does not warrant preparation of a regulatory evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. Since this is a routine matter that will only affect air traffic procedures and air navigation, it is certified that this rule, when promulgated, would not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

Environmental Review

This proposal will be subject to an environmental analysis in accordance with FAA Order 1050.1F, “Environmental Impacts: Policies and Procedures” prior to any FAA final regulatory action.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

The Proposed Amendment

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me, the Federal Aviation Administration proposes to amend 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, B, C, D, AND E AIRSPACE AREAS; AIR TRAFFIC SERVICE ROUTES; AND REPORTING POINTS

1. The authority citation for 14 CFR part 71 continues to read as follows:


§ 71.1 [Amended]

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of FAA Order 7400.11D, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated August 8, 2019, and effective September 15, 2019, is amended as follows:

Paragraph 5000 Class D Airspace.

ASW TX E2 Waco, TX [Amended]

Waco Regional Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°36′44″ N, long. 97°13′49″ W)

That airspace extending upward from the surface within a 4.4-mile radius of Waco Regional Airport, and within 1 mile each side of the 149° bearing from the airport extending from the 4.2-mile radius from the airport to 4.3 miles southeast of the airport. This Class E airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

Paragraph 6002 Class E Airspace Areas Designated as Surface Areas.

ASW TX E5 Waco, TX [Established]

TSTC Waco Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°38′16″ N, long. 97°09′27″ W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.3-mile radius of McGregor Executive Airport to 10 miles northwest of the Waco VORTAC, and within a 6.9-mile radius of TSTC Waco Airport, and with a 6.6-mile radius of McGregor Executive Airport, and within 6 miles each side of the 005° radial extending from the McGregor Executive Airport to 6.7 miles south of McGregor Executive Airport, and within 6 miles each side of the 185° radial from the Waco VORTAC, and within 6 miles each side of the 179° bearing from the Waco Regional Airport Class D airspace and Class E surface area airspace. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

ASW TX E2 Waco, TX [Amended]

TSTC Waco Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°36′44″ N, long. 97°04′27″ W)

That airspace extending upward from the surface within a 4.4-mile radius of TSTC Waco Airport, excluding that airspace within the Waco Regional Airport Class D airspace and Class E surface area airspace. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

ASW TX D Waco, TX [Amended]

Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, Marion, IL
(Lat. 31°38′16″ N, long. 97°04′27″ W)

That airspace extending upward from the surface and including 3,000 feet MSL within a 4.4-mile radius of TSTC Waco Airport, excluding that airspace within the Waco Regional Airport Class D airspace and Class E surface area airspace. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

ASW TX D Waco, TX [Amended]

TSTC Waco Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°38′16″ N, long. 97°04′27″ W)

That airspace extending upward from the surface to and including 3,000 feet MSL within a 4.4-mile radius of TSTC Waco Airport, excluding that airspace within the Waco Regional Airport Class D airspace and Class E surface area airspace. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

ASW TX D Waco, TX [Amended]

TSTC Waco Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°38′16″ N, long. 97°04′27″ W)

That airspace extending upward from the surface to and including 3,000 feet MSL within a 4.4-mile radius of TSTC Waco Airport, excluding that airspace within the Waco Regional Airport Class D airspace and Class E surface area airspace. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

ASW TX E2 Waco, TX [Amended]

Waco Regional Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°36′44″ N, long. 97°13′49″ W)

That airspace extending upward from the surface within a 4.2-mile radius of Waco Regional Airport, and within 1 mile each side of the 149° bearing from the airport extending from the 4.2-mile radius from the airport to 4.3 miles southeast of the airport. This Class E airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be published in the Chart Supplement.

ASW TX E5 Waco, TX [Established]

Marlin Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°20′26″ N, long. 96°51′07″ W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.3-mile radius of Marlin Airport, and within 1.8 miles each side of the 123° radial of the Waco VORTAC extending from the 6.3-mile radius to 13.1 miles northwest of the airport.

ASW TX E5 Waco, TX [Amended]

Waco Regional Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°36′44″ N, long. 97°13′49″ W)

Waco RGNL: RWY 19–LOC
(Lat. 31°36′44″ N, long. 97°13′49″ W)
Waco VORTAC
(Lat. 31°39′44″ N, long. 97°16′08″ W)
TSTC Waco Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°38′16″ N, long. 97°04′27″ W)
McGregor Executive Airport, TX
(Lat. 31°39′06″ N, long. 97°19′00″ W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.7-mile radius of Waco Regional Airport, and within 3.7 miles each side of the 014° bearing from the Waco RGNL: RWY 19–LOC extending from the 6.7-mile radius of Waco Regional Airport to 15.3 miles north of Waco Regional Airport, and within 2.5 miles each side of the 328° radial from the Waco VORTAC extending from the 6.7-mile radius of Waco Regional Airport to 10 miles northwest of the Waco VORTAC, and within a 6.9-mile radius of TSTC Waco Airport, and within a 6.6-mile radius of McGregor Executive Airport, and within 6 miles each side of the 005° radial extending from the Waco VORTAC to 10 miles north of the Waco VORTAC, and within 6 miles each side of the 185° radial from the Waco VORTAC extending from the 6.6-mile radius of McGregor Executive Airport to the Waco VORTAC.

