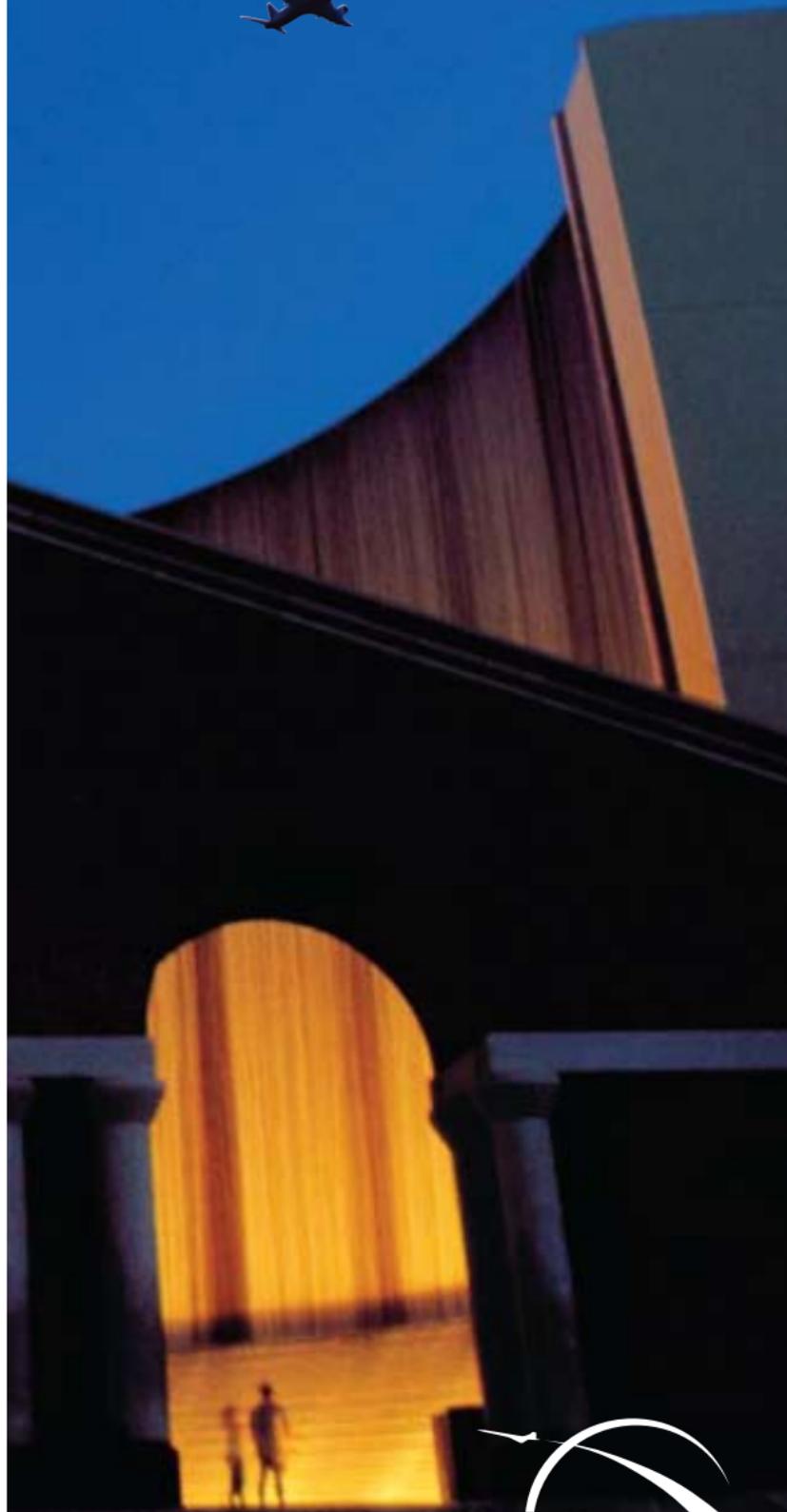


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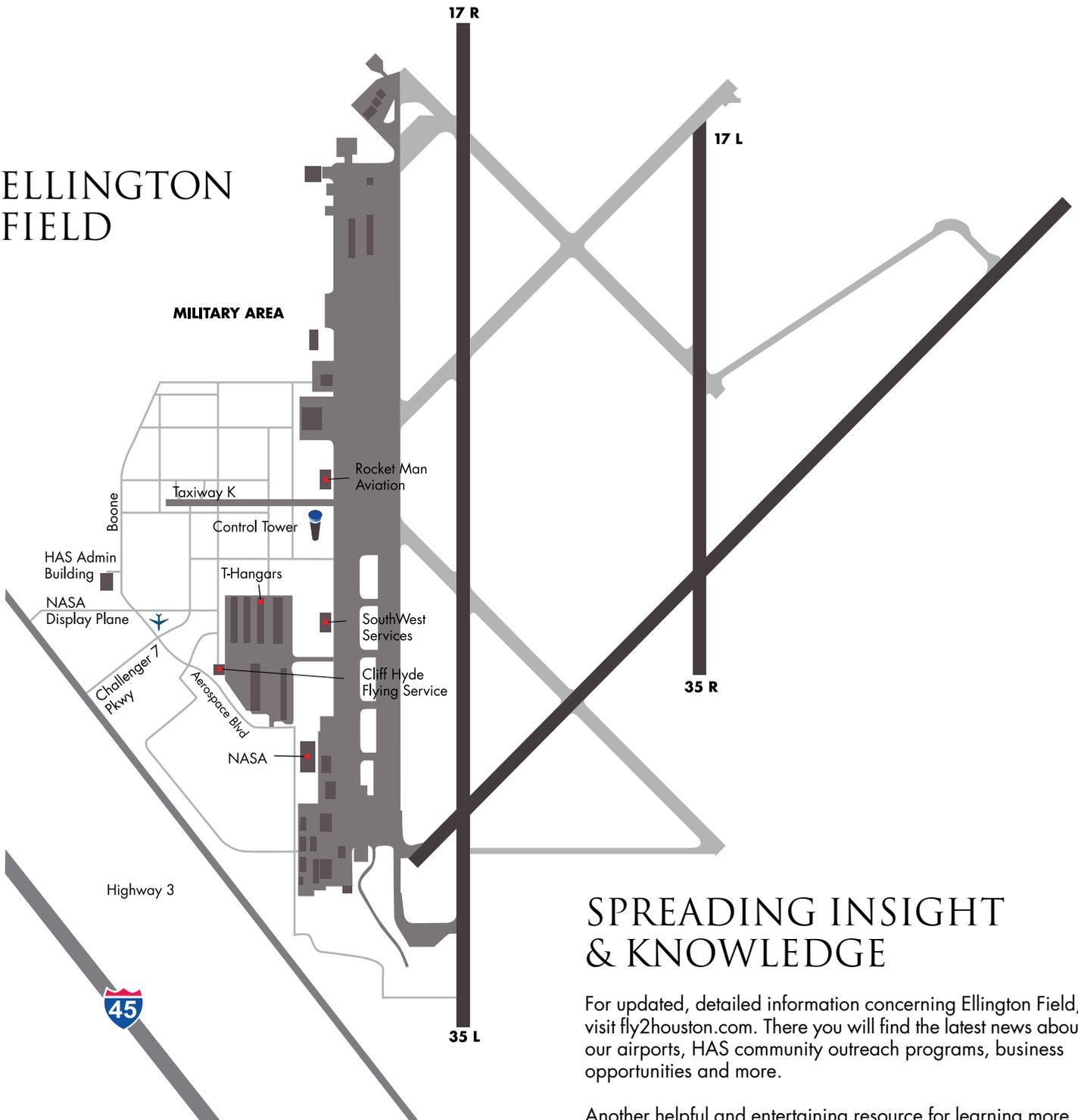
ELLINGTON FIELD



**WELCOME** to Ellington Field, a flourishing airport with a proud history and a bright future.

Ellington Field is a joint use civil/military airport that serves as the gateway to Houston's Bay Area. It enables the general aviation community to enjoy leading-edge facilities and is conveniently located close to the Clear Lake, Galveston, Pasadena and South Houston areas.

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## SPREADING INSIGHT & KNOWLEDGE

For updated, detailed information concerning Ellington Field, visit [fly2houston.com](http://fly2houston.com). There you will find the latest news about our airports, HAS community outreach programs, business opportunities and more.

Another helpful and entertaining resource for learning more about HAS is our television show, *Houston Airports Today*. Viewers of the program will enjoy timely coverage of all the latest airport news. Our show airs on "The Tube" Channel 55, Saturdays at 9 a.m.

# EVOLVING FROM MILITARY BASE TO CIVIL AVIATION HUB

Ellington Field is Houston's oldest airport. It was commissioned in 1917 as an Army Air Corps base and was one of the first military air training fields in the United States. Over the years, Ellington Field has hosted nearly every plane in the Air Force inventory.



The airport was acquired by the Houston Airport System in 1984 and currently serves as a joint use civil/military airport. The aviation professionals of Ellington Field strive to offer innovative, efficient services to a full spectrum of civil and military entities. Currently, the airport supports a wide variety of clientele:

- Acts as an Air National Guard base (key component of nation's coastal defense system)
- Serves the U.S. military, NASA, U.S. Coast Guard & general aviation
- Home to The Commemorative Air Force
- Host site of annual Wings Over Houston Airshow
- Houston base of operations for Air Force One
- Base for a growing number of high-tech enterprises
- Hub for aerospace-related businesses serving NASA

Ellington Field is operated by Houston Airport System (HAS), which functions as an enterprise fund, and does not draw from the local tax base for airport operations, maintenance or capital improvements.

