

SOUTHWEST FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL

RSW



Airport: Southwest Florida International Airport (RSW)

City: Fort Myers, Florida

County: Lee

Sponsor: Lee County Port Authority

Role: Primary Commercial Service (Medium Hub)

CFASPP Region: Southwest (cfaspp.com)

FDOT District: 1

Website: SW Florida Intl.

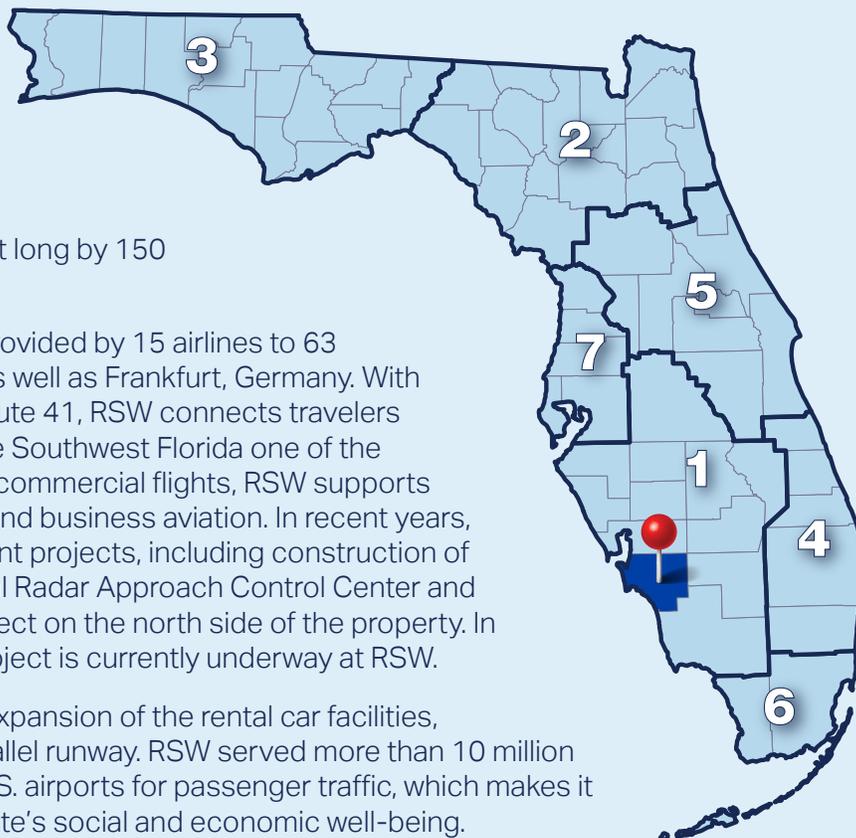


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Southwest Florida International Airport (RSW) provides award-winning commercial air service and is located approximately 10 miles southeast of downtown Fort Myers, halfway between Miami and Tampa. The airport offers one paved runway (Runway 6-24) that is 12,000 feet long by 150 feet wide.

Scheduled commercial passenger service is provided by 15 airlines to 63 nonstop destinations in the U.S. and Canada, as well as Frankfurt, Germany. With convenient access to Interstate 75 and U.S. Route 41, RSW connects travelers with the many attractions and events that make Southwest Florida one of the top travel destinations in the U.S. In addition to commercial flights, RSW supports general aviation activities including corporate and business aviation. In recent years, RSW has undertaken several major improvement projects, including construction of a new Airport Traffic Control Tower and Terminal Radar Approach Control Center and a Roadway Rehabilitation and Realignment project on the north side of the property. In addition, a \$331-million Terminal Expansion Project is currently underway at RSW.

Future infrastructure projects at RSW include expansion of the rental car facilities, additional automobile parking, and a future parallel runway. RSW served more than 10 million passengers in 2023 and is one of the top 50 U.S. airports for passenger traffic, which makes it an important contributor to the region and state's social and economic well-being.



ECONOMIC IMPACT



\$8.3B
ECONOMIC IMPACT (OUTPUT)



\$4.5B
VALUE ADDED



\$2.7B
PAYROLL



60,485
JOBS



Source: Florida Aviation Economic Impact Study.

GENERAL AVIATION ROLES



CORPORATE



TOURISM



BUSINESS /
RECREATIONAL

COMMERCIAL AVIATION ROLES



AIR CARGO



TOURISM



BUSINESS



INTERNATIONAL

Source: FASP 2043 Update.

For more information on airport roles, please refer to the FAA's National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems (NPIAS).



ACTIVITY FORECASTS

OPERATIONS

120,258

2043

87,685

2023

ENPLANEMENTS

8,377,844

2043

5,062,232

2023



Source: FASP 2043 Update.

AIRPORT CHARACTERISTICS

1 Nonstop Flights to 63 Destinations in U.S., Canada & Germany

2 Total Annual Economic Impact of \$8.3 Billion

3 Supports Emergency Response Efforts in the Region

RUNWAY INFORMATION (1)

Runway 6-24: 12,000' x 150'



Overview of the FASP 2043 Update:

Per Florida statute, the Florida Aviation System Plan (FASP) is periodically updated to summarize the airport and aviation needs in Florida while remaining consistent with the goals of the Florida Transportation Plan (FTP). The FASP 2043 Update focuses on reviewing the applicability of the various goals, objectives, and performance measures to support two primary goals: 1) provide for more efficiency in decision making within FDOT to support funding and development decisions, and 2) provide airports within the system with recommendations for development that support their individual missions while contributing to the overall strength and health of the Florida airport system.

