

LEWISTON-NEZ PERCE COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT TARMAC CONTINGENCY PLAN

The Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport (LWS) has prepared this Tarmac Contingency Plan pursuant to §42301 of the FAA Modernization and Reform Act of 2012. Questions regarding this plan can be directed to Michael Isaacs, Airport Director at misaacs@golws.com. Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport is filing this plan with the Department of Transportation because (1) it is a commercial airport or (2) this airport may be used by an air carrier described in USC 42301(a)(1) for diversions.

This plan describes how, to the extent practicable, the Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport will:

- Provide for the deplanement of passengers,
- Provide for the sharing of facilities and make gates available at the airport and,
- Provide a sterile area following excessive tarmac delays for passengers who have not yet cleared United States Customs & Border Protection (CBP).

Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport has facility constraints that limit our ability to accommodate diverted flights and encourages aircraft operators to contact the airport at (208) 746-4471 for prior coordination of diverted flights, except in the case of a declared in-flight emergency. Specific facility constraints include the following:

1. Lack of international passenger processing facilities
2. Limited numbers of aircraft parking positions
3. Inability to accommodate, park, or service certain types of aircraft,
4. Limited Sterile Area Concessions

Airport Information

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Airport Category: Large Hub Medium Hub Small Hub Non Hub

Contact Information

In the event of diversion or other irregular operations events during off-duty hours, weekends, or holidays, aircraft operators should contact LWS On-Call phone number(208) 790-1050

Plan to Provide for the Deplanement of Passengers Following Excessive Tarmac Delays

The Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport has limited facilities, equipment and personnel needed to safely deplane passengers from air carrier aircraft. LWS will utilize this equipment to deplane passengers as soon as practicable after receiving requests from such airlines at the contact number listed above. LWS will also provide a list of airlines, ground handlers, fixed base operators and others who may have the necessary equipment and personnel to safely deplane passengers to airlines as soon as practicable after receiving requests from airlines experiencing excessive tarmac delays.

LWS will coordinate with local CBP and law enforcement officials to identify suitable areas and procedures for establishing a temporary sterile area into which international passengers on diverted aircraft.

Plan to Provide for the Sharing of Facilities and Make Gates Available in an Emergency

The gates at the Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport are under common use leases to air carriers and are controlled by the airport. We will work with our common use tenant air carriers to make gates and other facilities available to an air carrier seeking to deplane at a gate to the extent practicable.

Public Access to the Emergency Contingency Plan

The Lewiston-Nez Perce County Airport will provide public access to its emergency contingency plan by posting the plan on LWS website www.flylws.com



Michael Isaacs
Airport Director

8-1-2022

Date