The Chicago Department of Aviation (CDA) is implementing a nearly $400 million capital improvement program over the next three years at Midway International Airport that will significantly upgrade the travel experience for years to come. The Midway Modernization Program (MMP) will bring new and expanded concessions, a larger security checkpoint area, and an enhanced terminal parking garage.

The CDA will oversee a phased approach to construction on MMP projects to minimize traffic impacts to the surrounding community and to maintain seamless operations at Midway to keep employees and travelers moving through the airport.

Security Checkpoint Expansion

- Entire TSA checkpoint has been open for several weeks with 17 screening lanes available.
- All exterior work is also complete.
- Work on long-lead punch list items, such as art installation, glazing repairs, etc. continues.

Terminal Parking Garage Enhancements

- Refurbishment of the CTA pedway elevator in progress - alternate access available during construction.
- New wayfinding signage in terminal lots and upgrades to garage lobbies still in progress.
- Ongoing work in the terminal garage includes:
  - New parking spaces and striping on level 1.
  - New LED lighting at pedestrian and level 2 entrances.
  - New emergency exit stairway on level 3.
- Stormwater drainage work continues in CTA employee lot.

Concessions Redevelopment Program

The Concessions Redevelopment Program will reflect Chicago’s diversity and showcase the best of local options and brands through a $75 million private partnership investment. With more than 70 offerings planned, the effort will double concessions jobs from 700 to 1,400.

Current construction work is on hold until further notice.

Building System Improvements

- Work inside the terminal is now complete.

Thank you for your patience as we complete improvements. We hope you will join our excitement in watching a Modern Midway rise up around us!

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