



AIRPORT MANAGER'S REPORT

Airport Commission
February 12, 2026

BACKGROUND

This Report is provided to inform the Airport Commission about operations, City Council actions, events, meetings and other issues concerning the Riverside Airport.

This update includes information about Airport operations, financials, activities, events, and investment in infrastructure.

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY



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Aircraft Operations			
Prior Year Quarter Versus Current Year Quarter	Jan-Dec 2024	Jan-Dec 2025	To Date
	144,092	134,410 (I: 144,349)	-6.7% (+0.1%)
Prior Year Month Versus Current Year Month	December 2024	December 2025	
	9,681	8,802 (I: 9,546)	-9.0% (-1.3%)

Note: FAA aircraft operations statistics are reported on a calendar year basis.
Average 283 operations daily in December 2025.

FINANCIAL ACTIVITY



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July 1, 2025-December 31, 2025			
	Operating Budget	Actual	% to Budget
Expenditures ⁽¹⁾	\$2,153,238.06	\$800,308.23	37.2% ³
Revenue ⁽²⁾	\$2,274,000.00	\$1,194,310.42	52.5%

Notes:

¹ Including adjustments and encumbrances

² Preliminary figures as of 12/31/2025

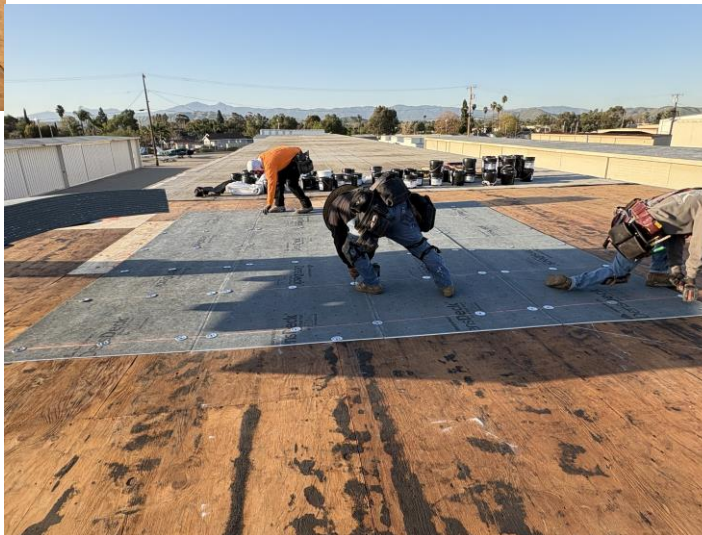
³ 50% complete with FY. If on budget, actual amounts should be 50% to budget.



