

AGL OH D Mansfield, OH [Amended]

Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport, OH
(Lat 40°49'17" N, long 082°31'00" W)

That airspace extending from the surface to and including 3,800 feet MSL within a 5.4-mile radius of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport. This Class D airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by Notice to Airmen. The effective dates and times will thereafter be continuously published in the Chart Supplement.

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6002 Class E Airspace Areas Designated as Surface Areas.

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AGL OH E2 Mansfield, OH [Amended]

Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport, OH
(Lat 40°49'17" N, long 082°31'00" W)

Within a 5.4-mile radius of Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport. This Class E airspace area is effective during the specific dates and times established in advance by Notice to Airmen. The effective dates and times will thereafter be continuously published in the Chart Supplement.

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

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AGL OH E5 Ashland, OH [Amended]

Ashland County Airport, OH
(Lat 40°54'11" N, long 082°15'20" W)
University Hospitals Samaritan Medical Center Heliport, OH
(Lat 40°51'33" N, long 082°18'31" W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.9-mile radius of Ashland County Airport; and within a 6.7-mile radius of the University Hospitals Samaritan Medical Center Heliport.

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AGL OH E5 Bucyrus, OH [Amended]

Port Bucyrus/Crawford County Airport, OH
(Lat 40°46'54" N, long 082°58'29" W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.8-mile radius of the Port Bucyrus/Crawford County Airport.

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AGL OH E5 Mansfield, OH [Amended]

Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport, OH
(Lat 40°49'17" N, long 082°31'00" W)
Mansfield Lahm RGNL: RWY 32–LOC
(Lat 40°50'07" N, long 082°31'51" W)
MANNS NDB
(Lat 40°45'59" N, long 082°26'43" W)
Galion Municipal Airport, OH
(Lat 40°45'12" N, long 082°43'26" W)
Shelby Community Airport, OH
(Lat 40°52'22" N, long 082°41'51" W)
Willard Airport, OH
(Lat 41°02'20" N, long 082°43'28" W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 7.9-mile radius of Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport; and within 2 miles each side of the 047°

bearing from Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport extending from the 7.9-mile radius of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport to 8.9 miles northeast of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport; and within 4 miles each side of the 137° bearing from the Mansfield Lahm RGNL: RWY 32–LOC extending from the 7.9-mile radius of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport to 8.9 miles southeast of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport; and within 4 miles each side of the 136° bearing from the MANNS NDB extending from the 7.9-mile radius of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport to 15 miles southeast of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport; and within 4 miles each side of the 137° bearing from the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport extending from the 7.9-mile radius of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport to 11.2 miles southeast of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport; and within 4 miles each side of the 317° bearing from the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport extending from the 7.9-mile radius of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport to 11.6 miles northwest of the Mansfield Lahm Regional Airport; and within a 7.9-mile radius of Galion Municipal Airport; and within a 7-mile radius of Shelby Community Airport; and within a 6.5-mile radius of Willard Airport.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Federal Aviation Administration****14 CFR Part 71**

**[Docket No. FAA–2025–5108; Airspace
Docket No. 25–AGL–17]**

RIN 2120–AA66

Amendment of Class E Airspace; New Lexington, OH

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This action amends the Class E airspace at New Lexington, OH. The name and geographic coordinates of Ed Newlon Field, New Lexington, OH, are also being updated to coincide with the FAA's aeronautical database. This action is the result of an airspace review conducted due to the decommissioning of the Zanesville very high frequency omnidirectional range (VOR) as part of the VOR Minimum Operational Network (MON) Program. It brings the airspace into compliance with FAA orders and supports instrument flight rule (IFR) procedures and operations.

DATES: Effective 0901 UTC, May 14, 2026. The Director of the Federal Register approves this incorporation by reference action under 1 CFR part 51, subject to the annual revision of FAA Order JO 7400.11 and publication of conforming amendments.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM), all comments received, this final rule, and all background material may be viewed online at www.regulations.gov using the FAA Docket number. Electronic retrieval help and guidelines are available on the website. It is available 24 hours each day, 365 days each year. An electronic copy of this document may also be downloaded from www.federalregister.gov.

FAA Order JO 7400.11K, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, and subsequent amendments can be viewed online at www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/. You may also contact the Rules and Regulations Group, Office of Policy, Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20591; telephone: (202) 267–8783.

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.

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 amends the Class E airspace at the affected airport to support IFR operations.

History

The FAA published an NPRM for Docket No. FAA–2025–5108 in the **Federal Register** (90 FR 52578; November 21, 2025) proposing to amend the Class E airspace at New Lexington, OH. Interested parties were invited to participate in this rulemaking effort by submitting written comments on the proposal to the FAA. One comment was

received from the Citizens Rulemaking Alliance.

