

Danielson Airport Master Plan Danielson, Connecticut



Description

Fitzgerald & Halliday, Inc. (FHI) was hired to provide public involvement services and environmental review for the Danielson Airport Master Plan. The airport is located in Danielson, a rural town in the northeast corner of Connecticut. The master plan provided planning guidelines for the future development of the airport. The development needs identified as a result of this plan were intended to satisfy present and future aviation demand, minimize environmental impact, address community concerns and maintain compatibility with other transportation systems.

FHI's responsibilities included: establishing and working with an Advisory Committee, developing a stakeholders mailing list, planning for a public informational meeting, distributing project materials and reports as well as determining the status of wetlands at the site. This update, unlike the prior Danielson Airport Master Plan update, did not encounter serious opposition by neighbors or the town. All Advisory Committee meetings were open and well attended by the public and there were numerous press accounts throughout the 2-year planning process. By the time the draft plan was ready for public review and comment, most people understood what was in the plan and it was generally accepted.

Client

Connecticut Department of Transportation

