



Kentucky Aviation Economic Development Fund & Supplemental Maintenance Fund

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Promoting Economic Development through the Support of Aviation

- The Commonwealth's resource for all aviation issues
- Airport Project Oversight
- Federal and State Airport Inspections
- UAS Development
- Fleet Services
- Economic Development
- STEM/Aviation Education Advocacy
- Homeland Security
- Airport Zoning

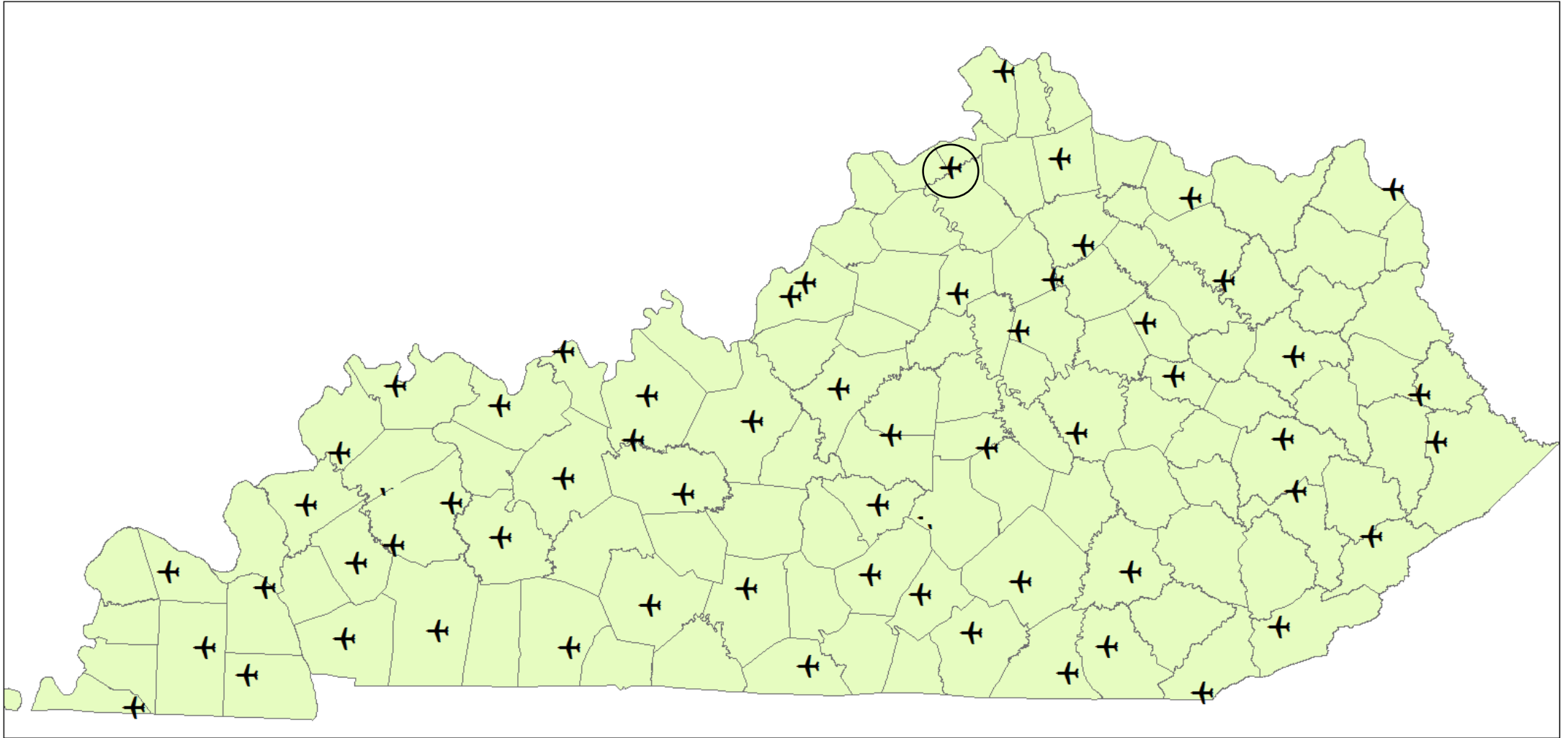
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State Airport System

