

From: Congressman Sam Graves <MO06ima@mail.house.gov> To: bryan.nichols@mail.house.gov Subject: Kirksville Airport to Receive Upgrades Date: Tue, 26 Nov 2019 13:52:07 -0500 News from Representative Graves Website Meet Sam Legislation News Services 6th District Contact Sam November 26, 2019 E-mail Updates Yes, please periodically send me e-mail updates.* *By subscribing to my e-mail updates, you are authorizing me to send regular e-mail updates from my office to your e- mail account. Dear Friend, Rural airports are a lifeline to many of our communities. They are critical to the economic viability of North Missouri. Keeping these airports operational and safe is incredibly important and requires investing in their infrastructure needs. The Department of Transportation's Airport Improvement Program provides critical funding to help our rural airports make needed infrastructure upgrades. Last year, I was proud to help increase the program's funding in the FAA Reauthorization Act to help maintain more of these critical airports. Last week, I announced that Kirksville Regional Airport will receive \$3.3 million dollars to replace a taxiway and a runway. This is great news for Northeast Missouri as the Kirksville airport is heavily used. These improvements will ensure that this airport is able to operate safely for years to come. I'm thrilled they've received this money and I'll continue to advocate for the transportation needs of North Missouri in Congress. Sincerely, Sam Graves
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