Overall, the comment and accompanying petition are not applicable to the proposed airspace action; however, the following explanations are provided.

The comment and accompanying petition requested either that the final rule be withdrawn, an NPRM issued, and the effective date stayed, or that the FAA reopen the record for purposes of supplementation. The comment was written as if the FAA had never issued an NPRM. However, the comment and petition were submitted on the NPRM during the 45-day comment period, so the request has already been satisfied. A request to reopen a docket submitted through that very docket during the period when it was actively open for receiving comments is nonsensical. Accordingly, the comment appears at least partially unrelated to the instant action.

The petition also requests more detailed discussion regarding the FAA's analyses under the Regulatory Flexibility Act and Executive Order (E.O.) 12866. The FAA has met its legal obligations for this action under the aforementioned authorities. Although the FAA individually assesses each airspace action under all applicable law and guidance, it utilizes standardized language in routine airspace action rulemakings to ensure consistency and legal sufficiency, and to streamline drafting of regulatory documents in one of the agency's most prolific rulemaking portfolios. The use of such standard language is not an indication that the agency failed to perform the requisite analysis.

The petition further requests that the FAA provide analysis under other authorities inapplicable to the instant action, such as the Paperwork Reduction Act and the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act. The FAA declines to perform analysis or provide discussion beyond what is legally required. The airspace action rulemaking portfolio is one of the FAA's most prolific, and it is not feasible for the agency to perform work beyond what is legally required for each of these frequent and recurring actions.

Substantively, the petition also assumes that the expansion of the Class E airspace extending upward from 700 ft. above the surface at Beeville, TX, will impact IFR, VFR, and unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) operations. This Class E airspace is established as transitional airspace to/from terminal or enroute environments around airports with instrument procedures as required by FAA Order JO 7400.2R, Procedures for

Handling Airspace Matters. For IFR traffic, the airspace contains the instrument procedures at the airport; however, no air traffic control services are provided and there are no communications requirements for VFR traffic, so there is little to no impact on VFR traffic. In fact, this Class E airspace provides notice to pilots that there are instrument procedures and potential IFR traffic in the area, increasing a pilot's situational awareness. As to the impact on UAS operations, no additional coordination or analysis is required.

Additionally, the petition recommends that the FAA publish a comparison table of the airspace legal description, before-and-after maps, and GIS shapefiles providing a comparative description of the changes to the airspace. The petition claims that, without such materials, "it is impossible for interested persons to ascertain whether the amendment expands or contracts controlled airspace". The comment also requests that the FAA identify the instrument procedures that motivated the change, claiming that this information, as well as the requested comparative materials, "are standard in other airspace projects".

The FAA has no specific legal duty to provide the requested comparative materials, and they are not routinely provided unless the airspace changes are unusually complex and an expanded explanation of the changes is necessary to allow for meaningful comment. In this case, the airspace change is relatively straightforward. The description of the proposed action within the NPRM makes it clear that the affected airspace is slightly expanded by specifically stating that the proposal would "increase the radius from 6.3 miles to 6.5 miles from the airport". 90 FR 52578, 52579. The changes to the airspace legal description are also explained in detail both within the NPRM and this final rule. Lastly, there is only one instrument procedure at Ed Newlon Field, New Lexington, OH, so it is unnecessary to identify which procedure motivated the change.

Incorporation by Reference

Class E airspace designations are published in paragraph 6005 of FAA Order JO 7400.11, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, which is incorporated by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 on an annual basis. This document amends the current version of that order, FAA Order JO 7400.11K, dated August 4, 2025, and effective September 15, 2025. These amendments will be published in the next update to FAA Order JO 7400.11. FAA Order JO

7400.11K, which lists Class A, B, C, D, and E airspace areas, air traffic service routes, and reporting points, is publicly available as listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this document.

The Rule

This action amends 14 CFR part 71 by modifying the Class E airspace extending upward from 700 ft. above the surface at New Lexington, Ohio, due to an airspace review conducted as part of the decommissioning of the Zanesville VOR as part of the VOR MON Program.

For the Ed Newlon Field, New Lexington, OH, Class E airspace extending upward from 700 ft. above the surface, this action: (1) increases the radius from 6.3 miles to 6.5 miles from the airport; (2) removes the city associated with the airport from the airspace legal description header to comply with changes to FAA Order JO 7400.2R; and (3) updates the name of the airport from Perry County Airport to Ed Newlon Field as well as updates the geographic coordinates of the airport to coincide with the FAA's aeronautical database.

