ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, FAA invites public comments about our intention to request the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for to renew an information collection. The Federal Register Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on the following collection of information was published on September 19, 2018. The commercial air tour operational data provided to the FAA and the National Park Service will be used by the agencies as background information useful in the development of air tour management plans and voluntary agreements for purposes of meeting the mandate of the National Parks Air Tour Management Act (NPATMA) of 2000.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted by January 4, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the proposed information collection to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget. Comments should be addressed to the attention of the Desk Officer, Department of Transportation/FAA, and sent via electronic mail to oira_submission@omb.eop.gov, or faxed to (202) 395–6974, or mailed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Docket Library, Room 10102, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Barbara Hall, FAA Information Collection Clearance Officer, IT Enterprises Business Services Division, ASP–110. Telephone: (847) 294–7527/Fax: (847) 294–7046 and City of Prairie Du Chien, 37735 US Highway 18, Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821, Telephone: (608) 326–2118.

Written comments on the Sponsor’s request must be delivered or mailed to: Richard Pur, Program Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, Chicago Airports District Office, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, IL 60018, Telephone: (847) 294–7527/Fax: (847) 294–7046.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Richard Pur, Program Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, Chicago Airports District Office, 2300 East Devon, Ste. 320, Des Plaines, IL 60018, Telephone: (847) 294–7527/Fax: (847) 294–7046.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Public Comments Invited: You are asked to comment on any aspect of this information collection, including (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for FAA’s performance; (b) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (c) ways for FAA to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (d) ways that the burden could be minimized without reducing the quality of the collected information. The agency will summarize and/or include your comments in the request for OMB’s clearance of this information collection. OMB Control Number: 2120–0750.

Title: Commercial Air Tour Operator Reports.

Form Numbers: There are no FAA forms associated with this collection of information.

Type of Review: Renewal of an information collection.

Background: The Federal Register Notice with a 60-day comment period soliciting comments on the following collection of information was published on September 19, 2018 (83 FR 47395). One comment was received. The FAA Modernization and Reform Act of 2012 included amendments to the National Parks Air Tour Management Act (NPATMA) of 2000. One of these amendments required commercial air tour operators conducting tours over national park units to report on the number of operations they conduct and any such other information prescribed by the FAA Administrator and the Director of the National Park Service (NPS).

Respondents: Approximately 75 air tour operators.

Frequency: Information is collected quarterly, or annually for park units with 50 or fewer tours per year. Estimated Average Burden per Response: 15 hours. Estimated Total Annual Burden: 2,540 hours.

Issued in Washington, DC on November 29, 2018.

Barbara Hall, FAA Information Collection Clearance Officer, IT Enterprises Business Services Division, ASP–110.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Intent of Waiver With Respect to Land; Prairie Du Chien Municipal Airport, Prairie Du Chien, WI

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The FAA is considering a proposal to change 0.38 acres of Clear Zone Easement contained in Parcel 17 to Avigation Easement in exchange for converting 1.23 acres of Avigation Easement contained in Parcel 20 to Clear Zone Easement. Both Parcel 17 and Parcel 20 share a common boundary and are owned by Crossing Rivers Health Center located at Prairie du Chien Municipal Airport, Prairie du Chien, WI. The proposed release of 0.38 acres of Clear Zone Easement to Avigation Easement is required to build an Access Road to the Crossing Rivers Health Center and install a sign for the hospital. The conversion from Clear Zone Easement to Avigation Easement will not result in any impact to surfaces protected by Part 77 or airport design surfaces. The Clear Zone Easement was originally purchased to enable the Airport to ensure airport compatible development. The proposed future use of 0.38 acres of the land as an access road will prevent any incompatible development of the surrounding area in the RPZ.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before January 4, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Documents are available for review by appointment at the FAA Chicago Airports District Office, Richard Pur, Chicago Airports District Office, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, IL 60018, Telephone: (847) 294–7527/Fax: (847) 294–7046 and City of Prairie Du Chien, 37735 US Highway 18, Prairie Du Chien, WI 53821, Telephone: (608) 326–2118.

Written comments on the Sponsor’s request must be delivered or mailed to: Richard Pur, Program Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, Chicago Airports District Office, 2300 East Devon, Ste. 320, Des Plaines, IL 60018, Telephone: (847) 294–7527/Fax: (847) 294–7046.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Richard Pur, Program Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, Chicago Airports District Office, 2300 East Devon, Ste. 320 Des Plaines, IL 60018, Telephone: (847) 294–7527/Fax: (847) 294–7046.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with section 47107(h) of Title 49, United States Code, this notice is required to be published in the Federal Register 30 days before modifying the land-use assurance that requires the property to be used for an aeronautical purpose.

The Clear Zone Easement (within Parcel 17) is owned by the City of Prairie du Chien. The easement was originally purchased to ensure airport compatible development.

Based on current Fair Market Value of Clear Zone Easement and Avigation Easement being released and acquired in exchange, the net gain to the airport in value of easements is $11,249.00.

