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Thunder Bay Airport to test Emergency Preparedness with Live Exercise on September 14, 2017

On Thursday, September 14, 2017, Thunder Bay International Airport (YQT), along with its partners will be conducting a live emergency training exercise at the airport. The exercise will start at 12:00pm and is expected to end at 4:00pm. Flights and airport operations will not be impacted as a result of the exercise.

More than a half dozen agencies will be involved in this mock emergency enabling all parties to practice their unique responses and communication with other responders in a lifelike, but controlled environment.

Our first and primary goal in any exercise or emergency response is safety for first responders and in the case of this exercise, participants and those observing the exercise.

Additional details will not be provided prior to the exercise.

Media wishing to cover the event are asked to access the event location as outlined below.

TBIAA would like to thank Bearskin Airlines and Air Canada Jazz for committing resources to ensure a positive learning experience for all responders.

About TBIAA

TBIAA is the private, non-shareholder corporation responsible for the operation of the Thunder Bay International Airport. TBIAA receives no government funding for the operation of the Airport. Economic activity associated with the Airport is responsible for an estimated \$.5 billion dollars in GDP annually and over 5000 direct and indirect jobs.

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