Regulatory Notices and Analyses

The FAA has determined that this regulation only involves an established body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. It, therefore: (1) is not a "significant regulatory action" under Executive Order 12866; (2) is not a "significant rule" under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034; February 26, 1979); and (3) does not warrant preparation of a regulatory evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. Since this is a routine matter that only affects air traffic procedures and air navigation, it is certified that this rule, when promulgated, does not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

Environmental Review

The FAA has determined that this action qualifies for categorical exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act in accordance with FAA Order 1050.1G, "FAA National Environmental Policy Act Implementing Procedures," Paragraph B-2.5(a). This airspace action is not expected to cause any potentially significant environmental impacts, and no extraordinary circumstances exist that warrant preparation of an environmental assessment.

Lists of Subjects in 14 CFR 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

The Amendment

In consideration of the foregoing, the Federal Aviation Administration amends 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:

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 JO 7400.11K, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated August 4, 2025, and effective September 15, 2025, is amended as follows:

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

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AGL OH E5 New Lexington, OH [Amended]

Ed Newlon Field, OH

(Lat 39°41'30" N, long 082°11'52" W)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.5-mile radius of Ed Newlon Field.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

14 CFR Part 97

[Docket No. 31645; Amdt. No. 4201]

Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, and Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule establishes, amends, suspends, or removes Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (SIAPS) and associated Takeoff Minimums and Obstacle Departure

procedures (ODPs) for operations at certain airports. These regulatory actions are needed because of the adoption of new or revised criteria, or because of changes occurring in the National Airspace System, such as the commissioning of new navigational facilities, adding new obstacles, or changing air traffic requirements. These changes are designed to provide safe and efficient use of the navigable airspace and to promote safe flight operations under instrument flight rules at the affected airports.

DATES: This rule is effective January 22, 2026. The compliance date for each SIAP, associated Takeoff Minimums, and ODP is specified in the amendatory provisions.

The incorporation by reference of certain publications listed in the regulations is approved by the Director of the Federal Register as of January 22, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Availability of matters incorporated by reference in the amendment is as follows:

For Examination

1. U.S. Department of Transportation, Docket Ops–M30, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, West Bldg., Ground Floor, Washington, DC 20590–0001.

2. The FAA Air Traffic Organization Service Area in which the affected airport is located;

3. The office of Aeronautical Information Services, 6500 South MacArthur Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK 73169 or,

4. The National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). For information on the availability of this material at NARA, visit www.archives.gov/federal-register/cfr/ibr-locations or email fr.inspection@nara.gov.

Availability

All SIAPs and Takeoff Minimums and ODPs are available online free of charge. Visit the National Flight Data Center at nfdc.faa.gov to register. Additionally, individual SIAP and Takeoff Minimums and ODP copies may be obtained from the FAA Air Traffic Organization Service Area in which the affected airport is located.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This rule amends 14 CFR part 97 by establishing, amending, suspending, or removes SIAPS, Takeoff Minimums and/or ODPs. The complete regulatory description of each SIAP and its associated Takeoff Minimums or ODP for an identified airport is listed on FAA form documents which are incorporated by reference in this amendment under 5 U.S.C. 552(a), 1 CFR part 51, and 14 CFR 97.20. The applicable FAA Forms are 8260–3, 8260–4, 8260–5, 8260–15A, 8260–15B, when required by an entry on 8260–15A, and 8260–15C.

The large number of SIAPs, Takeoff Minimums and ODPs, their complex nature, and the need for a special format make publication in the **Federal Register** expensive and impractical. Further, pilots do not use the regulatory text of the SIAPs, Takeoff Minimums or ODPs, but instead refer to their graphic depiction on charts printed by publishers of aeronautical materials. Thus, the advantages of incorporation by reference are realized and publication of the complete description of each SIAP, Takeoff Minimums and ODP listed on FAA form documents is unnecessary. This amendment provides the affected CFR sections and specifies the types of SIAPS, Takeoff Minimums and ODPs with their applicable effective dates. This amendment also identifies the airport and its location, the procedure, and the amendment number.

Availability and Summary of Material Incorporated by Reference

The material incorporated by reference is publicly available as listed in the **ADDRESSES** section.

The material incorporated by reference describes SIAPS, Takeoff Minimums and/or ODPs as identified in the amendatory language for part 97 of this final rule.

The Rule

This amendment to 14 CFR part 97 is effective upon publication of each separate SIAP, Takeoff Minimums and ODP as amended in the transmittal. Some SIAP and Takeoff Minimums and textual ODP amendments may have been issued previously by the FAA in a Flight Data Center (FDC) Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) as an emergency action of immediate flights safety relating directly to published aeronautical charts.

The circumstances that created the need for some SIAP and Takeoff Minimums and ODP amendments may require making them effective in less than 30 days. For the remaining SIAPs and Takeoff Minimums and ODPs, an