

Austin Executive Airport Announces New Air Traffic Control Tower

Austin, TX -- (March 2, 2018) – Austin Executive Airport (AEA) today announced the opening of a new air traffic control tower.

Andrew D. Perry, Executive Director, said "The Austin Executive Airport is located in one of the fastest growing regions of the country and has experienced tremendous growth over the last several years. As the number of high-speed jet aircraft in the Austin Metropolitan area continues to increase, our new air traffic control tower will enhance the level of service and safety." The new control tower will be open from 6 AM to 10 PM, 365 days a year. The local control frequency is 120.3 and the ground frequency is 119.45.

Located on the east side of Austin along the new SH130 toll road, Austin Executive Airport is a private commercial development established by Ron W. Henriksen, a Houston businessman and pilot with over forty years in the aviation industry. "Use of the Austin Executive Airport has outpaced our expectations, and I've decided to add an air traffic control tower for our customers" said Henriksen. "This new control tower will provide controlled airspace around the airport and enhance safety for our flying customers.

Jodie Kaluza, Airport Manager, says the airport boasts a 6,025' runway able to accommodate aircraft as large as a Boeing Business Jet, Henriksen Jet Center, full service 24/7 FBO, and 15,500-square-foot overhead arrival canopy. Other airfield amenities include over 6 acres of concrete ramp, aircraft cleaning, maintenance, avionics, and aircraft management.

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