HIGHLIGHTS



PARFLIGHT HANGAR ROOFING



EVTOL Efforts



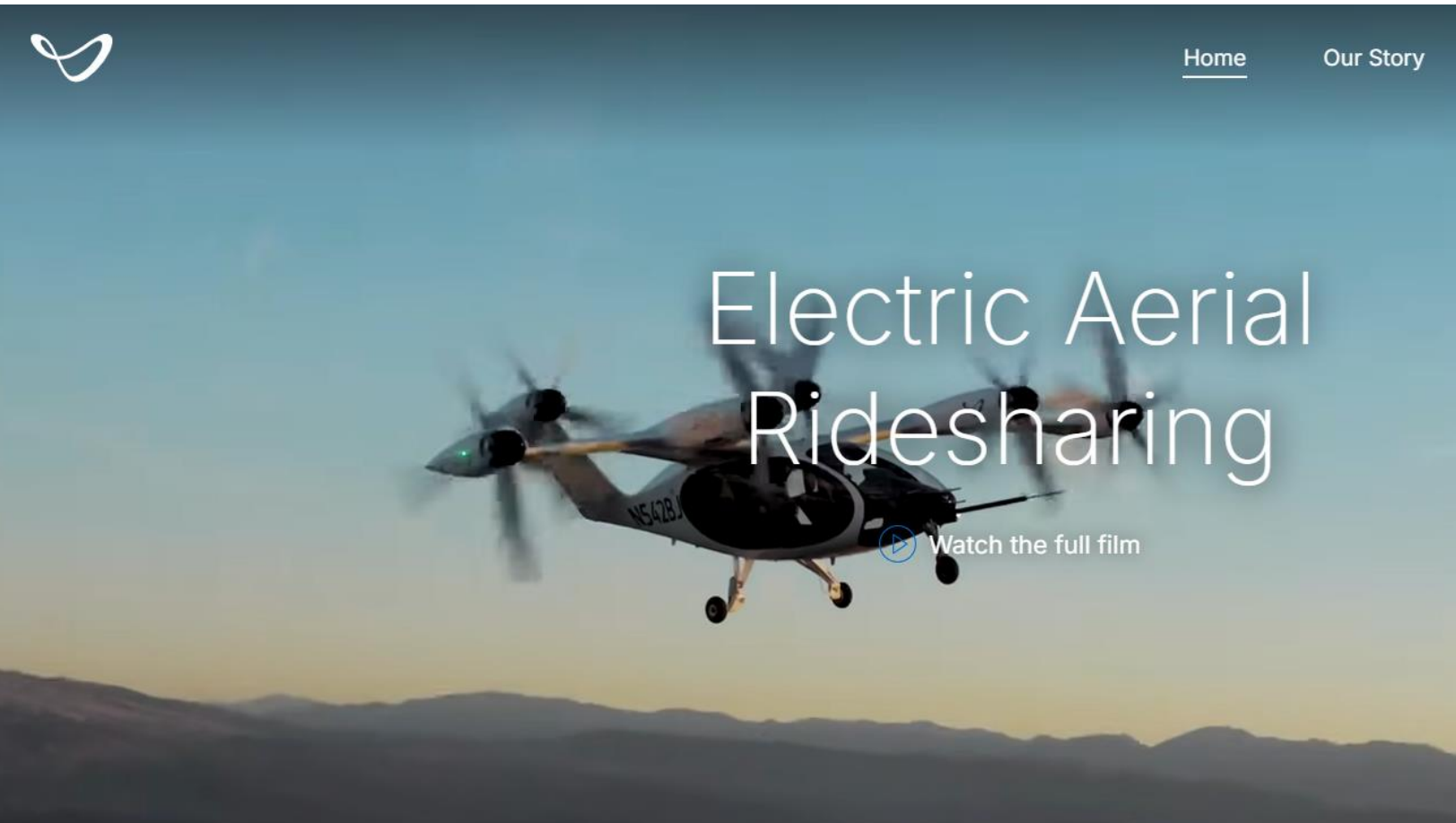
SUPERNAL (NOV 2024-APRIL 2025)



Site Visits
On-site meetings
FAA meetings

Conclusion:
Too densely
populated around
RAL to support their
test flight operation.

JOBY (NBAA BACE OCT 2025)



Discussed westside acreage for development.

Discussions continuing

PROJECT BLUE SKY (SEPTEMBER 2025)



Coordinated with
CEDD to respond to
Go Biz RFI

Awaiting outcome

LIFT



Learning Institute for Flight Technology MOU

Alvord Unified School District
California Baptist University
Riverside City College
Riverside Unified School
District
University of California
Riverside

ECONOMIC IMPACT STUDY

Data collection in support of
Economic Impact Study

Consultant Site Visit on February 10



RAL RIVERSIDE AIRPORT **Attention Visiting Pilots and Passengers!**

We are conducting an Airport Economic Impact Study and need YOUR feedback!

Riverside Airport is conducting an Economic Impact Study as part of the ongoing Airport Master Plan to document the value of the Airport in the local economy.

If you are arriving from or departing to another airport outside of Riverside, please help us by scanning the QR code below to take a brief survey regarding your stay in the Riverside area.



 **General Aviation Visitor Survey:**
<https://cvent.me/kd5KYz>

No personally identifiable information is recorded. Responses are aggregated in combination with other participants and individual details will not be included in the final report.

For more information about the Airport Master Plan and Economic Impact Study, please contact:

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Quarterly Tenant meeting – Feb 19
- 2nd Annual Aerospace Expo – April 11
- 5th Annual Planes and Treats - October

CITY COUNCIL

Recent City Council Actions:

- Approved First Amendment to Master Agreement with Mead & Hunt, Inc., to increase compensation by \$500,000 from various current and future grant projects and operating accounts on an as needed basis for not-to-exceed \$1,000,000 for consulting, administrative services, and anticipated challenges associated with Airport Capital Improvement Projects - Riverside Municipal Airport - 6951 Flight Road
- Adopted a Resolution approving the name change of the Riverside Municipal Airport (KRAL) to the Riverside Airport (KRAL)



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Upcoming City Council Actions:

- Long-term 5-year agreement CAVU
- Long term 5-year agreement Commemorative Air Force
- Long-term 10-year agreement Waypoint Aviation

RECOMMENDATION

- That the Airport Commission receive this February 2026 Report.