

PROJECT ELEVATE

A revolutionary three-development expansion of the Gerald R. Ford International Airport to accommodate passenger growth:

EXPANDED FACILITIES

\$90 million expansion of Concourse A, adding eight gates and widening the concourse

INTERNATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

\$24 million federal inspection station, enabling international commercial flights

NEW CONTROL TOWER

Relocation of the air traffic control tower, allowing for diverse terminal-area developments

SPRING 2020 CONSTRUCTION

Construction on the terminal apron has already begun; building construction for Concourse A is set to begin in the spring of 2020.

3.5% PASSENGER GROWTH

GRR has experienced double-digit passenger growth for the past 19 months. Projections show steady passenger growth of 3.5% through 2040.



NO LOCAL TAX DOLLARS

Funded through bonds, federal and state grants and user fees. No local tax dollars will be spent.

NEW JOBS CREATED

Concourse A is expected to create 125 new construction jobs and 300+ permanent jobs.

FUNDING PARTNERS

CONCOURSE A

We've received \$14.4 million in commitments from the FAA and MDOT.

FEDERAL INSPECTION STATION

We've received a \$5 million commitment from the MEDC.

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We will draw support from federal and state grants, as well as bonds and user fees.



THE FUTURE STARTS NOW

As the gateway to West Michigan, the Gerald R. Ford International Airport serves as the first impression and last glimpse as residents and visitors travel to and from our community. Project Elevate will help the airport continue to meet the needs of the modern traveler and enhance the passenger experience.

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