receives Florida Department of Transportation's Airport Project of the Year Award

Released by Hanson...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Bennie Thompson Tells Talk Radio TSA Unionization Will Not Allow ...

Yall Politics

The **Transportation Security Administration** may soon be forced to give its workers collective bargaining rights. Legislation giving workers the right to ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

How Did Mayor Dodge Prosecution?

Yall Politics

But a report by the Homeland **Security Office** of the Inspector General reveals **TSA** investigators later referred the case to then-US Attorney Dunn Lampton for ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Greenbrier County Airport Business to Take Off

WVNS-TV

Lewisburg's Greenbrier Valley **Airport** typically supports executive traffic hosting up to 400-jet operations a day. **Airport manager**, Jerry O'Sullivan, ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

A Belle of History Flies Again

Suffolk News-Herald

The Liberty Belle, a restored B-17 bomber now parked at the Chesapeake **Regional Airport**, is about as close to World War II as many people will ever get. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Lake Charles Airport Terminal to Open August 21

Daily Mail - Charleston

(AP) - Lake Charles **Regional Airport** will hold a grand opening ceremony for its new 45000-square-foot passenger terminal Aug. 21. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Packing kids' snacks for a flight? Leave the cheese at home!

OregonLive.com

This week, I checked with Dwayne Baird, a spokesman for the **Transportation Security Administration**, who said all cheese - cottage or otherwise - is banned. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Oconee County Airport Expansion Now Up to FAA

Anderson Independent Mail

OCONEE COUNTY — Work to make the years-long quest to extend the runway of the Oconee County **Regional Airport** could begin as early as September, according to ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

FAA Administrator Babbitt to Keynote NBAA 2009 Opening General Session

AMTOnline.com

"Randy is a veteran pilot and internationally recognized **authority** on **aviation** policy, and I know NBAA Members will be very interested to hear his thoughts ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Landing System Back at Airport

Martinsburg Journal

Although the Federal Aviation **Authority** owns the antennas, it's the **airport's** responsibility to maintain the clear areas that go with the system, ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Huntsville airport officials seek to lower the highest air fares ...

al.com

In some good news, the Huntsville Madison County **Airport Authority** heard that the 11-month streak of declining airline passengers at the **airport** stopped in ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

New charter air service to launch today out of Mobile Regional Airport

Press-Register - al.com

Springdale Travel and Charter Services Inc. will launch their "Mobile Direct" service today with a demonstration flight from Mobile **Regional Airport** to ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

Airport may have to lay off employees

Shreveport Times

By Bobbie J. Clark • bobbieclark@gannett.com • August 11, 2009 Shreveport **Regional Airport** may have to lay off 13 employees because of a \$2.2 million budget ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

TSA to seek additional passenger info

United Press International

Acting **TSA** Administrator Gale Rossides said in a statement that starting next Saturday, individuals booking their flights will be asked to provide their ...**For the full story, click [Here](#)** •

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In Memoriam

Steve Fitzhugh, the first director of the Smyrna/Rutherford County Airport Authority (Tennessee) suffered a heart attack on July 27, 2009 and passed away July 29, 2009. Fitzhugh was an Army Air Corps and U.S. Air Force veteran of World War II and the Korean Conflict. He flew out of Sewart Air Base, which preceded Smyrna Airport. He was the base's last commandant before it closed in 1971. He served on a commission from 1989 to 1991 to form the Smyrna/Rutherford County Airport Authority at the Air Base and became the airport's Director from 1991 to 1997.

Vicksburg Officials Seek Federal Money For Airport

WKRK-TV

The FAA had refused to fund improvements to the **airport** as part of a deal to build Vicksburg-Tallahatchie **Regional Airport** in Mound, La., which opened in 1993. **For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

US Department of Homeland Security, American Airlines Cargo and ...

Earthtimes (press release)

Edward J. Kelly, General Manager for Air Cargo, **Transportation Security Administration (TSA)** of the US Department of Homeland Security will present a ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

Consistency of TSA Screenings Varies

SmartBrief

A **TSA** official tells the paper that the apparent oversight could simply be "the passenger's failure to understand security protocols and an element of ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

Technology Aiding Checkpoints

Sun-Sentinel.com

Mainly, according to **TSA** officials, it is the result of new procedures and technology. The **agency** hopes to make the **security** process even easier — but not ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

Airport Officials Discuss Cutting Operating Hours

Parkersburg News

WILLIAMSTOWN - The possibility of reducing the operating hours of the Mid-Ohio Valley **Regional Airport** was discussed by the Wood County **Airport** Authority ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

Frontier CEO: Future Isn't Clear

Denver Post

Menke urges extra effort and admits he can't predict what will happen. Binding proposals are due Monday. By Ann Schrader Frontier Airlines chief executive ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

Naples Airport Makes Push for Commercial Service...

NBC2 News

"We don't have scheduled commercial air service at this time, and that's a big deal," said Ted Soliday, **Executive Director** of the Naples **Airport**. ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**

FAA Criticized Over Stimulus Projects

Wall Street Journal

The stimulus program's rules limit to \$20 million the maximum amount of grants an **airport authority** can receive. Mr. Scovel said his office would launch a ...**For the full story, click [Here](#) •**