- 57 Public Airports
 - 99 Private Airports
 - 138 Private Heliports
 - 2 Military Air Facilities
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- 23,392 On-Airport Jobs
 - \$1.4 Billion On-Airport Jobs Payroll

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Kentucky's Public Airports



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Breakdown of Airport Fund Sources

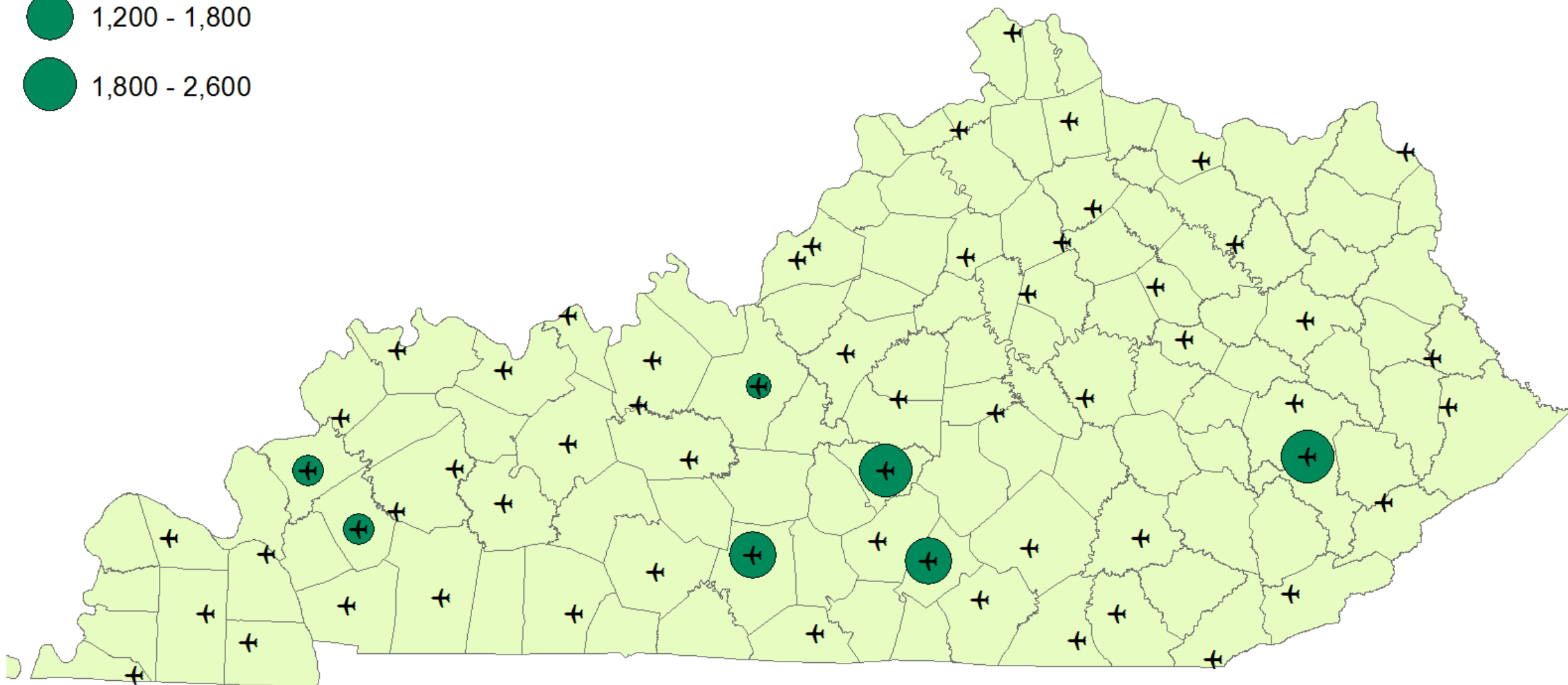
- Economic Development – comes from Aviation Fuel Tax
 - Approximately \$8,000,000 per year
 - Used for Airport, Terminal and Runway improvements
 - Supports a portion of the Local Share of Federal Grants
- Airport Maintenance Fund – Legislative Approved Funding
 - \$9,700,000 per year
 - Specifically targets pavements for Runways, Taxiways, & Aprons
- FAA Funded Grants for Airport Improvements (AIP)
- Local Match Share (City and County). No match is required on State Grants

