

# PDX 2045 Master Plan

## **Project Overview**



#### Renew or Replace

Invest in existing facilities to prolong useful life or develop new flexible facilities that consolidate functions.



### **Landside Capacity**

Explore multi-modal options to manage vehicular traffic and relieve congested roadway systems.



#### **Aircraft Gates**

Determine the appropriate number of international and domestic gates needed to accommodate future demand.



#### **Customer Experience**

Maintain the "best-in-class" reputation of PDX. Enhance services and offerings for customers.



#### Passenger and Baggage Facilities

Assess level of service and optimize terminal capacity.



#### **Airfield Optimization**

Identify and plan for the appropriate runway and taxiway facilities.



#### **Federal Facilities**

Expand international facilities to accommodate anticipated demand and improve the passenger experience.



### **Support Functions**

Identify opportunities for colocating critical functions and provide facilities for safe and efficient operations.



## **FAA Definition**

A comprehensive study of an airport that defines and describes the short-, medium-, and long-term development plans to meet future aviation demand."

## Master Plan Goal

Provide the framework needed to guide future airport development that will cost-effectively satisfy aviation demand, while considering environmental and socioeconomic impacts."

# PDX 2045 Process

Multi-Year Project Concluding in 2026





# PDX's Social and Economic Impact

We're an economic engine for our region, creating opportunity

for everyone who lives and works here

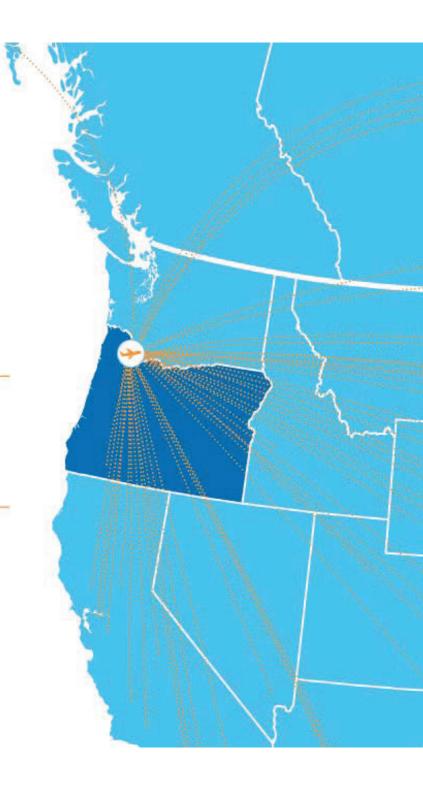
Supports over

15,000 jobs

Contributes nearly

\$3B per year to the local economy





# We are PDX

Friendly. Knowledgeable. Respectful.









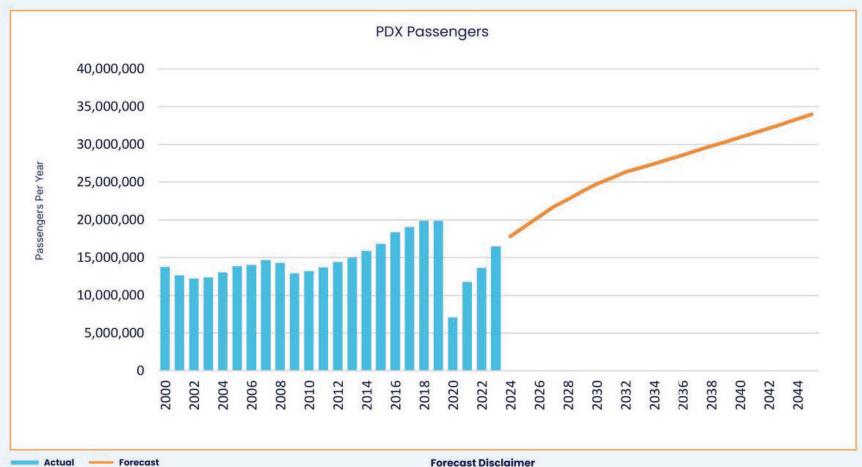


# **500+** Types of Jobs at PDX

- Aircraft Mechanic
- Restaurant Manager
- Firefighter
- Police Officer
- Development Manager
- Bus Driver
- Gate Agent
- Baggage System Tech
- Air Traffic Controller
- Electrician

