

PEACE RIVER AIRPORT

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TOWN OF PEACE RIVER

- Located at the confluence of the Smoky River, the Heart River and the majestic Peace River
- An ideal setting that is the centre of the Peace Valley Region



PEACE RIVER TRANSPORTATION CONNECTION

- Only Rail Link to the North
- Road and Highway Access
(Located on the National Hwy System)
- Air Traffic Growth Potential



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Who We Are.

What We Offer.



PEACE RIVER AIRPORT

- Gateway to Peace River Oil Sands
- Important aviation and commercial facility for the Town of Peace River and region



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PEACE RIVER AIRPORT

- Modern, well-designed terminal building
- Full range of passenger and cargo amenities
- Scheduled and Charter air service
- Airport operates on a 24 hour basis
- Provides necessary instrument flight rule aids required to support virtually all forms of commercial, corporate and general aviation



24 HR MAINTENANCE



Services provided at the Peace River Airport include:

- Management of the Terminal
- Airfield Maintenance
- Air Carrier and car rental outlets
- Restaurant Facilities
- Concession Services
- Flight Service Station
- Fuel Sales
- Hanger and Aircraft Storage
- Emergency Medical Services
- Airplane and Helicopter charter operations



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AIRSIDE SERVICES

Civil Aviation Airport Certificate

Canadian Aviation Regulations under authority of the Aeronautics Act



AIR NAVIGATION FACILITIES

- 24 hr basis NAV Canada Flight Services Station (FSS)
located in ATB
- Non-Directional Beacon located 2.8 miles south west of Airport
- Distance Measuring Equipment available
- Very High Frequency Omni-Directional Range located 2.0 miles south west of airport



AIR NAVIGATION SERVICES

- Air Traffic control and communications provided by Peace River Flight Services - can be reached within 5 miles
- Full weather briefings for pilots from Flight Services by phone or in ATB



EMERGENCY SERVICES

- Fire & Rescue Services provided by the Peace River Fire Department
- Response time is approximately 15 minutes
- On call 24 hours a day for the airport



Freight & Storage Potential

- Cargo Bays for freight movement
- 7 Parcels of land suitable for development
each parcel is approx. 5,600m²

Economic Impact Study of the Peace River Airport



Over **\$12.5 million** in direct economic output through Primary Linkages organizations

- Air Carriers
- General Aviation
- Airport Administration and Operations
- Emergency Services

Economic Impact Study of the Peace River Airport



Over **\$2.5 million** in direct economic output through Secondary Linkage organizations

- Tourism, Travel and Hotel Industries
- Commercial Services
- Ground Transportation

Economic Impact Study of the Peace River Airport



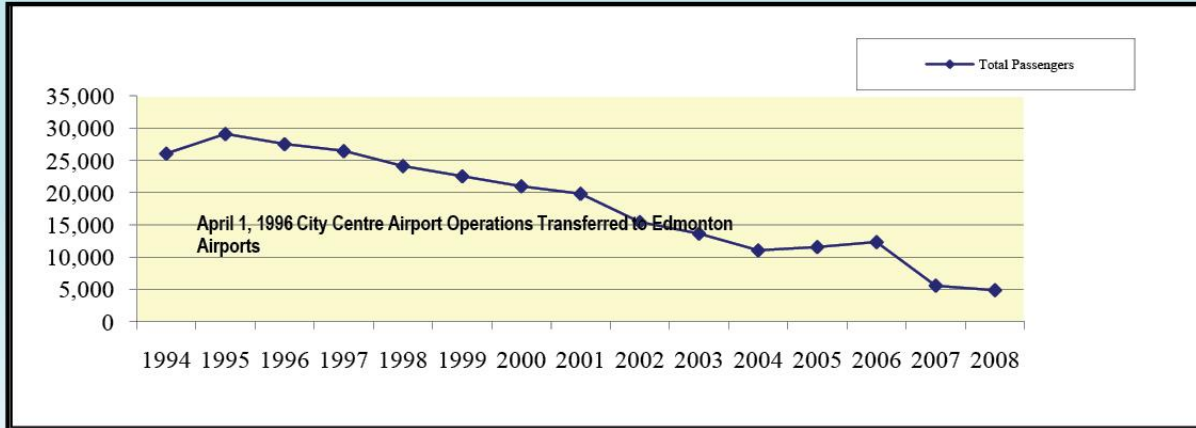
- Total existing population base served by the airport is estimated at approximately 33,000

