

**ACTION:** Notice of Availability.

**SUMMARY:** the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is soliciting proposals for grants and cooperative agreements which address the long and short-term technical needs of the National Airspace System (NAS) pursuant to Section 9205, Aviation Research Grant Program, and Section 9208, Catastrophic Failure Prevention Research Program, of the FAA Research, Engineering, and Development Authorization Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-508), and section 107 of the Aviation Security Improvement Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-604).

**DATES:** Proposals may be submitted to the address below at until the solicitation closes on August 30, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Inquiries or requests for a solicitation and application material should be directed to: Grants Officer, AAR-201, Office of Research and Technology Applications, FAA Technical Center, Building 270, Room B115, Atlantic City International Airport, New Jersey 08405; Voice: (609) 485-8410; Fax: (609) 485-6509.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

## Background

Title IX, The Aircraft Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-508), Section 9205, states its purpose is "to conduct aviation research into areas deemed by the Administrator to be required for the long-term growth of civil aviation." The Catastrophic Failure Prevention Research Grant Program, Section 9208, directs the FAA "to conduct aviation research relating to development of technologies and methods to assess the risk and prevent defects, failures, and malfunctions of products, parts, processes, and articles manufactured for use in aircraft, aircraft engines, propellers, and appliances which could result in a catastrophic failure of an aircraft." And the Aviation Security Grant Program (Public Law 101-604) provides for grants for "the conduct of research, development, and implementation of technologies and procedures to counteract terrorist act against civil aviation."

A detailed description of specific research areas, additional requirements, and selection criteria are set out in the solicitation: Grants for Aviation Research, Solicitation 96.1.

Dated: January 30, 1996.

Andres G. Zellweger,

Director, Office of Aviation Research.

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**Notice of Intent to Rule on Application to Impose and Use the Revenue From a Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) at Morgantown Municipal Airport, Morgantown, West Virginia**

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of Intent to Rule on Application.

**SUMMARY:** The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC at Morgantown Municipal Airport under the provisions of the Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Title IX of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990) (Public Law 101-508) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 158).

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before March 14, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments on this application may be mailed or delivered in triplicate to the FAA at the following address: Mr. Elonza Turner, Beckley Airports Field Office, Main Terminal Building, 469 Airport Circle, Beaver, West Virginia 25813-6216.

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to Mr. William Plutt, Airport Manager of the Morgantown Municipal Airport at the following address: Morgantown Municipal Airport, Morgantown, West Virginia 26505.

Air carriers and foreign air carriers may submit copies of written comments previously provided to the City of Morgantown under section 158.23 of Part 158.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Elonza Turner, Beckley Airports Field Office, Main Terminal Building, 469 Airport Circle, Beaver, West Virginia 25813-6216 (Tel. 304-252-6216). The application may be reviewed in person at this same location.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The FAA proposes to rule and invites public comment on the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC at Morgantown Municipal Airport under the provisions of the Aviation Safety and Capacity Expansion Act of 1990 (Title IX of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990) (Public Law 101-508) and Part 158 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 158).

On January 11, 1996, the FAA determined that the application to impose and use the revenue from a PFC submitted by the City of Morgantown was substantially complete within the requirements of section 158.25 of Part

158. The FAA will approve or disapprove the application, in whole or in part, no later than March 27, 1996.

The following is a brief overview of the application.

*Level of the proposed PFC:* \$2.00.

*Proposed charge effective date:*

December 1, 1999.

*Proposed charge expiration date:*

January 1, 2000.

*Total estimated PFC revenue:*

\$242,000.

*Brief description of proposed projects:*

The PFC funds will be utilized to fund the local share of the following proposed AIP projects.

- Construct Public Facilities Within the North Terminal (Phase III)
- Purchase Snow Removal Equipment
- Rehabilitate Airport Access Road
- Purchase Disable Passenger Chairlift

*Class or classes of air carriers which the public agency has requested not be required to collect PFCs:* None.

Any person may inspect the application in person at the FAA office listed above under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT" and at the FAA Regional Airports Office located at: Fitzgerald Federal Building, John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, NY 11430.

In addition, any person may, upon request, inspect the application, notice and other documents germane to the application in person at the City of Morgantown.

Issued in Jamaica, New York on February 5, 1996.

Anthony P. Spera,

Acting Manager, Airports Division, Eastern Region.

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**Research and Special Programs Administration**

**Office of Hazardous Materials Safety; Notice of Applications for Exemptions**

**AGENCY:** Research and Special Programs Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** List of Applicants for Exemptions.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the procedures governing the application for, and the processing of, exemptions from the Department of Transportation's Hazardous Materials Regulations (49 CFR Part 107, Subpart B), notice is hereby given that the Office of Hazardous Materials Safety has received the applications described herein. Each mode of transportation for which a particular exemption is requested is indicated by a number in the "Nature of