

**MANAKOTAK AIRPORT  
MANAKOTAK, ALASKA  
EMERGENCY CONTINGENCY PLAN**

The Manakotak Airport has prepared this Emergency Contingency Plan pursuant to §42301 of the FAA Modernization and Reform Act of 2012. Questions regarding this plan can be directed to Joshua Briggs at [joshua.briggs@alaska.gov](mailto:joshua.briggs@alaska.gov). Manakotak Airport is filing this plan with the Department of Transportation because it is a commercial airport.

This plan describes how, following excessive tarmac delays and to the extent practicable, Manakotak Airport will:

- Provide for the de-planement 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).

The Manakotak Airport is located in Manakotak, Alaska, a remote community with a population of 442 (2010 census) that is not connected to any road system. The Manakotak community has no resources. This airport has a single gravel runway and does not typically serve large air carrier aircraft. There is no central terminal building, no FBO, nor any CBP personnel or facilities. The only on site airport staff are those contracted for maintenance/snow removal. There are no sterile areas or concessions/ amenities. This non part-139 airport has limited hours of attendance/snow removal and has no ARFF equipment or staff. Given the lack of existing equipment, facilities, gates and jet bridges, it is highly unlikely that a diverted aircraft would be able to de-plane passengers at this airport, except in the event of an emergency.

Manakotak Airport strongly encourages aircraft operators to contact the airport at (907) 842-5511 for prior coordination of all unscheduled flights. Please note that the airport manager is located in Dillingham, Alaska, approximately 20 air miles from Manakotak.

### **Airport Information**

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Airport Category: Non Hub

### **Contact Information**

In the event of diversion or other irregular operations events, aircraft operators should contact airport staff at (907) 842-5511 for assistance.

## **Plan to Provide for the De-planement of Passengers Following Excessive Tarmac Delays**

Manakotak Airport does not own or operate any of the equipment needed to safely de-plane passengers from air carrier aircraft and is, therefore, unable on its own to provide for the deplanement of passengers. The only on site airport staff are those contracted for maintenance/snow removal. There are no sterile areas or concessions/ amenities. We will 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 such airlines experiencing excessive tarmac delays at the contact number listed above.

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

Manakotak Airport does not have a passenger facility. We may be able to provide assistance after receiving requests from airlines experiencing excessive tarmac delays at the contact number listed above.

## **Plan to Provide a Sterile Area for Passengers Who Have Not Cleared United States Customs and Border Protection**

Manakotak Airport does not have any passenger facilities. Manakotak does not have international passenger processing facilities. We 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 who have not yet cleared United States Customs and Border Protection can be deplaned. Once these efforts are complete, we will coordinate with local CBP officials to develop procedures that will allow international passengers who have not yet cleared United States Customs and Border Protection to be deplaned into these sterile areas to the extent practicable.

## **Public Access to the Emergency Contingency Plan**

The Manakotak Airport will provide public access to its emergency contingency plan by posting in a conspicuous location on the Statewide Aviation website <http://www.dot.state.ak.us/stwdav/>.