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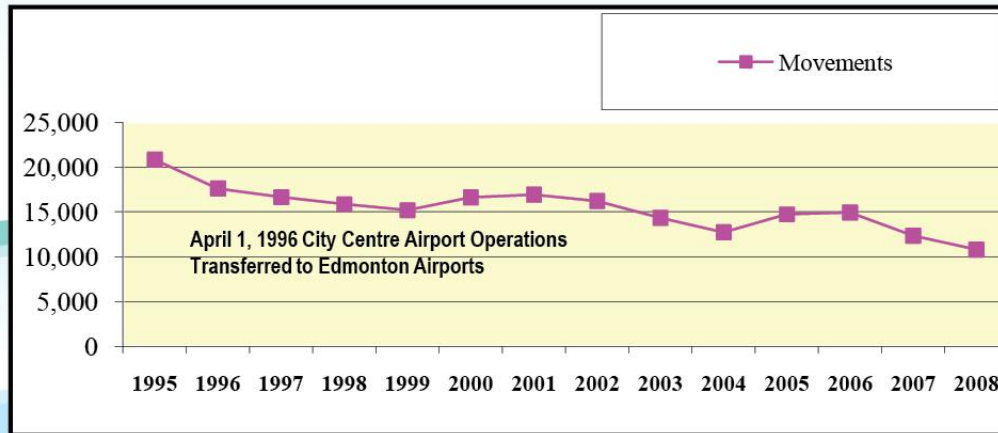


AIRPORT TRAFFIC MOVEMENT

SCHEDULED PASSENGER MOVEMENT



FLIGHT MOVEMENT MOVEMENT



REAL GROWTH IN PEACE RIVER

- 2005 **\$24,325,029**
- 2006 **\$23,377,513**
- 2007 **\$20,679,749**
- 2008 **\$14,204,250**



Average Family Median Income

Peace River	\$78,993
Alberta	\$73,823

Population

2006	6,315
2001	6,240

Resided within Peace River over 5 years	4,015
Moved from outside Peace River	1,940



Strategic Plan

- Town Council is developing a 10 year Capital Plan/3 year Operating Plan
- Communication Plan to work positively with regional and local populations and municipalities
- Corporate Business Plan
- Infrastructure Study



Current Projects

- Completed Strategic Plan for Council
- Community Visioning
- Community Sustainability Planning
- Regional Cooperation Workshops – Northern Sunrise County
 - Community Safety Forums
 - A Terms of Reference
 - Intergrated Land Use Planning
 - Regional Economic Development
- Weberville & DMI Joint Development Areas- M.D of Northern Lights # 22
- Regional Water Project- M.D of Northern Lights #22
- Municipal Infrastructure Study
- B.C Hydro – High Water Level Engineering Report (Machibroda Report)



Current Projects

- Business Vitality Initiative
- National Highway System Steering Committee
- Compensation Review
- Administration Policy Review
 - Corporate Credit Card Usage Policy
 - Substance Abuse /Misuse
 - Cell Phone Use Policy
 - Personnel Policy
- Working with North Peace Housing Foundation on a multi-unit affordable housing apartment
- Developing Engineering Design Standards
- EMS Transition to the Province of Alberta
- By Law Reviews
 - Off Highway Vehicle Bylaw
 - Public Disturbances Bylaw
 - Drinking Establishments Business License



Regional Airport

- Climate Right for Consideration of Regional Airport
- Governance structure will be determined in consultation with public/private stakeholders



Benefits of a Productive Airport on a Community

- Enhanced levels of health & emergency services
- Attract a robust & skilled workforce
- 'Quality of Life' & 'Community Spirit'
- Economic Viability



“An airport provides a substantive capacity to accelerate responses to natural disasters or emergencies mitigating the loss of life and property while protecting resource bases for future generations”

RP Erickson & Associates, Aviation Consultants,
A Socio-Economic Impact Assesment of Select Alberta Airports



Social Benefits Attributable to the Peace River Airport

- Alberta Air Ambulance reported 442 emergency medical flights to/from the airport in 2003
- Currently 40-70 Medivacs per month
- Bi-Annual volunteer opportunities with the Peace River Air Show

Previous Social Programs at the Peace River Airport

- 'Thrill of Flight'
- Aviation Alberta's 'Young Eagles' program
- Air Cadets Squadron



PEACE RIVER AIR SHOW



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