# **Aviation Demand Forecasts**

## PDX Passengers

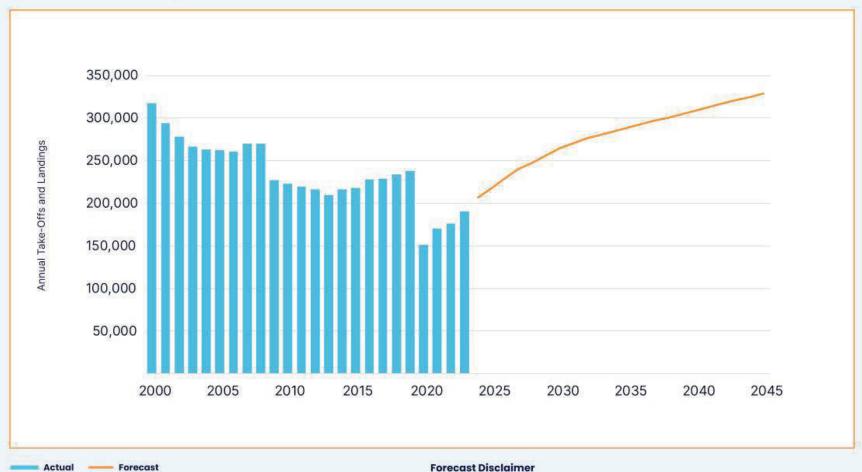




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# **Aviation Demand Forecasts**

## Take-Offs and Landings



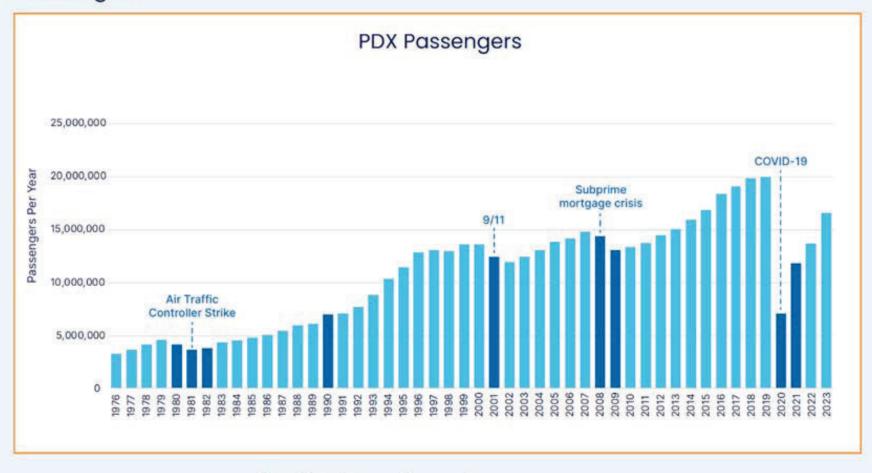


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# **Historical Perspective**

## **PDX Passengers**





Years with Periods of Economic Recession



# **Historical Perspective**

## U.S. Passengers



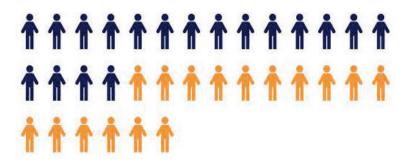


Years with Periods of Economic Recession

# **Activity Comparisons**

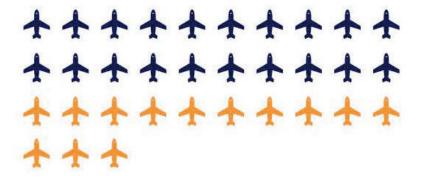
Passenger and cargo activity at PDX are expected to reach and exceed historic highs by 2045. However, the airport is not expected to reach its previous high of aircraft operations until 2045, mainly due to commercial airline fleet transitioning to larger aircraft with the capability to carry more passengers on fewer flights.

