



DESCRIPTION OF JET CHICO

JetChico is a non-profit private-public collaboration with the goal of returning reliable, convenient, and efficient commercial jet service to the Chico Municipal Airport. As you probably know, the Chico Airport was given to the City by the Army Air Corps in 1946 and has been in continuous operation since that time. Before then, the airport was used as a fighter pilot training base by the military during WW-II. There have been several commercial airlines that come and gone over the years, the last one being United Express operated by SkyWest with service to SFO. JetChico was founded by a group of active local citizens shortly after we lost our last commercial service several years ago. Our Website is <http://jet-chico.org/>, freely open to all with comments or questions kindly accepted. Since initiating this activity, we have worked with the City of Chico, the previous and current Airport Manager, the previous Interim Airport Manager, and several local businesses toward our objective. In that time, we have:

1. Worked with the previous Airport Manager to acquire a Local Catchment Study and an Economic Impact Study. Copies of these are available on this site.
2. Completed a conceptual study of an appropriate Airport Terminal as well as, an Interim Airport Terminal until such time as a Terminal Upgrade makes sense. Conceptual Renderings are on this Website.
3. Developed Drafts of Documents (Copies Available on this Website ([Link?](#))) for an Airline Incentive Package that may be used by the City to attract a potential air carrier including:
 - a. Revenue Guarantee Fund
 - b. Air Travel Bank
 - c. Airport Fee Waiver Structure
 - d. Airline Marketing Plan – Worked with the City and the Interim Airport Manager to compete a competition resulting from an RFP for Marketing Support and Evaluate proposal responses. Selection of a successful contractor will be announced by the City in the future.
4. Created and maintain a Website to inform the public on our progress and as a means to communicate related news and activities.

Membership is strictly voluntary as anyone interested in supporting the community's effort to regain commercial air service is welcome.

- To be added to our mailing list, simply go to [???????????](#) and fill in the form.
- To contact us, follow the link to contact us on the home page.

Thank you for visiting our site and here's hoping we are successful soon!