

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Aviation Administration**

**Washington, D.C.**

**Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Assessment for Wing Aviation, LLC Proposed Package Delivery Operations in Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas**

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) hereby gives Notice of Availability (NOA) for this draft Environmental Assessment (EA) that analyzes and discloses the potential environmental effects of the FAA decision to authorize Wing Aviation, LLC (Wing) to conduct unmanned aircraft (UA) commercial package delivery operations in the Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas metropolitan area.

Wing is seeking to amend its air carrier Operation Specifications (OpSpec) and other FAA approvals necessary to expand UA commercial package delivery operations in Texas. The FAA's approval of the amended OpSpec is considered a major federal action under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) NEPA-implementing regulations (40 Code of Federal Regulations Parts 1500–1508) and requires an environmental review. This draft EA has been prepared in accordance with the CEQ regulations and FAA Order 1050.1F, *Environmental Impacts: Policies and Procedures*.

The public comment period for the draft EA begins with the issuance of the NOA and lasts 30 days. The FAA encourages all interested parties to provide comments concerning the scope and content of the draft EA. The draft EA is available to view/download electronically at:

[https://www.faa.gov/uas/advanced\\_operations/nepa\\_and\\_drones/](https://www.faa.gov/uas/advanced_operations/nepa_and_drones/).

Comments may be directed in writing to [9-FAA-Drone-Environmental@faa.gov](mailto:9-FAA-Drone-Environmental@faa.gov). Please reference the Wing DFW Texas EA in the e-mail subject line when sending comments. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, be advised that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold from public review your personal identifying information, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** For any questions or to request a copy of the EA, please contact: [9-FAA-Drone-Environmental@faa.gov](mailto:9-FAA-Drone-Environmental@faa.gov).

This draft EA becomes a federal document when evaluated, signed, and dated by the Responsible FAA Official.

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