This notice announces that the FAA is considering the release of the subject airport property at the Prairie du Chien Municipal Airport, Prairie du Chien, WI from federal easement covenants, subject to a reservation for continuing right of flight as well as restrictions on the released property as required in FAA Order 5190.6B section 22.16.
Approval does not constitute a commitment by the FAA to financially assist in the disposal of the subject airport property nor a determination of eligibility for grant-in-aid funding from the FAA.

Easement Parcel 1, Part of Airport Parcel 17 (Legal Description) Avigation Easement Converted From Clear Zone Easement per Proposed Release

Avigation Easement located in Farmlot 43, of the Private Land Claims at Prairie du Chien, City of Prairie du Chien, Crawford County, Wisconsin. Also being part of Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237, Document Number 207064 recorded in the Crawford County Register of Deeds Office, described as follows:

Commencing at the Northeast Corner of Farmlot 43, of the Private Land Claims at Prairie du Chien; thence S79°36'51" W, 688.32 feet along the north line of Farmlot 43; thence S10°23'09" E, 1370.77 feet to a found ¾" iron re-bar at the Northeast Corner of Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237, Document Number 207064 recorded in the Crawford County Register of Deeds Office; thence N69°09'31" W, 242.02 feet along the north line of said Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237 to a set ¾" iron rebar, said point being the Point of Beginning of this Avigation Easement; thence S27°44'00" W, 87.40 feet to a set ¾" iron rebar to the beginning of a curve; Thence Southwesterly, 42.36 Feet along the arc of the curve to the left, radius of 167.00 Feet, central angle of 14°31'58", (the long chord of which bears S20°28'01" W, 42.25 Feet) to the end of said curve and a set ¾" iron rebar; thence S13°12'02" W, 136.02 to the southerly line of said Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237 to a set ¾" iron rebar; thence N47°16'51" W, 75.84 feet along the south line of said Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237 to a set ¾" iron rebar; thence N13°12'02" E, 98.65 feet to a set ¾" iron rebar to the beginning of a curve; Thence Northeasterly, 59.10 Feet along the arc of a curve to the right, radius of 233.00 Feet, central angle of 14°31'58", (the long chord of which bears N20°28'01" E, 58.94 Feet) to the end of said curve and a ¾" iron rebar; thence N27°44'00" E, 79.00 feet to the north line of said Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237 to a set ¾" iron rebar; thence S6°31'00" E, 66.53 feet along the north line of said Lot 1, Crawford County Certified Survey Map Number 237 to the Point of Beginning.

Containing 0.38 acres more or less.

Issued in Des Plaines, IL on November, 28, 2018.

Deb Bartell,
Manager, Chicago Airports District Office, FAA, Great Lakes Region.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Federal Aviation Administration

Noise Exposure Map Notice; Receipt of Noise Compatibility Program and Request for Review; Westover Airport; Chicopee and Ludlow, Massachusetts

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) announces its determination that the noise exposure map for Westover Airport is in compliance with applicable requirements. The FAA also announces that it is reviewing a proposed noise compatibility program that was submitted for Westover Airport in conjunction with the noise exposure map, and that this program will be approved or disapproved on or before May 6, 2019.

DATES: The effective date of the FAA’s determination on the noise exposure map and of the start of its review of the associated noise compatibility program is November 7, 2018. The public comment period ends on January 7, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Richard Doucette, Federal Aviation Administration, Airports Division, 1200 District Ave., Burlington MA 01803. Comments on the proposed noise compatibility program should also be submitted to the above office.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice announces that the FAA finds that the noise exposure map submitted for Westover Airport, as submitted by the Westover Metropolitan Development Corporation under the provisions of Title I of the Aviation Safety and Noise Abatement Act of 1979 (Pub. L. 96–193) and 14 CFR part 150, is in compliance with applicable requirements of Part 150, effective November 7, 2018. It was requested that the FAA review this material as the noise exposure map, as described in Section 103(a)(1) of the Act, and that the noise mitigation measures, to be implemented jointly by the airport and surrounding communities, be approved as a noise compatibility program under Section 104(b) of the Act.

The FAA has completed its review of the noise exposure maps and related descriptions submitted by Westover Metropolitan Development Corporation. The specific maps under consideration were:

“Existing (2018) Conditions Noise Exposure Map, NEM–1”
“Future (2023) Conditions Noise Exposure Map, NEM–2”

The FAA has determined that the maps for Westover Airport are in compliance with applicable requirements. This determination is effective on November 7, 2018. FAA’s determination on an airport operator’s noise exposure maps is limited to a finding that the maps were developed in accordance with the procedures contained in Appendix A of FAR Part 150. Such determination does not constitute approval of the applicant’s data, information or plans, or a commitment to approve a noise compatibility program or to fund the implementation of that program. If questions arise concerning the precise relationship of specific properties to noise exposure contours depicted on a noise exposure map submitted under Section 103 of the Act, it should be noted that the FAA is not involved in any way in determining the relative locations of the specific properties with regard to the depicted noise contours, or in interpreting the noise exposure map.