



Chilliwack Regional Airport

BC Air Access Program (BCAAP)

Community Engagement Survey

Magnum Management Inc., operator of the Chilliwack Regional Airport, is preparing two applications for provincial funding through the BC Air Access Program (BCAAP).

We are seeking input from airport users, tenants, local businesses, and members of the community regarding the following proposed infrastructure improvement projects.

Proposed Projects

1. Runway Extension

The proposed project would extend the existing runway by approximately 1,000 feet, increasing its total length to approximately 5,000 feet.

The additional runway length would improve aircraft takeoff and landing performance margins, enhance operational capabilities, and strengthen the airport's ability to support regional transportation, emergency medical services, wildfire response, and other emergency operations.

Importantly, the longer runway would also improve the airport's ability to accommodate aircraft used by regional passenger carriers, creating opportunities to attract scheduled passenger air service to and from Chilliwack. This could provide residents and businesses throughout the Eastern Fraser Valley with more convenient air transportation options, while supporting tourism, economic development, and regional connectivity.

The extension would primarily take place at the east end of the runway, toward Highway 1 and away from established residential areas.

2. Runway Asphalt Overlay (Repaving)

The proposed project would involve resurfacing the existing runway to rehabilitate aging pavement infrastructure.

The current runway pavement is approximately 15 years beyond its anticipated service life. Repaving would help maintain safe and reliable aircraft operations, extend the runway's serviceable life, and reduce the likelihood of more extensive and costly repairs in the future.

Community Feedback

1. Do you support the proposed Runway Extension Project?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Undecided

2. Do you support the proposed Runway Asphalt Overlay Project?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Undecided

3. Do you anticipate any concerns or potential impacts associated with either project?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Unsure

If yes, please describe your concerns and any suggestions you may have for addressing them:

4. Are there any other improvements or projects you would like to see undertaken at the Chilliwack Regional Airport?

5. Which of the following best describes your connection to the airport? (Optional)

- ☐ Airport tenant or business operator

☐ Pilot or aircraft owner

☐ Local resident

☐ Local business or community organization

☐ Other: _____

Additional Comments

Name (Optional): _____

Organization (Optional): _____

Date: _____

Thank You for Your Participation

Your feedback is appreciated and will help Magnum Management Inc. better understand community perspectives as we proceed with these proposed airport improvements.

Survey responses may be summarized and included as supporting information in our applications to the Province of British Columbia under the BC Air Access Program.