

**NEWS & UPDATES** 

April 2023

## **Aviation Careers Open House April 29**



Learn about the many career opportunities available in aviation at Granite School District's annual Aviation Careers Open House. Employees from about 40 aviation businesses, from airlines to flight schools, will be available to provide information and answer questions about pathways to work in the industry. In addition, a variety of aircraft will be on display. The event takes place Saturday, April 29 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Delta Air Lines hangar, 3842 West 1200 North, and is free and open to the public.

## 16R/34L Runway Closure at SLC Airport

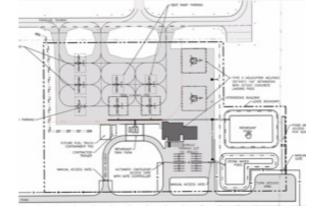
Beginning April 29, runway 16R/34L at Salt Lake City International Airport will be closed for annual spring maintenance. As a result, runway 17-35 will likely have additional traffic until the maintenance is completed on May 1. Please plan for possible delays.

#### **Bureau of Land Management Operating Base Construction**

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and the Salt Lake City Department of Airports will start construction in May on a new BLM operating base at Tooele Valley Airport. The new facility will replace the trailers BLM

currently operates out of and will include ramp parking for fixed wing aircraft and helicopters.

In addition, utilities and the airport road will be extended to the future operating base site. The new BLM base is scheduled to open July 24, 2024.



### **Skydive Utah Now Open for 2023 Season**



A PAC750XI aircraft used by Skydive Utah

Skydive Utah kicked off its 2023 season on April 1. The group will operate daily using a PAC750XI aircraft, which is manufactured by Pacific Aerospace of New Zealand and is the only jump aircraft specially designed for skydiving. More information on Skydive Utah can be found at <a href="https://www.skydiveutah.com">www.skydiveutah.com</a>.

# **Skypark Airport Aviation Festival June 2 and 3**

Skypark Airport in Bountiful is holding its 10th annual Aviation Festival on June 2 and 3. The two-day event features airplanes, skydiving, seminars, live music, a movie night and discovery flights. The event is free and open to the public. Learn more about the festival at www.skypark.com/festival.

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