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The Mohave County Airport Authority invites applications for

## Manager of Airport Security and Special Projects

Laughlin/Bullhead International Airport (IFP)

Bullhead City, Arizona

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## The Airport

**Laughlin/Bullhead International Airport (IFP)** is a public use airport located one mile north of the central business district of Bullhead City, in Mohave County, Arizona. It is owned by Mohave County. The airport is across the Colorado River and one block away from Laughlin, Nevada. Many of the rooms at Laughlin's casino-hotels offer a view of the airport. It was named 2011 Airport of the Year by the Arizona Department of Transportation from among the 65 airports located in the state and is the 6th busiest airport in the state.

The airport is operated by the Mohave County Airport Authority, Inc. (MCAA), a nonprofit corporation formed under Arizona Revised Statutes for the purpose of operating a public airport. As such, MCAA does not receive tax funds from municipal, county or state sources to operate the Laughlin/Bullhead International Airport. All costs of operation, maintenance and capital improvement matching funds must be derived from revenue generated from airport commercial sources. Currently, IFP has charter service only - no scheduled service. IFP is a Part 139 Commercial Service airport.

MCAA is actively pursuing scheduled air service and uses the top air service consultant in the industry.  
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MCAA has 16 employees, all non-union. The operational budget FYE 6/30/2022 is approximately \$2.2 million. There were 130,000 enplanements and 11,000 operations in 2019.

### Significant operators at the airport include:

- Signature Flight Support
- TriState CareFlight - Air ambulance service local headquarters
- Sun Country Airlines
- Swift Air (iAero)

Tenants of the Airport commercial center (operated by MCAA) include Home Depot, Sam's Club, McDonalds, Chilis, Carl's Jr, Taco Bell, IHOP, and Panda Express.

### Current and upcoming capital improvement projects:

- 2021- In final stages of Airport Master Plan update
- 2021- General Aviation wash rack construct starting soon
- 2021- Westside RSA drainage construction-waiting on grant
- 2021- Apron Security lighting upgrade to LED
- 2022- Renovate passenger terminal public restrooms
- 2022- Taxiway Alpha rehabilitation design
- 2022- Runway PAPI replacement to LED
- 2022- Passenger Exit Lane study
- 2022- Acquire interactive training system for Part 139



Laughlin/Bullhead International Airport covers an area of approximately 850 acres. It has one runway designated 16/34 with an asphalt surface measuring 8,500 by 150 feet. Along with commercial aircraft, the 8,500-foot runway accommodates a diverse mix of activity including C-130's, Osprey helicopters, private and corporate jets, along with the occasional Boeing 767 and 747.



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## The Community

**Bullhead City** is located along the Colorado River, roughly 90 miles south of Las Vegas and across the river from the casino gaming town of Laughlin, Nevada. Bullhead City is a desert paradise with nearly 340 days of sunshine a year. With a pristine desert climate and clean air, this is an ideal playground for water-based activities and desert trail lovers. Full of year-round special events, thousands of people drive and fly into our community annually to enjoy the many amenities that the Tri State area has to offer. With a population of nearly 40,000 full-time residents, there is the friendliness of a small town; yet only 90 miles away from the bustling metropolis of Las Vegas.

Bullhead City has been referred to as Arizona's West Coast because the city is located on the east bank of the Colorado River near the juncture of Arizona, California, and Nevada. This makes for an ideal playground of water-based recreation including boating, canoeing, fishing, jet skiing, kayaking, paddle boarding, swimming, tubing, water skiing and wake boarding. Water enthusiasts have the choice of the fast-flowing Colorado River or the warm, smooth waters of Lake Mohave.

Bullhead City serves as the economic hub and retail shopping center for Western Mohave County and Southeastern Clark County, Nevada. It's easily accessible by major highways and a short drive from Los Angeles, Phoenix and Las Vegas.

Located directly across the Colorado River is Bullhead City's sister city, the popular gaming community of Laughlin, Nevada. Tourism is a primary economic activity with approximately two-million visitors per year. Visitors can explore the many well-hidden outdoor adventures around Laughlin and the Colorado River Region. After spending the day hiking, swimming, or golfing, the many resort casinos provide an extraordinary night life of fine dining, dancing, and of course, the many games of chance.



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## The Position

Under the direction of the Assistant Airport Director, the Manager of Airport Security and Special Projects is the primary Airport Security Coordinator (ASC) that plans, organizes and supervises all aspects of the Airport Security Plan. Responsibilities include all aspects of CFR Part 1542, ensuring the Airport Security Program (ASP) is up to date and is in line with current Security Directives. This position processes all airport badge applications, issues airport security badges, maintains badging records and provides training to all airport employees on security requirements as well as driving on the AOA.

The Manager of Airport Security and Special Projects manages/maintains a state-of-the-art digital cloud-hosted CCTV and access control system, maintains all airport locks/keys, and responds to all security-related requests. The manager coordinates annual TSA required security meetings, is the designated point of contact for the TSA, and will work directly with the TSA during the annual security inspection.

In addition to the primary duty of airport security, the Manager of Security and Special Projects will assist with the management of construction projects to ensuring the work meets FAA AIP program requirements and is consistent with environmental regulations, the Airport Master Plan and the Airport Layout Plan. The position will also be responsible for the airport's Storm Water Management Plan, Spill Prevention and Counter Control Procedures and updating the FAA-Form 5010.

For a complete job description, [click here](#).



## Position Qualifications

A Bachelor's Degree in Aviation Management, Business Management, or a related field and two (2) years of airport security/operations experience for a Part 139 airport. In lieu of a college degree, five (5) years of experience in Airport Operations/Airport Security can be substituted. Experience as an Airport Security Coordinator is highly desired. Training in Basic ASOS, ACE, or other AAE certifications is a plus.

## Salary & Compensation

The salary range for this position is \$55,000 - \$72,000 with an attractive benefits package and relocation assistance. Starting salary near the top of the range may be possible depending upon the experience and qualifications of the individual selected.

## How to Apply

To apply online for this position, [click here](#).

**Deadline for applications: Friday, August 27, 2021**

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