## DELIVERING CONVENIENCE

The ongoing focus of Ellington Field is to provide a superior level of aviation efficiency by maintaining advanced facilities and services. Our location and light volume of commercial traffic allow us to offer private and corporate pilots added convenience.

Some of our key features include:

- 24-hour air traffic control tower
- Three active runways with capabilities for all weather operations
- Extensive runway/taxiway system
- Expedited departure/arrival procedures and clearance access
- Two fixed base operators and other general aviation activities
- Hangar rentals, maintenance, charters and other services available
- Close to Houston's Bay Area and the Johnson Space Center

## CULTIVATING DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Rarely is an established airport, such as Ellington Field, able to offer additional real estate for development. Fortunately, for those businesses seeking growth and a premium location, Ellington Field has land available for high-tech and aviation development. It is a valuable opportunity to take advantage of Bay Area Houston's advanced technology enterprises and the convenience of an advanced airfield.

## WELCOMING GENERAL AVIATION

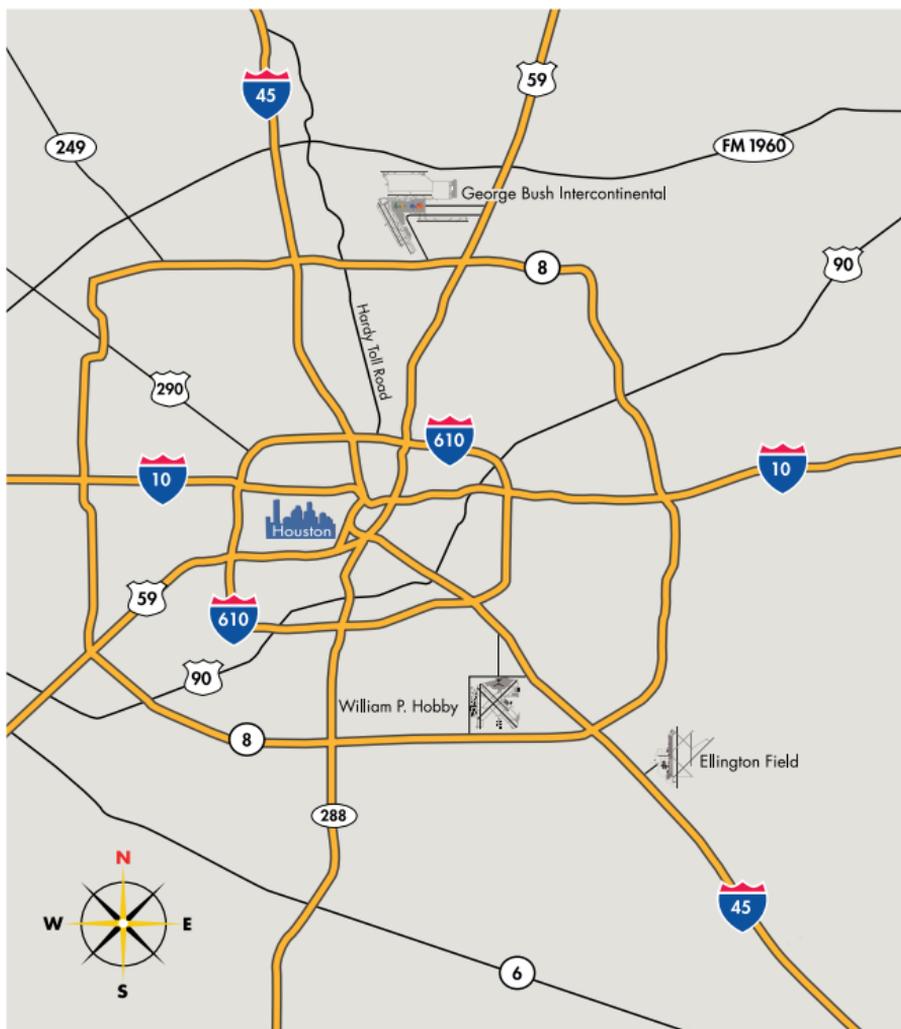
Ellington Field proudly provides general aviation visitors a top-flight facility and an experienced team of professionals. Premium aircraft sites, from T-hangars to complete corporate aviation facilities, are available for lease. The airport does not charge landing fees for general aviation, corporate or military flights.

Our fixed base operators (FBO) offer responsive service to airport customers and will arrange nearly any service requirement, including mechanical repair, entertainment and lodging. As part of Ellington's continuing growth, a new private terminal building caters to general aviation needs. In addition, two flight schools offer flight instruction. Further enhancing the appeal of the airport are the rich leisure and entertainment options nearby. Golf, sailing, theatre, and nearly endless dining options abound.

# GETTING TO ELLINGTON FIELD

Exit signs posted on Interstate 45 South provide directions to the airport.

Visually or hearing impaired individuals may request additional information by calling 713-847-4200 or our TDD number, 281-484-4973.



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