

## **Community Development | Airport**

The design modifications of the new terminal building are underway. Alexander City will be using one of the three (3) prototype terminal building designs offered by the Alabama Department of Transportation-Aeronautics Bureau (ALDOT-AB). ALDOT-AB had Goodwyn, Mills and Cawood, Inc. design three prototype terminal buildings several years ago. If a community decided to construct a new terminal building and used one of the prototype building designs, ALDOT-AB would provide the construction plans and specifications to the community free of charge. In an effort to best utilize the dollars available, Alexander City accepted the middle size (approx. 2800 sq.ft.) prototype building design, but wanted to make several changes to the design and layout of the floor plan to better utilize the space to fit Alexander City's operation. Alexander City is receiving a 50%-50% construction grant from the ALDOT-AB in the amount of \$250,000, which must be matched with City funds in the amount of \$250,000. The new terminal building will replace the existing terminal building which was constructed in the 1960s. The replacement is necessary to make way for the new northward extension of the parallel taxiway. Once the design modifications are complete, the project will be let to bid. Construction is expected to take approximately six (6) months.