

Northeast Wyoming Regional Airport

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Airport Tenants, Local and Transient Pilots
FROM: Jay Lundell, Airport Executive Director
DATE: March 25, 2020
SUBJECT: CONTROL TOWER CLOSURE

Staffing the control tower at the Gillette-Campbell County Airport n/k/a Northeast Wyoming Regional Airport has been a challenge over the years. The Airport Board has worked diligently and explored numerous options to keep the control tower properly staffed.

Accordingly, because of the challenges we have faced in properly staffing the control tower, the Airport Board has determined to cease operation of the control tower at the Northeast Wyoming Regional Airport effective 11 p.m. June 30, 2020.

Our airport is one of few airports our size that has continued to provide control tower services. Most airports our size typically rely on UNICOM or MULTICOM frequencies. Our CTAF (Common Traffic Advisory Frequency) will remain the same at 118.500 Mhz. This is a safe and proven method of aircraft to aircraft communication.

The following hyperlink may be beneficial to pilots wishing to refresh their knowledge of operating to and from non-tower airports.

[AC 90-66B -Non-Towered Airport Flight Operations](#)

Also, local flight instructors may be of assistance to local pilots while transitioning to a non-towered airport environment. Flightline LFS, Inc. may be of assistance in directing students and pilots to a local flight instructor (307) 686-7000.

Any questions or concerns may be directed to me at the above referenced contact information.