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***La Grande / Union County Airport  
Airport Master Plan Update Kick-Off Meeting***

**Date:** September 16, 2014  
**Time:** 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm, with Public Open House Immediately Following  
**Where:** Union County Extension Services  
(10507 N. McAlister Road, La Grande)

Union County invites the community to attend the first public open house to learn about the La Grande / Union County Airport Master Plan Update. Union County obtained and matched a grant from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to fund this study. A Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) comprised of airport users, neighbors, and local/regional agencies has been established to participate in the planning process. This kick-off meeting will review the master planning progression that will be undertaken over the 15-month project schedule.

The PAC meeting, which is open to the public, is scheduled for Tuesday, September 16 from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at the Union County Extension Services Office. The open house will immediately follow the PAC meeting and is intended to facilitate a discussion of the master planning process. A brief project overview will be followed by interactive discussion.

Staff will be on hand at the workshop to answer questions and collect comments.

Union County values and encourages input from the community about the La Grande / Union County Airport Master Plan Update project. Members of the public are welcomed and highly encouraged to attend the Public Meeting.

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