Airport Maintenance Funds Projects FY 2019

Funding (thousands)

- 200 - 400
- 400 - 600
- 1,200 - 1,800
- 1,800 - 2,600

Airport Maintenance Funds : \$9,651,414

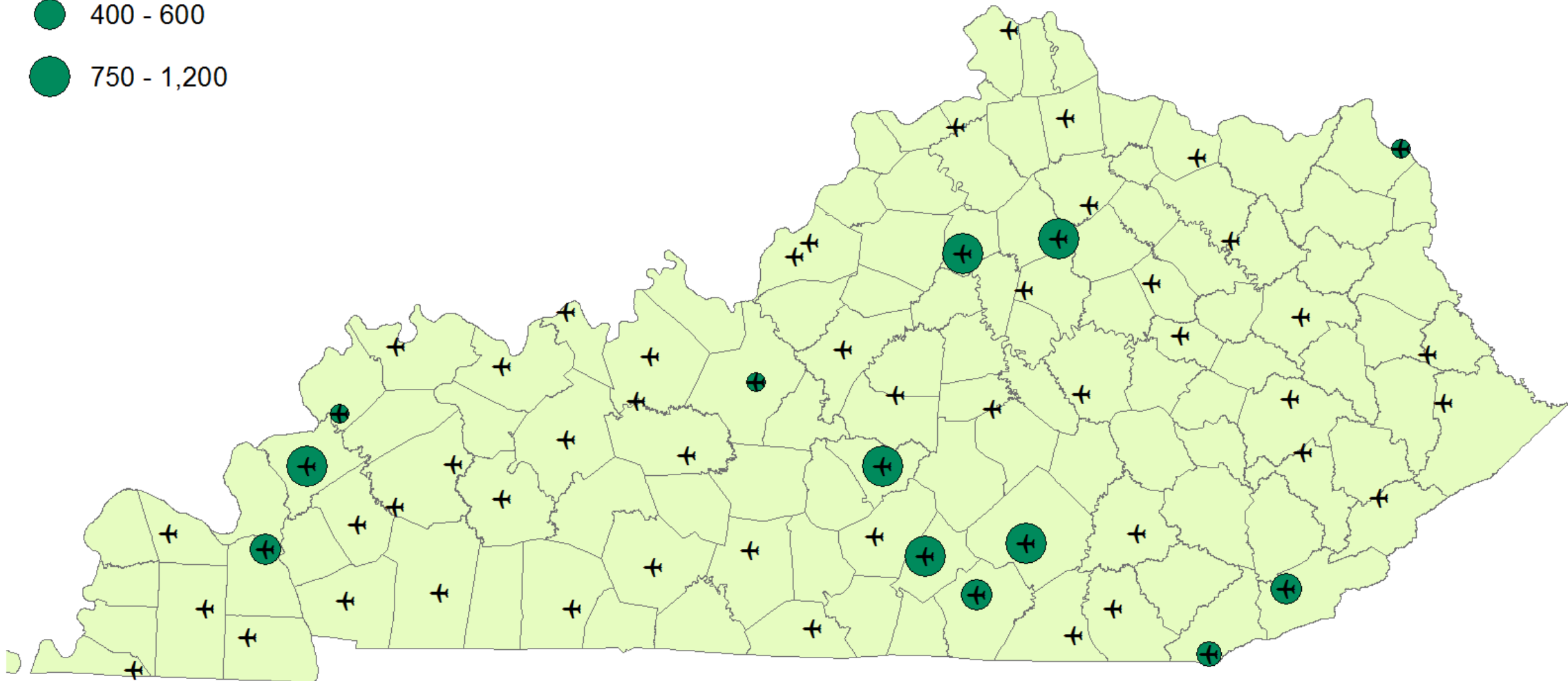


