6A4 Johnson County Airport

Aviation Moves Tennessee

Tennessee's aviation system has 76 public-use airports that support a wide range of activities, from commercial airline travel to private aircraft operations. Aviation contributes approximately 9% of Tennessee's gross domestic product (GDP) and generates an estimated $53.8 billion in total economic impact across the state. To better understand how these airports support Tennessee's economy, the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) Aeronautics Division conducted an updated Aviation Economic Impact Study.

Total Aviation Impact

$53.8B

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About Johnson County Airport

Serving Johnson County and surrounding communities in northeast Tennessee, Johnson County Airport (6A4) provides general aviation access within a largely rural area characterized by open land, small communities, and outdoor recreation activity. The airport functions as a local aviation facility that accommodates recreational flying, specialty aviation operations, and general aviation access for the region.

Johnson County Airport is a publicly owned, public-use general aviation facility featuring a 3,000-foot runway. The runway length supports light general aviation aircraft and specialized flight operations, making the airport well suited for recreational aviation, localized air activity, and regional accessibility.

Several aviation-related businesses operate directly on-airport. Skydive Mountain City maintains an on-airport presence, conducting parachuting and recreational aviation operations that generate unique flight activity at the airport. In addition, Doe Mountain Aviation Services, LLC operates as the airport's fixed-base operator (FBO), providing services for based and visiting aircraft.

To better understand the geographic reach of Johnson County Airport, the map below shows a selection of flights that operated both into and out of the airport.

Airport Economic Impacts

Business Revenue
$1.7M

On Airport Impacts
$1.4M

Visitor Spending Impacts
$323K

Jobs
12

Payroll
$716K

Value Added
$1.0M

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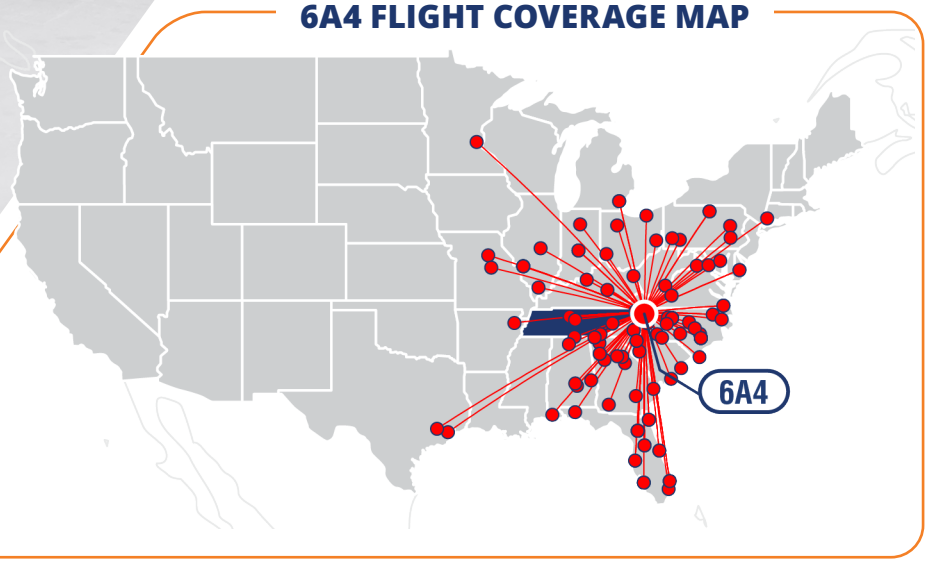
6A4 FLIGHT COVERAGE MAP