2024: ~18 million annual passengers | 2045 forecast: ~34 million



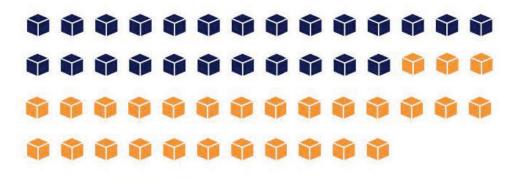
Historic high: ~20 million in 2019

2024: ~200,000 takeoffs and landings | 2045 forecast: ~330,000



Historic high: ~330,000 in 1997

2024: ~250,000 metric tons of cargo processed | 2045 forecast: ~530,000



Historic high: ~370,000 in 1997









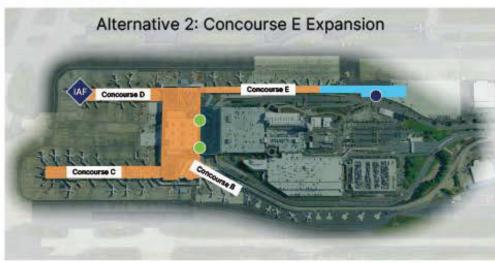
Alternative 1: Keep the Crosswind Runway, which would likely be used infrequently. According to Federal Aviation Administration data, the Crosswind Runway was used for less than 1% of flights at PDX from 2012 through 2023.

Alternative 2: Close the Crosswind Runway, which would eliminate the need and cost to maintain runway pavement that is infrequently used and would create additional space for other uses, including passenger terminal expansion.

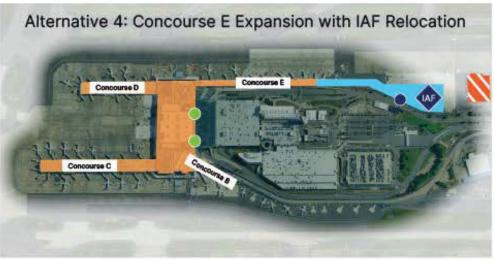


# Passenger Terminal Alternatives









Each alternative would provide the required 8-10 additional gates.







Parking needs may not increase at the same rate as passengers due to factors beyond the Airport's control - such as changes in services provided by Rideshare app companies (Uber, Lyft, etc.) or transit services and the number of travelers using these services to get to/from PDX.

25-50%

Additional parking spaces needed by 2045 to accommodate twice as many passengers.



## **Parking Alternatives** NE Marine Dr. Potential Parking Garage in the Red and/or Blue Economy Lot **Potential Parking** Lot or Garage **Terminal NE Airport Way** NE Cascade Pkwy. **Potential Parking** Garage **Potential Parking** Lot or Garage **Example Regional Locations** NE Alderwood Rd. **Potential Parking** Lot or Garage **Potential Parking** Garage KEY Existing parking lot/garage Example remote park and ride facilities at regional locations with access to PDX via express bus or MAX 26 Access roadway MAX light rail Red Line

# Passenger Pick-Up and Drop-Off

We expect passengers to **nearly double** by 2045, requiring **additional pick-up or drop-off curb** and/or **strategies to reduce the number of vehicles** on the roadway in front of the terminal.



Existing curb ~1,500 feet Additional curb needed ~500 feet





### Passenger Pick-Up and Drop-Off Strategies Remote Pick-Up and Drop-Off in NE Marine Dr. the Red and/or Blue Economy Lot Rideshare App Pick-Up **Short-Term Garage** and Drop-Off in the Level 4 Transportation Plaza Reduce Pedestrian Crossing Terminal 20 **NE Airport Way** Eastern Curb Valet Parking Service Relocation **NE Cascade Pkwy** Rental Car Center Curb Two-Hour Parking in Short-Term Garage Existing parking lot/garage NE Alderwood Rd. Potential location for additional passenger pick-up and drop-off curb



#### Create Additional Curb

Short-Term Garage Level 4 = 400 feet

Eastern curb = 150 feet

Valet parking service = 100 feet

Rental Car Center curb = 100 feet

- 2 Reduce the Number of Vehicles on the Roadway in Front of the Terminal
- · Remote pick-up and drop-off in the Red and/or Blue Economy Lot
- . Two-hour parking in the Short-Term Garage
- · Reduce pedestrian crossing of terminal roadways
- Rideshare App pick-up and drop-off in the Transportation Plaza





Cargo: By 2045, the amount of cargo moving through PDX will nearly double. The area needed for cargo activities will increase from approximately 60 acres today to 100 acres by 2045.

General Aviation: An additional 10 acres of general aviation aircraft parking could be needed by 2045. The Port is also reserving land for potential additional general aviation providers to comply with FAA regulations.

Support Facilities: Other facilities that may need additional area or need to be relocated include public safety, airport maintenance, airline support, aircraft maintenance, flight kitchen, and wildlife management.



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