Issued in Fort Worth, Texas, on May 24, 2021.

Martin A. Skinner,
Acting Manager, Operations Support Group, ATO Central Service Center.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Federal Aviation Administration

14 CFR Part 71


RIN 2120–AA66

Proposed Amendment of Class D and Class E Airspace, Revocation of Class E Airspace and Establishment of Class E Airspace; Carbondale and Marion, IL

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM).

SUMMARY: This action proposes to amend the Class D airspace and Class E airspace at Carbondale, IL, and Marion, IL; revoke the Class E airspace area designated as an extension to Class D airspace at Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, Marion, IL; and establish Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface at Southern Illinois Airport, Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL. The FAA is proposing this action as the result of airspace reviews caused by the decommissioning of the Marion very high frequency (VHF) omnidirectional range (VOR) as part of the VOR Minimal Operational Network (MON) Program. The names and geographic coordinates of the airports would also be updated to coincide with the FAA’s aeronautical database.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before July 12, 2021.
**AVIATION PROGRAMS; SAFETY AND SECURITY; AMENDMENT OF AIRSPACE; PROPOSED RULEMAKING**

This document proposes to amend FAA Order 7400.11E, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated July 15, 2020, and effective September 15, 2020. FAA Order 7400.11E is publicly available as listed in the Address section of this document. FAA Order 7400.11E lists Class A, B, C, D, and E airspace areas, air traffic service routes, and reporting points.

**The Proposal**

The FAA is proposing an amendment to 14 CFR part 71 by:

- Amending the Class D airspace to within a 4.2-mile (increased from a 4.1-mile) radius of Southern Illinois Airport, Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL; updating the header of the airspace legal description from “Carbondale, IL” to “Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL” to coincide with the FAA’s aeronautical database; removing the city associated with the airport to comply with changes to FAA Order 7400.2M, Procedures for Handling Airspace Matter; updating the geographic coordinates of the airport to coincide with the FAA’s aeronautical database; and replacing the outdated term “Airport/Facility Directory” with “Chart Supplement”;
- Revoking the Class E airspace area designated as an extension to Class D airspace at Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois as it is no longer required; and
- Establishing Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface to within a 4.4-mile (increased from a 4.2-mile) radius of Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, Marion, IL; removing the city associated with the airport to comply with changes to FAA Order 7400.2M; updating the name (previously Williamson County Regional Airport) and geographic coordinates of the airport to coincide with the FAA’s aeronautical database; and replacing the outdated term “Airport/Facility Directory” with “Chart Supplement”.

**Authority for This Rulemaking**

The FAA’s authority to issue rules regarding aviation safety is found in Title 49 of the United States Code. Subtitle I, Section 106 describes the authority of the FAA Administrator. Subtitle VII, Aviation Programs, describes in more detail the scope of the agency’s authority. This rulemaking is promulgated under the authority described in Subtitle VII, Part A, Subpart I, Section 40103. Under that section, the FAA is charged with prescribing regulations to assign the use of airspace necessary to ensure the safety of aircraft and the efficient use of airspace. This regulation is within the scope of that authority as it would amend the Class D airspace at Southern Illinois Airport, Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL, and Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, Marion, IL; revoke the Class E airspace area designated as an extension to Class D airspace at Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois; establish Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface at Southern Illinois Airport; and amend the Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface at Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois to support instrument flight rule operations at these airports.

**Availability and Summary of Documents for Incorporation by Reference**

This document proposes to amend FAA Order 7400.11E, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated July 15, 2020, and effective September 15, 2020. FAA Order 7400.11E is publicly available as listed in the Address section of this document. FAA Order 7400.11E lists Class A, B, C, D, and E airspace areas, air traffic service routes, and reporting points.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Jeffrey Claypool, Federal Aviation Administration, Operations Support Group, Central Service Center, 10101 Hillwood Parkway, Fort Worth, TX 76177; telephone: (817) 222–5711.

**ADDRESSES**

You may submit comments through the internet at [https://www.regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov). For further information, you can contact the Federal Aviation Administration, Air Traffic Organization, Central Service Center, 10101 Hillwood Parkway, Fort Worth, TX 76177.

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**Availability of NPRMs**

An electronic copy of this document may be downloaded through the internet at [https://www.regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov). Recently published rulemaking documents can also be accessed through the FAA’s web page at [https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/airspace_amendments/](https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/airspace_amendments/).

You may review the public docket containing the proposal, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office (see the ADDRESSES section for the address and phone number) between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except federal holidays.