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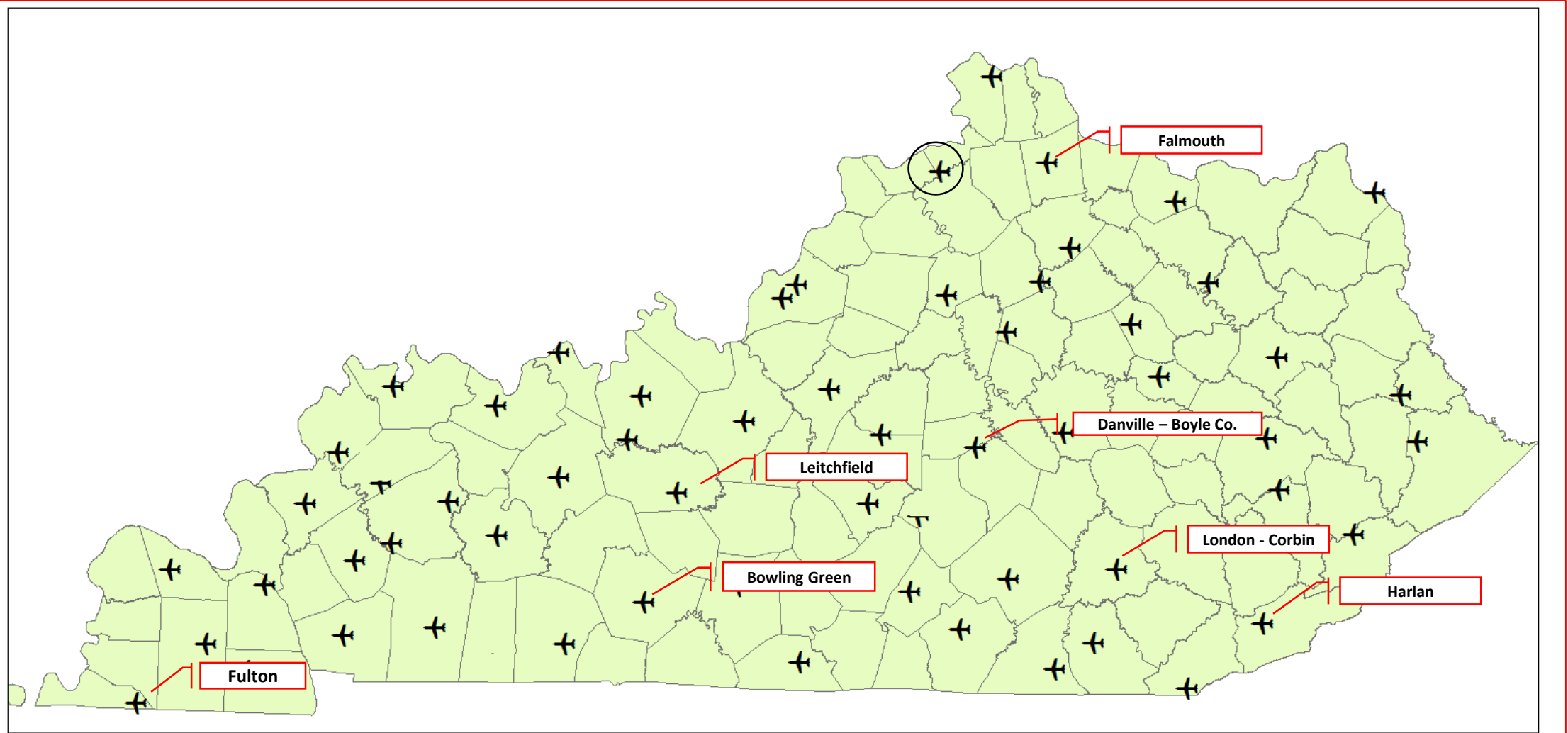
Funding (thousands)

- 20 - 200
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- 400 - 600
- 750 - 1,200

