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KANJ-Sanderson Field Reopens

Business as usual at Sanderson Field

Sault Ste. Marie, MI – Pilots, emergency services aircraft and visitors are welcomed back to Sanderson Field to test out the new PFC Overlay.

The municipal airport was closed from August 7th – the afternoon of August 21st. The project was slated for 12 days but intense rains delayed the project.

The porous friction overlay (PFC Overlay) is anticipated to rejuvenate the life of the runway for 10-15 years. This material has been used at other Michigan airports with noted success in Cadillac, Sturgis and Bellaire. Additional improvements associated with the project will be new paint and improved drainage which will decrease hydroplaning.

Final pavement marking will be put down in 30 days and we will notify all affected users.

Future projects include a terminal renovation, and taxiway reconstruction, slated for engineering in 2018.

If you have questions about how this may affect your flight or client services please contact the airport directly at 906.635.0252.

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