**Authorizations and Reporting Points, and subsequent amendments can be viewed online at [https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/](https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/). For further information, you can contact the Federal Aviation Administration, Air Traffic Organization, Central Service Center, 10101 Hillwood Parkway, Fort Worth, TX 76177; telephone: (817) 222–5711.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Authority for This Rulemaking**

The FAA’s authority to issue rules regarding aviation safety is found in Title 49 of the United States Code. Subtitle I, Section 106 describes the authority of the FAA Administrator. Subtitle VII, Aviation Programs, describes in more detail the scope of the agency’s authority. This rulemaking is promulgated under the authority described in Subtitle VII, Part A, Subpart I, Section 40103. Under that section, the FAA is charged with prescribing regulations to assign the use of airspace necessary to ensure the safety of aircraft and the efficient use of airspace. This regulation is within the scope of that authority as it would amend the Class D airspace at Southern Illinois Airport, Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL, and Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, Marion, IL; revoke the Class E airspace area designated as an extension to Class D airspace at Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois; establish Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface at Southern Illinois Airport; and amend the Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface at Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois to support instrument flight rule operations at these airports.

**Comments Invited**

Interested parties are invited to participate in this proposed rulemaking by submitting such written data, views, or arguments, as they may desire. Comments that provide the factual basis supporting the views and suggestions presented are particularly helpful in developing reasoned regulatory decisions on the proposal. Comments are specifically invited on the overall regulatory, aeronautical, economic, environmental, and energy-related aspects of the proposal.

Communications should identify both docket numbers and be submitted in triplicate to the address listed above. Commenters wishing the FAA to acknowledge receipt of their comments on this notice must submit with those comments a self-addressed, stamped postcard on which the following statement is made: “Comments to Docket No. FAA–2021–0387/Airspace Docket No. 21–AGL–24.” The postcard will be date/time stamped and returned to the commenter.

All communications received before the specified closing date for comments will be considered before taking action on the proposed rule. The proposal contained in this notice may be changed in light of the comments received. A report summarizing each substantive public contact with FAA personnel concerned with this rulemaking will be filed in the docket.

**Availability of NPRMs**

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You may review the public docket containing the proposal, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office (see the ADDRESSES section for the address and phone number) between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except federal holidays. An informal docket can be used to receive public comments on many FAA dockets.
The Federal Aviation Administration proposes to amend 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

**PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, B, C, D, AND E AIRSPACE AREAS; AIR TRAFFIC SERVICE ROUTES; AND REPORTING POINTS**

1. The authority citation for 14 CFR part 71 continues to read as follows:

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   **Authority:** 49 U.S.C. 106(f), 106(g); 40103, 40113, 40120; E.O. 10854, 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959–1963 Comp., p. 389.

   **§ 71.1 [Amended]**

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of FAA Order 7400.11E, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated July 21, 2020, and effective September 15, 2020, is amended as follows:

   **Paragraph 5000 Class D Airspace.**

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   **AGL IL D Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL. [Amended]**

   Southern Illinois Airport, IL (Lat. 37°46’11″ N, long. 89°15’07″ W)

   That airspace extending upward from the surface to and including 3,000 feet MSL within a 4.4-mile radius of the Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective dates and times will thereafter be continuously published in the Chart Supplement.

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   **AGL IL D Marion, IL [Amended]**

   Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, IL (Lat. 37°45’18″ N, long. 89°00’40″ W)

   That airspace extending upward from the surface to and including 3,000 feet MSL within a 4.4-mile radius of the Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by a Notice to Airmen. The effective date and time will thereafter be continuously published in the Chart Supplement.

   **Paragraph 6004 Class E Airspace Areas Designated as an Extension to a Class D or Class E Surface Area.**

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   **AGL IL E4 Marion, IL [Removed]**

   **Paragraph 6005 Class E Airspace Areas Extending Upward From 700 Feet or More Above the Surface of the Earth.**

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   **AGL IL E5 Carbondale/Murphysboro, IL [Established]**

   Southern Illinois Airport, IL (Lat. 37°46’11″ N, long. 89°15’07″ W)

   That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.7-mile radius of the airport, and within 4 miles each side of the 181° bearing from the airport extending from the 6.7-mile radius to 11.8 miles south of the airport.

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   **AGL IL E5 Marion, IL [Amended]**

   Veterans Airport of Southern Illinois, IL (Lat. 37°45’18″ N, long. 89°00’40″ W)

   That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.9-mile radius of the airport.

   Issued in Fort Worth, Texas, on May 24, 2021.

   Martin A. Skinner, Acting Manager, Operations Support Group, ATO Central Service Center.

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Aviation Administration**

14 CFR Part 71


**RIN 2120–AA66**

**Proposed Amendment of Class E Airspace; Hondo, TX**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM).

**SUMMARY:** This action proposes to amend the Class E airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface at South Texas Regional Airport at Hondo, TX. The FAA is proposing this action as the result of an airspace review caused by the decommissioning of the Hondo non-directional beacon (NDB). The name and geographic coordinates of the airport would also be updated to coincide with the FAA’s aeronautical database.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before July 12, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments on this proposal to the U.S. Department of Transportation, Docket Operations, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12–140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590; telephone (202) 366–9826, or (800) 647–5527. You must identify FAA Docket No. FAA–2021–0386/Airspace Docket No. 21–ASW–8, at the beginning of your comments. You may also submit comments through the internet at https://www.regulations.gov. You may review the public docket containing the proposal, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except federal holidays.