Aviation Fuel Tax Funds: \$8,694,000



Proposed Airport Maintenance Fund Projects – FY 2020



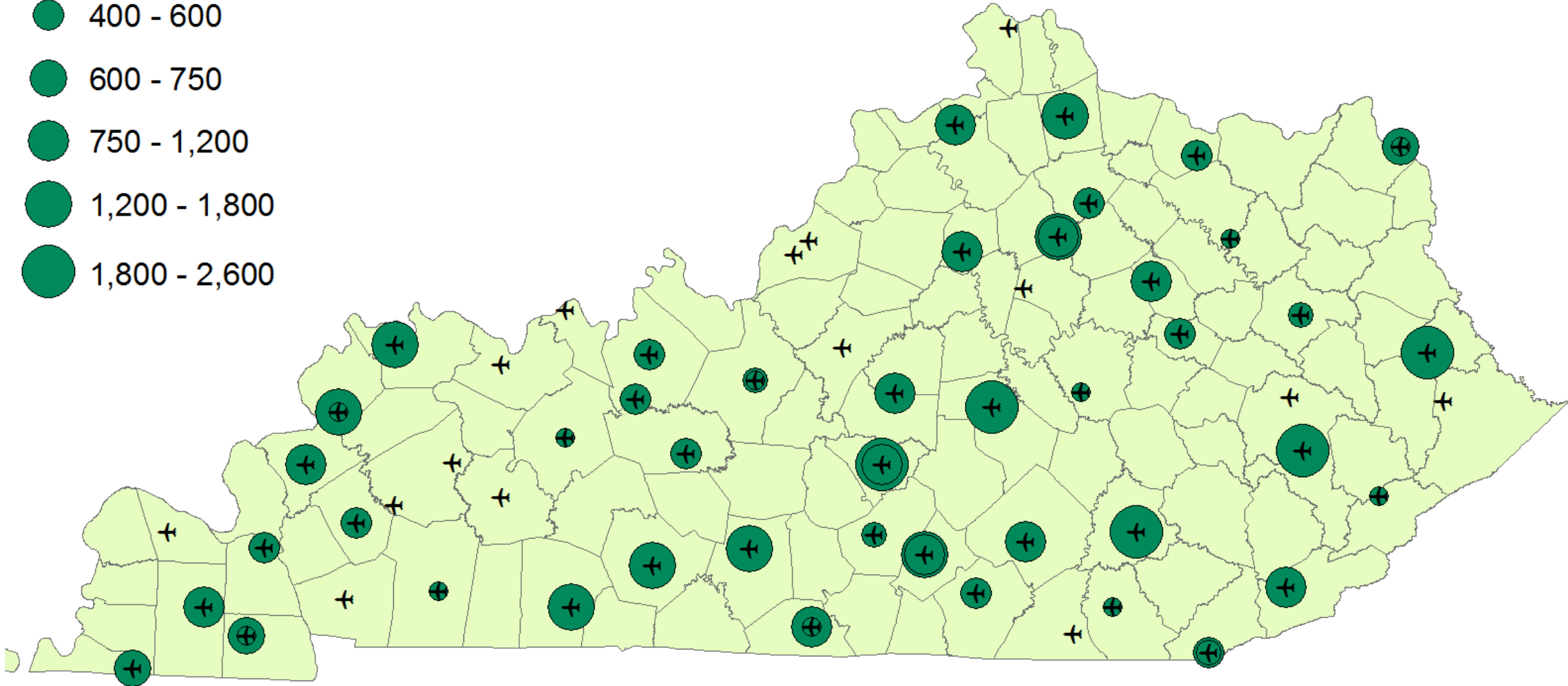
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All State Funded Airport Projects FY 2017 - 2020

Funding (thousands)

- 20 - 200
- 200 - 400
- 400 - 600
- 600 - 750
- 750 - 1,200
- 1,200 - 1,800
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47 Combined Past and Projected Projects:
\$57,086,253



Additional FAA Airport Funding (AIP)

- Every FAA Classified Airport in Kentucky receives at least \$150,000/year in Entitlement Funds
 - There are 50 Classified Airports in Kentucky
 - These funds require a 10% match. The state provides 7.5% of that match
- Kentucky airports can also request additional Federal Discretionary funding based on need and FAA funds available
- The FAA has committed to \$16,109,513 in Airport Improvement Funds for Kentucky Airport infrastructure over the next year with more expected to be announced.

Recent Pavement Overlay Project in Bardstown KY



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Continued Legislative Commitment is Essential for:

- Saving vital airport infrastructure
 - \$70 million backlog of deferred pavement maintenance. Like highways, airport pavement degrades with time and requires continuing maintenance
- Catching up to our neighboring states who compete for our aviation activity
- Contributing to developing a workforce that is ready for the future
- Support continued success in economic development
- Positive and lasting statewide impact



*Thank You for Your Past and
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