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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

#### **Timmerman Named New Springfield Airport Manager**

SPRINGFIELD, OH (Jan. 11, 2019) — Seth Timmerman, current manager of Darke County Airport, has been named manager of Springfield-Beckley Municipal Airport, officials announced Friday.

Timmerman has been Darke County Airport Manager for two years. He graduated Indiana State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in aviation management and unmanned systems, and holds a pilot's license and a certificate to fly unmanned aerial systems under Part 107 FAA rules.

"We are pleased that Seth is joining the City and leading the team at the airport," said Tom Franzen, Assistant City Manager and Director of Economic Development. "Seth has the experience, energy and enthusiasm that's required to bring the airport into this next era of growth and innovation."

Timmerman is from Union City, Indiana. He plans to relocate to Springfield when he takes over as airport manager on Jan. 30.

Springfield-Beckley Municipal Airport is located between Dayton and Columbus, just four miles south of Springfield. The airport is a unique combination of business park, municipal airport, and general aviation complex that serves commercial, military, and business development needs. Springfield-Beckley Municipal Airport has been a regional transportation hub for private pilots, businesses, and the military for more than 50 years. It is the general aviation center closest to Wright-Patterson Air Force Base with only a 20-minute drive time.